



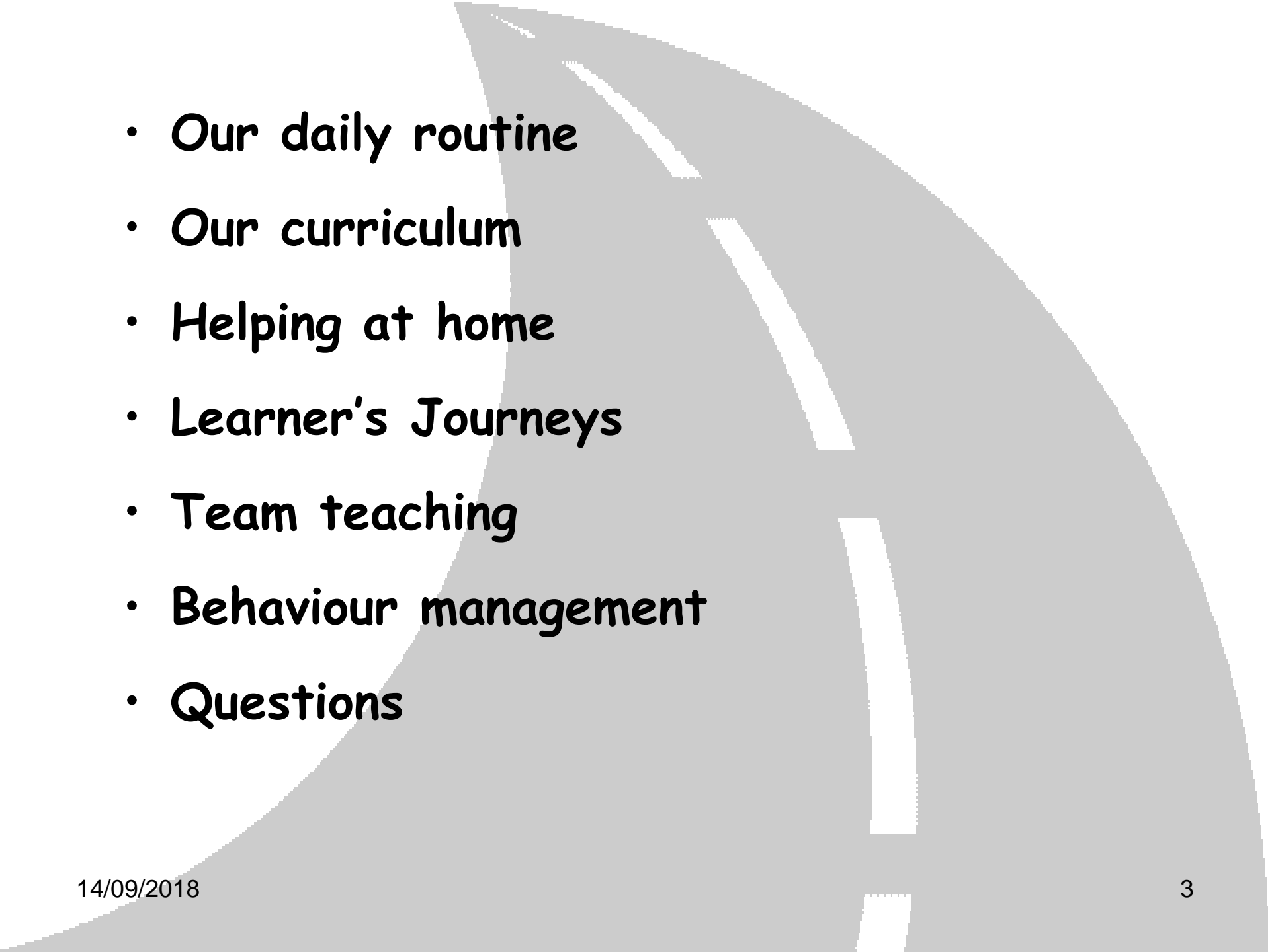
The Journey of Learning

Starting Primary 1

Introduction

The purpose of the discussion:

1. to learn more about your child's education this year
2. to learn more about school/class procedures
3. to ask any questions that you might have - but please none about your child as this is not a parent/teacher meeting

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- **Our daily routine**
 - **Our curriculum**
 - **Helping at home**
 - **Learner's Journeys**
 - **Team teaching**
 - **Behaviour management**
 - **Questions**

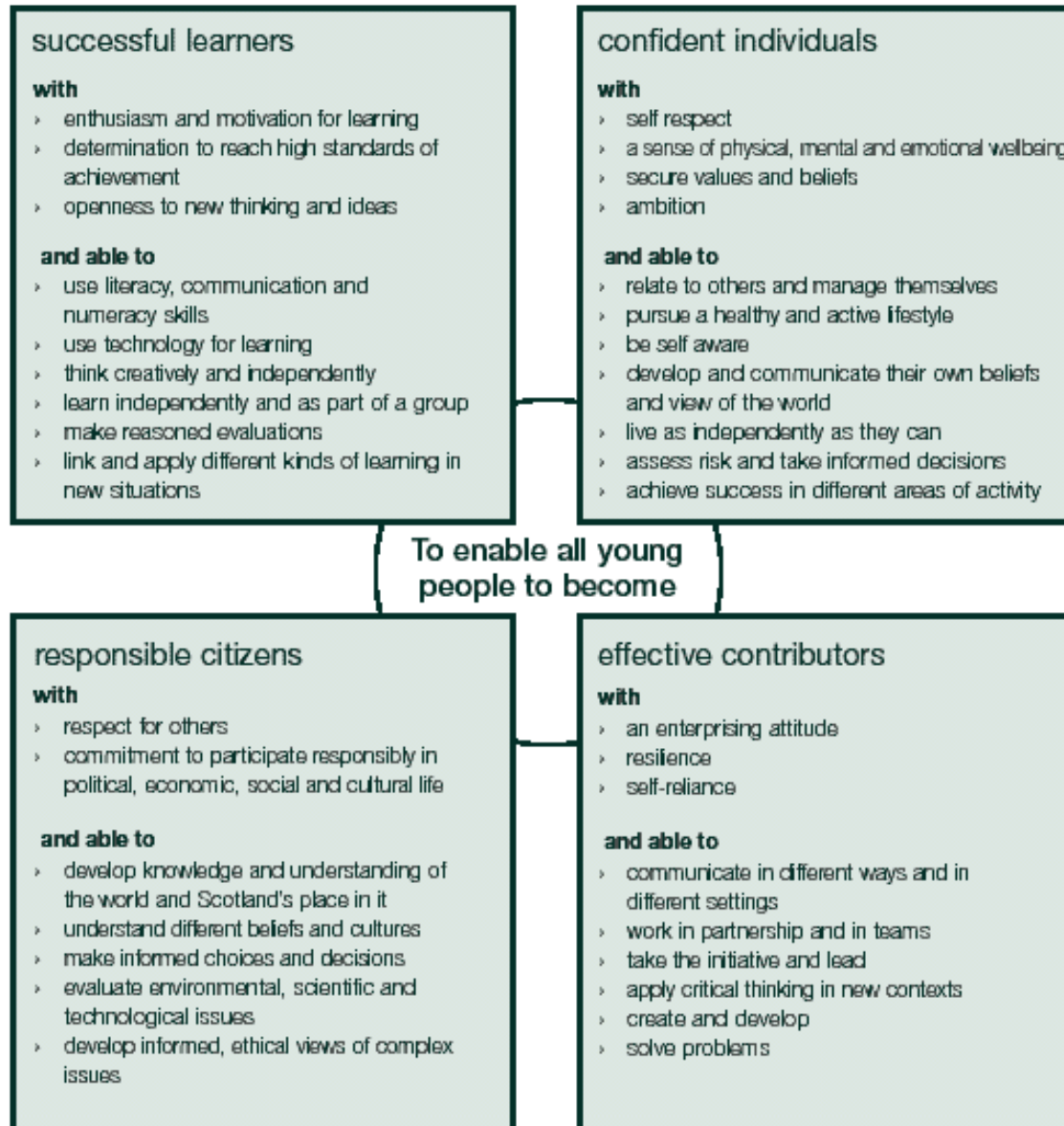
Our Daily Routines

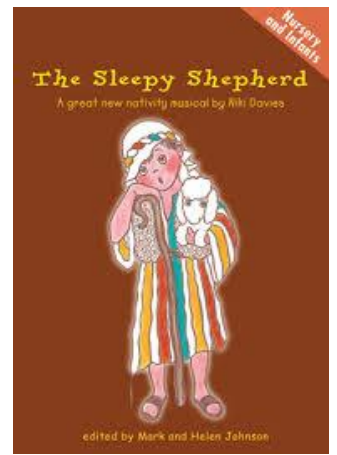
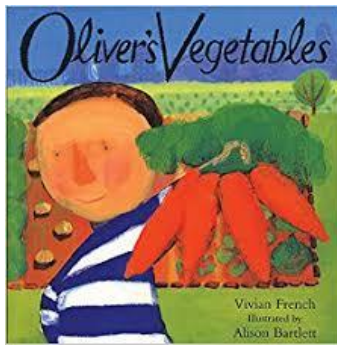
- Cloakroom
- Get Set time, lunches and Ipay impact
- Class timetable, visual timetable
- Snack and lunch
- Buddies
- PE





A Curriculum for Excellence





Our afternoons!

- A large part of our afternoon involves play based learning following the children's interests within our topics.
- Groups will still be taken with class teacher to focus on specific skills such as listening and talking, problem solving and investigating.
- This is also an opportunity to bring learning to life by having visitors to the school...so don't be shy!

Home Learning after September weekend

- Task sheet fortnightly
- Reading will be twice weekly in reading record (unless it's a short week) Books will be collected in at holiday time.
- Homework is accessed through the school blog.
- Share it jotter - shared in class
- Wider achievements - let us know! 😊

Assessment

- **Learner's Journeys for termly assessments**
- **Profile jotters (March)**
- **SNSA (Scottish National standardized Assessments) - government initiative used to plan school improvement.**
- **Informal assessments by teachers.**

Maths and Literacy

- **Numeracy and Maths:**
 - Focus on basic skills
 - A variety of resources
 - Oral; problem solving; whole class and groups
- **Language:**
 - Reading
 - Phonics (Vowel house and Colourful Consonants)
 - Emergent writing
 - Listening and talking

Letter and Number Formation

An example of letter and number formation will be inside share it jotters.

Please take the time to practise with your child wherever possible.

Make it fun!

RME, HWB and Problem Solving

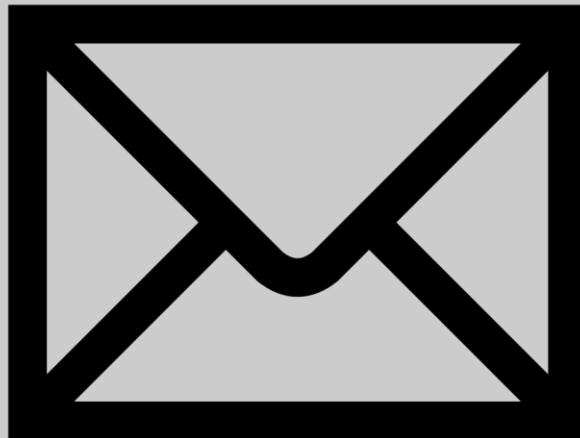
- Mr Paul will take P1 for RME, HWB and Problem Solving.

Behaviour management

- Restorative practice methods used in nursery.
- Class use school values to learn about their rights and positive behaviour.
- We encourage good manners and respectful actions.
- Ongoing minor issues or concerns will be addressed with you by the class teacher.
- If you require a longer discussion about your child's behaviour we ask that you phone to make an appointment.

Parent mail

- If there are any problems accessing or receiving emails about school information please contact the office for any help or advice.
- PSA and Parent Council



Extra Reminders

- Please ensure your child comes to school on PE days (Monday & Thursdays) wearing appropriate clothes.
- Please ensure everything that belongs to your child is labelled with name and class (Outdoor shoes are getting muddled!)
- Water is provided in class, each child has their own cup. If children are bringing in bottles for the classroom from home we ask that it is filled with water, not juice.
- Please ensure your child comes to school with 1 snack for break time.
- Always bring a jacket as the children still go out in all weather conditions.

Thank you for listening



Any questions?