

# Primary 6 Newsletter

January- April 2025

Hello everyone, we hope you had a lovely Christmas break. Here is what we will be doing in Term 3.



## Numeracy & Maths

In Numeracy we will continue to reinforce fractions, decimals and percentages, and learning how they link together. We will begin looking at algebra, multiples and factors and we will also be working with money in real life contexts.

In Maths, we will be investigating angles; understanding how to label, measure and draw a selection of angles. We will also be linking this learning to position and movement within mathematical contexts.

In Term 3 we will continue to develop our "Building Thinking Classrooms" approach to Problems Solving, developing our ability to read and interpret maths problems and selecting the appropriate strategy to solve them.

## Literacy & English

We will kick start January, celebrating Scots language by writing, reading, reciting and listening to a variety of Scots texts. Then we will move on to information and explanation texts. We will practise using techniques such as hooking readers with questions as an introduction. We will work on ensuring punctuation is used effectively such as proper nouns having first letters in capitals, parenthesis used to add extra information and commas before bullet points. Children will produce writing in both hand-written texts and typed/ digital media.



## Health & Wellbeing

Primary 6SW will have indoor PE on a Wednesday and outdoor PE on a Tuesday.

P6P will have indoor PE on a Thursday and outdoor PE on a Tuesday

This term we will be developing our racket skills as well as consolidating skills in basketball. P.E will be taking place outdoors (rain or shine!) so please ensure your child is wearing an appropriate P.E kit on these days.

In class, we will be using our school JIGSAW resource with a focus on Dreams and Goals and Relationships.

We will also continue to discuss the Zones of Regulation in order to identify, discuss and regulate our emotions.

## Interdisciplinary Learning

This term we will be starting with a Scots literacy focus. We will then be taking part in our Primary 5 - 7 Show which will be in March. Keep an ear out for us practising our songs!

Primary 6 will also be participating in a local study where we will investigate places to live, work and relax, as well as discussing local land use, development and impact on the community.



## Additional Information

P6SW- Monday- Mrs Smillie, Tuesday Mrs Wells/ Mrs Smillie, Wednesday – Mrs Wells, Thursday- Mrs Wells, Friday- Mrs Smillie

P6P- Monday- Mrs Welsh, Tuesday- Miss Purdie, Wednesday – Mrs Welsh/Miss Purdie Thursday – Miss Purdie, Friday- Mrs Welsh

Please access the class Team and school website for home learning and class updates.

If you have any comments, concerns or questions please feel free to contact us through our school office, email or a written note and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you  
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