



Fossoway Primary School



P5/6 Learning Overview

Term 3

Literacy

- Read and discuss a variety of texts with my class and group.
- Develop my ability to summarise, identify themes and discuss key vocabulary.
- Apply my understanding of the features of different types of text to create pieces of writing across different areas of the curriculum.
- Develop my knowledge of phonemes and spelling rules to spell common and unfamiliar words correctly
- Develop my presentation skills by understanding the importance of pace, tone, eye contact and content when engaging an audience.

Numeracy and Mathematics

- Continues to consolidate my knowledge of the 72 'Learn-its'
- Extend my knowledge of decimal fractions by multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000
- Extend my knowledge of using jigsaw numbers to find the missing piece to 10, 100, 1000 and some decimals – including money calculations
- Use my knowledge of simple multiplication to multiply tenths and calculate higher multiples of numbers beyond tables.
- Begin to explore negative numbers
- Solve 2 digit and 3 digit multiplication calculations using different strategies.

Health and Wellbeing

- Consider how we can live and eat more sustainably with particular consideration of how we can reduce 'food miles'
- Understand and discuss how people exhibit different types of courage – courage is not about being fearless but facing and overcoming fear.
- Explain the ways in which we have to assess risks to minimise harm – being foolhardy is a dangerous form of courage.

Highlights from other areas of the Curriculum

- As part of our studies of the Rivers and Oceans we will also be considering energy sources as part of our science.
- In RME we will be learning about the different branches of Christianity.
- Use iPads and laptops to begin using basic coding to create animations.

Skills we will develop

- Researching – using a variety of sources to locate information and consider the integrity of the information we find.
- Working with others – understanding the need to be accountable for my part in a group task and demonstrating/discussing the contribution I have made.

Interdisciplinary Learning

- Continue to learn about the Scottish Wars of Independence
- Learn about sustainability in the context of the Rivers and Oceans including the living things that call them home.
- Compare and contrast the rivers and oceans in our local area to those in other parts of the world.
- Consider the effects of pollutions on our rivers and oceans?

Notes about the upcoming Term

- This term we will have a visit to Bannockburn Heritage Centre and a visit from the Clanranald Trust to extend our knowledge of the Scottish Wars of Independence.
- Our class assembly will also take place this term to share our learning with parents and carers.
- Shakespeare week takes place from the 18th until the 24th of March – we will take this opportunity to explore a range of Shakespeare's work and consider the language used through drama and literacy activities.