

In Primary 5 skills, knowledge and understanding are developed through a range of teaching and learning opportunities. These include direct teaching, group work and a variety of independent and cooperative learning activities and experiences.

Learning Intentions

Literacy: Writing

We will be learning to:

- recognise the features of different types of texts
- create our own narrative story based on texts we have read

Literacy: Reading, Listening and Talking

We will be continuing our learning to:

- develop our critical literacy skills
- apply our reading skills and strategies to analyse and show our understanding of texts
- support our opinions with some evidence from the text
- contribute and share our ideas and opinions with others
- show respect for the opinions of others

We will also be developing our talking and presentation skills through our Christmas Assembly

Numeracy and Maths

We will be learning to:

- develop our addition and subtraction skills
- develop our speed of recall of the times tables
- develop our knowledge and skills about measure, including time

Health and Wellbeing

We will be learning:

- to further develop our growth mindset
- to recognise mistakes as an important part of learning
- to learn that we can have a great comeback after a setback

PE

We will be learning:

- to develop our skills in dance
- to develop our confidence and self esteem
- to develop our respect and tolerance

PE days are Tuesdays and Wednesdays

How you can support learning at home:

Please read with your child at home and discuss their reading book with them. Weekly homework will be set on a Monday and can be found on your child's iPad, in Showbie, under Literacy.

Please encourage your child to do their reading homework, including a brief summary of chapters read. School reading books are only a part of your child's reading. Regular reading of other material at home should also be encouraged.

Your child's spelling words are on their iPad in Showbie, under Literacy, if you would like to practise at home. Please also encourage your child to practise their times tables regularly to ensure they are retained.