

Teaching and Learning Overview P2

Mrs Moore

October– December 2023

Literacy

Through our context for learning, pupils will:

- write simple scientific reports using drawings and sentences to show what they did and what they found out.
- write simple fact files about different climate zones around the world.

Through daily literacy activities, pupils will:

- develop their reading fluency , comprehension and expression.
- apply known spelling patterns to all written work and will make use of taught spelling strategies when attempting to spell unknown words.
- develop their understanding of grammar and sentence structure with a focus on full stops and capital letters.

Numeracy and Mathematics

The pupils will:

- learn the mathematical language of addition and subtraction e.g. total, difference between. They will develop mental strategies to add and subtract within 20 and improve their recall of addition facts to 20.
- continue to develop their understanding of place value using counting materials. We'll investigate the link between a digit, its place in a number and its value.
- develop their understanding of fractions by dividing objects into halves and quarters.
- record the time in o'clock and half past using analogue and digital.

Health and Wellbeing

Through the Building Resilience programme, pupils will learn the importance of being kind to others. They will understand how being kind makes them and others feel. They will identify ways in which people including themselves can be unkind. They will also know ways in which they can be kind to themselves.

In PE, pupils will develop their ball skills through Netball. They will work on passing, catching, bouncing the ball and aiming at a target with increasing accuracy. They will also develop their skills in dance by learning simple, traditional Scottish dances.

The children will also develop their awareness of the outdoor environment and how it can support their wellbeing.

Contexts for Learning:

**Science-
Dissolving Solids**

**Climate Zones and
Living Things**

In Primary 2 skills, knowledge and understanding are developed through a range of teaching and learning opportunities.

These include direct teaching, targeted group time and a variety of independent and

How you can help at home...

Continue to support your child with Reading Home Learning and encourage them to read a variety of texts out with their class reading book.

Home Learning:

- **Reading** will be set regularly.
- It would be very helpful if the learners could practise their **Tricky Word** lists at home.
- Learners will take home **Addition Facts** to learn. We would be grateful if you could support your learners with practising these.
- As our weather can be variable, the learners should bring in a warm, waterproof coat daily.