

Teaching and Learning Overview P3/4

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Literacy

Through our context for learning, pupils will:

- develop their note taking skills by recording facts under different headings.
- use notes to create non-fiction informative texts using specific vocabulary related to our topic.

Through daily literacy activities, pupils will:

- develop their reading fluency, comprehension and Expression.
- apply known spelling patterns in all written work and will make use of taught spelling strategies when attempting to spell unfamiliar words.
- develop their understanding of grammar and sentence structure with a focus on accurate punctuation.

Numeracy and Mathematics

The pupils will:

- continue to develop a range of counting and calculation skills, building on quick and accurate recall of number facts.
- develop their money skills through identifying coins and notes up to £20, recording amounts accurately in different ways using the correct notation (125p or £1.25) and giving change from £1.

Health and Wellbeing

In PE, pupils will become aware of different features of dance. They will develop short dance sequences using travel, turn, jump, gesture and pause. Pupils will also develop their ball skills through mini basketball.

Through our Building Resilience programme pupils will;

- develop an understanding that bad times won't last.
- write down worries and develop strategies to manage them.
- realise who can help them to manage their worries.

Contexts for Learning:

Vikings

In Primary 3/4 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 cooperative learning activities.

How you can help at home...

Continue to support your child with reading at home and encourage them to read a variety of texts out with their class reading book. We would encourage 10-15mins daily.

- **Reading** will be set regularly. We would be grateful if parents/carers could date, sign or comment when reading is completed at home.
- **Tricky Word** lists and weekly **spelling pattern words** can be practised in their Home Learning jotter.
- It would be very helpful if pupils could practice their **Learn Its** and **multiplication tables** to improve accuracy and speed of recall.

As we move towards Winter, we would appreciate if pupils could remember bring a coat daily.