

Numeracy and Mathematics

All children will be challenged at a pace appropriate to their learning.

The majority of children will be developing skills in:

- Number formation and recognition to 20
- Counting forwards and backwards to 20
- Ordering and sequencing numbers to 20
- Matching number symbol to quantity (to 20)
- Using mathematical symbols (+, =)
- Using a range of materials to add within 5/10
- Problem solving strategies
- Adding mentally within 5/10
- Addition stories to 5/10
- Adding on 1 or 2 numbers to 5/10

Measure

- Using different language to describe and compare the size, weight, length of an object
- Using non-standard units to measure different items

Estimating

- Using estimation in the contexts of number and measure

Homework – suggested timetable

- Monday – Word box, reading book and sound book (1 page)
- Tuesday – Word box and reading book
- Wednesday – Word box, reading book and sound book (1 page)
- Thursday – Word box and reading book
- Friday – no homework

Literacy

Children will be developing skills in:

- Phonics – learning the name and sound of each letter, blending letters together to make words and correct letter formation.
- Common words/spelling – to read and spell using active strategies.
- Reading - books corresponding to their book band, comprehension and vocabulary
- Listening & Talking
- Pencil control & Foundations of Writing (oral storytelling (two/three part stories) through drawing and underwriting sentences)

French

Through daily routines, children will develop skills in:

- Numbers to 10
- Days of the week
- Personal information
- Weather

Room 1 - Primary 1

Mrs Dixon

October – December 2023

Mrs Dixon enjoys drinking hot chocolate,
watching Christmas movies and taking her dogs
for long walks! 😊



Health and Wellbeing

Dark Night and Firework Safety

Children will learn to identify ways in which they can stay safe around fireworks and dark nights.

Anti-Bullying and NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe

Children will learn about the importance of Anti-Bullying and the importance of reaching out to others to stay safe.

Our Monthly Mantras

My Brain Is Like a Muscle That Grows!

I Am a Valued Member of This Learning Community

We Love a Challenge!

Our Rights of the Months

Article 12 – I have the right to be listened to and take seriously

Article 14 – I have the right to freedom of thought and religion

Article 19 – I have the right to be protected from being hurt

Article 36 – I have the right to be protected from exploitation

PE

Outdoor P.E (Thursday) – Possession Games

Indoor P.E (Wednesday) - Dance

Learning Across the Curriculum

ICT

Pupils will continue to practise logging on to the computer. Pupils will now match lowercase letters to capitals and become familiar with key icons on the computer screen.

RME

Pupils will learn about the story of Christmas and become familiar with some beliefs Christian people have about God and Jesus. Also, become aware of the importance of Christmas celebrations and customs in Christian people's lives.

Learning across the Curriculum

Planet Earth and The Solar System

This term, we are learning about Planet Earth, Space and the Solar System. We will cover a variety of curricular areas including: Expressive Arts, Literacy, Technologies and Science. Learning experiences will include:

- Differences between day and night
- Linking daily routines to the sun, moon and stars
- Use of globes/maps to locate different places on Earth
- Awareness of the 8 planets