

Numeracy and Mathematics

We are working on the following topics, which are differentiated:

- Angles
- Symmetry
- Data analysis
- Chance and uncertainty
- Number Talks
- Problem Solving

We are using ICT and active strategies to support pupils' learning.

Homework

Spelling: Pupils to practise their weekly spelling words on www.sumdog.com

Reading: Pupils to read their school reading books each weeknight. Pupils can access giglets.com as reading for enjoyment.

Numeracy: Pupils to practise their numeracy skills on www.sumdog.com

Literacy

Pupils are developing and enhancing:

- Phonemes and spelling - These are being developed through using a variety of spelling strategies.
- Reading - The pupils are continuing the school's reading programme in accordance with their reading level.
- Writing - The pupils are focussing on explanatory and persuasive writing styles.
- Handwriting - Pupils are practising this each week. Learners are expected to transfer this skill into their written work.

Class Novel

This term we are reading *Perry Angel's Suitcase* by Glenda Millard. We are discussing vocabulary, inference, predictions, explanations, retrieval, and summarising. This learning is taking place collaboratively.

Modern Languages

- French is incorporated throughout the curriculum each day. This term we are expanding vocabulary knowledge of 'family' and 'hobbies.'
- Spanish: We are focussing on common Spanish greetings.

Health + Wellbeing

- We use *Emotion Works* daily check-ins to express how we are feeling and what we can do to manage our emotions.
- We are working through the *Healthy Schools* and *RHSP* programmes.
- We are focussing on 'Water Safety.'
- Our Monthly Mantras: **April:** *There's a Difference Between Not Knowing and Not Knowing Yet!* **May:** *I Got This!* **June:** *I Can't Take Care of Others If I Don't Take Care of Myself.*
- Rights of the Month: **April:** Right to health care, clean water, good food and a safe environment and to information to help me to stay well (Article 24). **May:** Right to a good standard of living (Article 27) . **June:** Right to privacy (Article 16).
- PE: outdoor P.E takes place on a Monday and indoor P.E takes place on a Friday. Our learning this term will focus on golf and Sports Day preparation (outdoors), along with yoga and team games (indoors).

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April - June 2023



Learning Across the Curriculum

This term we are learning about *The Victorians, Amazonia and Lifestyle and Culture of Citizens of Scotland.*

Science Materials

We are exploring the properties and uses of substances, Earth's materials, chemical changes, and topical science.