

# Primary 5/6 - Term 2



# Welcome to Primary 5/6

Our teacher is Miss Mutch and the class is supported by Mrs Glass and Mrs Goodbrand. Our PE day Wednesday where we will focus on Scottish dancing. We will not require a PE kit for this.





We also have literacy activities with Mrs Magnay and music with Mrs Carter.

### Homework

Homework will be put onto the Pri-

mary 5/6 TEAMS page every Monday which will be weekly spelling words, as well as occasional other tasks. These words should be practised daily at home and in school with the assessment being on Fridays. Pupils have taken home a homework jotter containing practise strategies which is for practise at home and does not need to be brought into school.

#### Our Class Charter

Always try your best.

Always admit to your mistakes.

Be encouraging.

Always listen to others.

Always help someone that is hurt or sad.



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## Literacy

Reading—Our class novel will be The Boy with the Butterfly Mind where we will look at writers craft and study themes such various personal themes. We will be using Book Detectives to look at further texts as groups and pupils are also encouraged to read for personal enjoyment.

Writing—This term we will continue to focus on the fundamentals of writing high quality sentences through punctuation, sentence openers, conjunctions and vocabulary.

## Curricular Areas

PE—This term we will focus on coordination and dancing skills through Scottish Country Dancing.

Health and Wellbeing—We will focus on what makes a good friend and understanding and managing emotions.

German—We will continue with higher numbers, days of the week, months of the year and colours.

### Maths

#### Core maths

This term we are focussing on Multiplication, Division and Time. Regularly practising these skills (particularly telling the time) is vital to learning this tricky life skill.

#### Mental maths

We are focussing on mental subtraction through the SAMSON method this term where we will build upon what they learned last year and introduce trickier questions.

## Topic

Our topic for this term is Christianity and we will be focussing on the various things such as fundamental beliefs of the religion, the importance of certain people within the religion, and some key stories within the Bible. We will be using a lot of teamwork skills as well as focussing on improving our artistic skills..