

Primary 7 Teaching and Learning Overview - Term 1: August - October 2021

In Primary 7 skills, knowledge and understanding are developed through a range of teaching and learning opportunities. These include direct teaching, group work and a variety of independent and cooperative learning activities and experiences.

Learning Intentions

Literacy – Reading, Writing, Talking & Listening

Context: Scottish History

We will be learning:

- to take notes; skimming, scanning, noting key words
- to create our own texts using our notes
- to acknowledge the source of information

Context: Wonder (novel study)

We will be learning:

- to ask and answer evaluative questions about a text
- to write personal responses inspired by a text

French

We will be:

- recapping greetings, personal information, colours and body parts vocabulary
- speaking, reading and writing phrases and sentences to develop these topics

Numeracy

We will be learning to:

- select the most appropriate strategies to solve a range of calculations (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)

Maths

Context: Time

We are learning to:

- read and understand both analogue and digital time
- read and record time in both 12 hour and 24 hour notation and convert between the two
- use and interpret timetables, schedules and calendars to plan events and activities, calculate durations and solve real life problems
- understand the relationship between commonly used units of time (hours, minutes, seconds) and carry out simple conversion calculations
- estimate the duration of a journey based on knowledge of the link between speed, distance and time

Health and Wellbeing

Learning Context: Building Resilience – Be Resilient

We will be learning:

- how we can be more resilient in difficult times by using a toolkit of strategies
- how to describe and recognise resilient behaviour in ourselves and others
- that we are all unique and we should celebrate our qualities and differences

Learning Context: Zones of Regulation

We will be learning:

- about the 4 zones of regulation
- how to use the zones to recognise our emotions and express how we feel at different times
- that it is normal and OK to feel a range of emotions

PE - Learning Context: Fitness & Circuits

We will be learning:

- to design a personalised circuit programme to suit our own targets
- to maintain motivation
- to perform each exercise with control in order to develop strength & stamina

P.E. days: P7K alternate Mondays & Wednesdays and every Thursday
P7D Monday and Tuesday

How you can support/Home Learning: please see information on the P7D and P7K Teams 'Home Learning' channel.

iPads: Please support your child to make sure iPads are brought to school each day fully charged.

Stay in Touch: Please get in touch with your child's class teacher by e-mail if you wish to contact us about anything:

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