

Numeracy and Mathematics

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

- Subtraction to 100/1000.
- Multiplication Tables up to 10.
- Division up to 10.
- Pupils are focussing on 'measure' as their maths topic.

We are using number talks and active strategies to support pupils' learning: Numicon, ICT, manipulatives, number lines and number squares.

Health and Wellbeing

During Term 2 we will:

- Use emotion works check-ins daily to express how we are feeling.
- Use Mindset Mantras: "My brain is like a muscle that grows" (Oct), "I am a valued member of this learning community" (Nov) and "We love a challenge!" (Dec).
- Continue with the "Healthy Schools" programme.
- Focus on topics of firework safety, anti-bullying, and practical mindset.
- P.E – Indoor P.E will take place on a Wednesday (learning focus on badminton). Outdoor P.E will take place on a Thursday (learning focus on Tennis).
- Rights of The Month: **Article 19** "Children are properly cared for and protected from violence, abuse and neglect", **Article 12** "Children have the right to say what they think should happen when adults are making decisions that affect them and to have their opinions taken into account" and **Article 15** "Children have the right to meet with other children and young people and to join groups and organisations, as long as this does not stop other people from enjoying their rights."

Suggested Homework Guide

Monday	- Homework jotter (1 spelling activity on phoneme words). -Reading book.
Tuesday	- Numeracy (Provided by teacher in homework diary or use of 'Sumdog' website). - Reading book.
Wednesday	- Homework jotter (1 spelling activity on common words) - Reading book.
Thursday	- Reading book.
Friday	- Homework handed in by Fridays please.

Room 4 - Primary 3/4

Mrs Morin

October - December 2021



Mrs Morin loves reading, walking and spending time with her family and friends.

Expressive Arts

Our Primary 3 Pupils will be developing their singing, dancing, and drama skills in our ROMPS Nativity Play. Our Primary 3 and Primary 4 pupils will be developing their arts and craft skills which will be incorporated into their Social Studies Topics on 'Climate Change' and 'Our Environment'.

Literacy, English and Modern Languages

- Phonemes and spelling - these will be developed through using a variety of active spelling strategies.
- Reading - the pupils will continue the reading programme in accordance with their book band using Oxford Reading Tree. Some pupils will be issued novels for home reading.
- Writing - the pupils will be creating descriptive and imaginative pieces.
- Handwriting - pupils will work on joining their phonemes daily.

Class Novels

This term we are reading 'The Sheep Pig' by Dick King-Smith and 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe' by CS Lewis. We will be discussing use of vocabulary, inference, predictions, explaining, retrieval, and summarising. This is taking place individually, in groups and as a class.

French

French will be incorporated throughout the curriculum each day. We will learn vocabulary for items of food/drink and classroom items/instructions. This will be in addition to revising the French vocabulary from Term 1.

Social Studies

This term, our focus will be on Climate Change and Our Environment. There will be particular focus on COP 26, recycling, and the effects of pollution on our planet. Pupils will learn what changes they can make as an individual, as a school and as a wider community to help reduce our carbon footprint.