Primary 5 Intended Learning Plan - Term 2



What will we be learning this term?

Language - Reading, Writing, Listening and Talking

In Literacy this term we will be focusing on using personal writing targets to create poems and explanations about natural disasters.

P5 will continue to focus on weekly spelling patterns using different strategies to support spelling words correctly and introduce the concept of prefix and suffix.

In reading we will continue to use comprehension boxes to improve understanding of a text and begin to use Reading Circle activities during reading groups to test our knowledge and understanding.

In grammar we will be learning how to apply commas, paragraphs and speech marks.



Mathematics

In Maths & Numeracy this term, the focus will be on position and movement, money and angles.

We will continue working on our mental maths and fluency in our times tables, using different strategies to help understanding.

We have begun using textbooks for more formal, independent maths work. This skill will also help us to select key information and support understanding of mathematical vocabulary.



Health & Well-being

In Health and Well-being, we will be learning about friendships and positive relationships. We will also be learning about equality and growth mindset.

Anti-bullying week will start on Monday 14th November which we will focus on.

In P.E, pupils will work with our PE specialist, Mr Devine. Their focus will be on improving fitness and stamina.



Sciences

P5 will continue studying substances that make up the Earth's surface this term. This will link with our natural disasters topic.

We will also be exploring transportation.



Social Studies

In social studies we will continue to learn about natural disasters that occur around the world. This will include Hurricanes, Earthquakes and Tsunamis.

We will discuss the small changes we could make in our day-to-day lives to help improve the environmental impact causing these types of natural disasters. This topic will coincide with our science subject; substances that make up the earth's surface.



Expressive Arts

In Music, Primary 5 will be learning about the relationship between different notes and how they are written down in music. The class will create and play their own melodies on tuned percussion instruments as well as using Chrome Music Lab.

In Art we will be creating our own pop art, natural disaster word art and other pieces of artwork throughout the term. We will be taking part in the Christmas Clan event, creating lots of festive crafts!



Ethos and Wider Life of the School

Our Pupil Council reps, Arav and Samskrita have been attending pupil council meetings with Miss MacPherson to discuss ideas that our class have presented. Our equalities reps, Vedharsh and Haasini have been working with Miss Curran and learning about black history month and have shared a story with P1 and P2. P5 have been wonderful in their swimming block and have made huge improvements since starting in August!

Planned opportunities for wider achievement

- Pupils of the Week
- Master Classes
- Equalities representatives
- Pupil Council Representatives

Dates for your diary and reminders

- W/C Monday 13th November Scottish book week
- W/C Monday 20th November Anti-Bullying week
- W/C Monday 27th November Road Safety Week
- Thursday 7th December Christmas clan day
- Friday 8th December Whole school cinema trip
- Monday 18th December P5 Christmas party
- Friday 22nd December School closes Pupils return Tuesday 9th January

Additional Information

- P5 will have PE with Mr Devine on a **Wednesday** morning and a **Friday** morning. Pupils should come to school wearing their school uniform and bring P.E kit with them. P.E. kit includes: **joggers/leggings, T-shirt, school sweatshirt/hoody and trainers**. P.E. will mostly take place outdoors, so it is important your child brings a waterproof jacket with them, in the event of rain.
- P5 will have Reading Records to bring to and from home with their reading books. If you read with your child, please leave a comment about their progress.
- Homework will be given on a Monday and must be returned by a Friday. Each week, spelling and reading tasks
 will be set. Some HWB/maths/Social Studies may also be set as an additional task throughout the term.
- Finally, please can your child bring in a healthy snack and water bottle to school each day.





