



Welcome back everybody after the holidays. It was lovely to meet my class again. The children are settling into new routines and getting used to different ways of working as they have now progressed to P2. If you have any queries please get in touch.

### **Timetable**

This term is as follows

Monday Library, ICT

Tuesday PE (gym kit needed, micro pore tape for children with pierced ears)

Wednesday Music

Thursday Art (apron or old shirt needed) Drama (gym shoes needed)

Friday PE, Assembly, Golden time

### **Homework**

Pupils will receive homework on a Monday. This may cover a variety of subjects but initially the main focus will be on Literacy and Numeracy. Homework tasks need to be completed and returned to school by Friday. Reading will be sent home after all the reading tasks have been completed in class.

### **Language, Mathematics and Health and Well-Being**

This term the children will continue to work on Active Literacy stage 2 which is a programme of study being undertaken by the schools in Aberdeenshire. This continues to develop their skills and knowledge. In Maths they will continue to use the Heinemann Active maths

scheme to develop their understanding of number processes and their concept of time.

In Health and Well – Being the children will be working on a class charter linked to the UNICEF rights for every child as well as working towards creating a new school charter. The children will also have the opportunity to explore and understand how diet and exercise lead to a healthier lifestyle. We have made a great start this week with a visit from the climbing wall.

### **Science, Technology and Social Subjects**

These subjects will be covered during our topic work on Dinosaurs. The children have been actively involved in the initial planning of the project and are looking forward to discovering more. They may be asking for help with some tasks they will be set for homework.

### **Expressive Arts and RME**

In Art this term the pupils will be selecting their ideas from the theme and developing their skills in a variety of different ways. We are fortunate in having specialist teachers this term to deliver Art, Drama and Music. In RME the pupils will be developing their understanding of Christianity and some of the seasonal celebrations that are celebrated in the Christian calendar.

### **Golden Time**

This is awarded to children who have worked hard and behaved very well all week. It takes place on a Friday afternoon. This term the children will be undertaking golden time in their classroom with their friends using the toys and games that have been provided by the Parent Council.



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## P 2 Newsletter

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