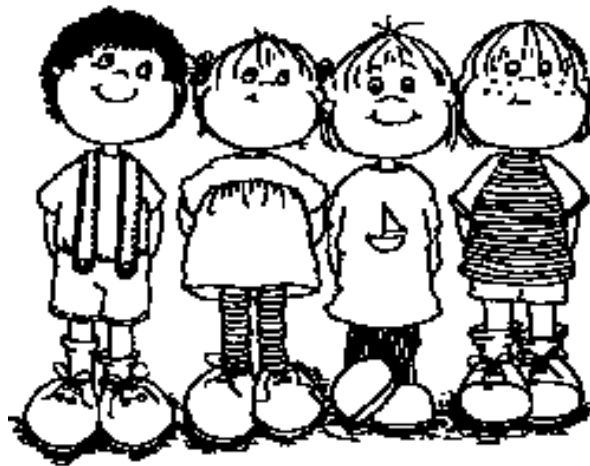




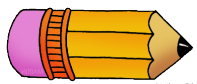
# *Connecting with Parents*



Primary 3

May / June

## Classwork



This leaflet outlines what we will be covering in May/June in Numeracy and Literacy and through the theme of **Living Things** so that home learning can be organised to support your child if you wish.

**Please Note:** - *Not all aspects of each subject are included in this document and all children work at different levels of ability.*

### Numeracy

**Number** - add and subtract mentally to 20; recall components of numbers to 20; add a 2 digit number to another 2 digit number using a 100 square; use a 100 square to develop personal methods for adding/subtracting any two digit number and record horizontally

**Data Handling** - organise and discuss the recording of data in mapping diagrams

**Shape & Space** - explore right angles; introduce the concept of area

**Measure**— appreciate the need for a standard unit of capacity; estimate and compare capacities in litres; understand the relationship between units of time



### Literacy

**Reading**- recognise high frequency words in context; recognise questions and question marks within text; identify describing words; identify exclamation marks within text



**Writing** - write their own summer poem; complete a write up of how to plant seed and look after them; story writing based around their Big Book of Voyage Into Space

**Sounds**— , and words with the following sound patterns : f/ph, w/wh, n/kn, v/ve, m/mn, s/sh, air, g/gh

Children will be sent home their group reading book, an extra reading book and a class library book and we encourage you to read with your child when possible.

## World Around Us

As our topic is **Living Things** we will look at the following areas:

Labelling parts of a plant, recognising the leaves and seeds of common trees, discuss wood and its uses, discuss paper and its uses, study tree rings, explore life cycles.

## Personal Development and Mutual Understanding

PDMU this term, will involve the pupils exploring the strategies and skills for keeping themselves healthy and safe. They will recognise and value the options for a healthy lifestyle, including the benefits of exercise, rest, healthy eating and hygiene. We will learn to have respect for our bodies and those of others,. We will try to gain an understanding that medicines are given to you to make you feel better but that some drugs are dangerous. We will further explore the



similarities and difference between people and investigate constructive approaches to conflict.



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### Other Information

- Early Morning Club begins at 8am.
- Homework is completed nightly and will be collected by the class teacher the following morning.
- Please empty school bags on a daily basis.
- Dinners are £2.60. If possible please send an envelope with dinner money for the week and list the days your child requires a hot meal.
- School closed on Monday 4th May 2015 and Thursday 7th May.
- School closed from Thursday 21st May until Monday 25th May. School re-opens on Tuesday 26th May.
- School will finish on Tuesday 30th June at 12:15pm.
- School telephone number: 91814325

**Please feel free to contact Mrs Charles or Mrs McCormick  
for more advice on how to support your child at home**