



Connecting with Parents

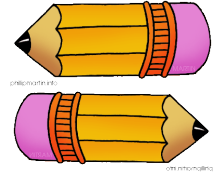


Primary 5

January / February

Classwork

In Primary Five our work is now presented in topic form to tie all areas of learning together as much as possible.



This leaflet outlines what we will be covering in January / February in Numeracy and Literacy and through the theme of 'On The Move' 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 - Continuing with multiplication/division facts to 10. Division sums, estimation, changing £ to p, money problems.

Data Handling - bar charts, pictograms, interpreting results, produce representations of data collected

Shape & Space - Angles—acute, obtuse, reflex, degrees, right angles, straight lines and extending.

Measure— The Yearly Cycle: months, days, weeks, dates and time.



Literacy

Sentence Work - dialogue, alphabetical order.

Grammar - Nouns, imperative verbs, adjectives, adverbs.

Sounds— continuing our phonics work week by week. Daily and home activities.

Shared Reading— play scripts, information texts, historical settings, role play.

Children will have access to Home Reads. They are picked independently and we encourage you to read with your child when possible.

World Around Us

Science and Technology — forces and energy, sound, winding mechanisms, bridge building, kites, musical instruments, weaving.

Geography—Weather - elements and symbols on maps, measuring elements, local weather and recording weather using a weather station.



History- Early man in Ireland (Mesolithic era), timelines, settlements and homes, bakers and farmers, burial sites, myths and legends.

Personal Development and Mutual Understanding

PDMU this term will involve the pupils looking valuing themselves and others.

U.I.C.T,

This term we will be looking at using a spreadsheet to create our own graphs.



Thinking Skills and Personal Capabilities

TSPC is a cross—curricular aspect of the primary curriculum. Through numeracy, literacy and other areas of the curriculum the pupils will more confident in social and interpersonal situations. This term will focus on being creative. Pupils will use their imagination, listen and share ideas and experiences. They will take part in activities, experience the unexpected, unusual and surprising.

Other Information

- Early Morning Club begins at 8am.
- All homework must be checked and signed.
- Dinners are £2.60.
- Please ensure you return all forms which require a signature promptly.
 - Parent/Teacher afternoon interviews will be held on Monday 5th and Tuesday 6th February
 - School will finish on Friday 9th February at 12:15pm.
 - School re-opens on Monday 19th February.
 - P5 trip to W5 on Tuesday 20th February
- School telephone number: 91814325



Please feel free to contact Mrs Ward or Mr Adams for more advice on how to support your child at home