

primary



Welcome to Primary 4 with Mrs Cosgrove, Miss Gordon/Mrs MacDonald and Mrs Pratt. It has been an exciting start to Primary 4. We hope that you all had a good Summer. We are delighted to welcome the children back and have noticed how much they have grown over the holidays!

Specialist Teachers

This term the class will have specialist the following teachers:

Spanish: Mrs Poves De-La-

Rosa

Art: Miss Welsh Music: Mrs McInRou

Literacy and English

To begin our literacy journey in Primary 4 we

are focusing on our

Novel Study - The Lion The Witch and the Wardrobe.

We are working on varied activities linked to

this, such as reading

Children will have PE on:

Mandays and Thursdays

For PE please ensure your child has...

a t-shirt

shorts

suitable shoes

All clothes should be labelled and in a labelled bag if possible.

Numeracy and Maths

Our main focus across Primary 4 will be fractions of shapes and quantities. We will continue to cover all aspects of numeracy using numicon and active learning. We will be taking part in problem solving activities across the year stage during our Woodburn Maths week (beginning 30th September).

Our Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL) Topics

We will be learning about The Water Cycle, Weather and Solids, Liquids and

The children will be given a home learning grid with activities linked to these topics



comprehension, ambitious vocabulary and scene setting. We are focusing on Portal stories within our Talk for Writing. We are also continuing to work on Spelling and Grammar

progressions and continuing to develop our cursive writing

skills.

Dates for your Diary Parental Consultation will be held on Tuesday 24th September and Wednesday 25th

September.

Rights Respecting School

As part of our 'Journey To Gold' the children will be bringing home parental questionnaires linked to Children's Rights. We would appreciate these being completed and returned to school.

Eco - Committee

As part of our green flag journey we have decided to offer a free uniform swap service. If you have any uniform or PE clothes which your child has outgrown or no longer needs, hand these (washed please), in to your class teacher by Friday 20th September. There will then be stalls (our Eco Boutique) at parental consultations where you can help yourself to anything which will be of use.

Class Charters

We have all been creating our class charters and displaying these in our classrooms. Please read this over with your child.

We have the right to good health -

with exercise, a healthy balanced diet and fresh drinking water available to us throughout the day. Article 24

We have the right to relax, play and take part in a wide variety of creative activities. Article 31

We have the right to a good education which will encourage us to challenge ourselves. Article 28

We have the right to have a say in matters which affect us and to have our views taken seriously. Article 12

> We have the right to get information that is important to our well-being. Article 17