

P3/4/5 NEWSLETTER

TERM 1 – SEPTEMBER 2024

LITERACY & NUMERACY

Literacy – we will all be continuing our *reading*, using Big cat books and also some novels and of course we'll be doing ERIC every day! We will do comprehension work to show our understanding. For *writing* we will be concentrating on instruction and imaginative writing. To build our *talking & listening* skills we will be sharing our stories. we will be using VCOP to help us with all aspects of Literacy.

Numeracy – we will start this term working on *number processes* using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will practise our times tables and use active games to help us. Later in the term we will use *information handling, money and measure* as part of our Social Studies topic.

SOCIAL STUDIES

PLANNING & RUNNING A BUSINESS

Our Social studies topic this term is quite exciting! We are all looking forward to planning our business. We have lots of ideas on what we would like to sell (but we're not telling you yet!). As a class we have decided we would like to give our profits to charity. We have still to decide which one(s).

HEALTH & WELLBEING (HWB)

As always we will be running on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. We will also have PE on those days. We will be walking, learning new ball skills, cycling, dancing, playing tennis and lots more! We will also be discussing our feelings and emotions and working together as a happy, hardworking, calm and confident class.

OTHER CURRICULAR AREAS

- Science – germs & genetics
- Art – drawing people, faces and still life
- Music – percussion with Mr Barclay
- RME – Christian Weddings & Harvest

OTHER INFORMATION

Class Teachers:

Mon, Tues, Wed (am) – Mrs MacDonald

Wed (pm) – Mrs Garden

Thurs, Fri – Miss D'Arcy

Mugdock – every 3rd Tuesday for full morning

Birthdays – each pupil will receive a book and a class card on their birthday