

P4/5 TERM 1 2025



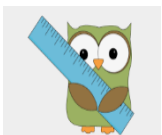
Numeracy and Maths

In Term 1, we will be revising and expanding our knowledge of place value, we will be working with numbers up to 1000 and working on rounding and estimation within this. We will then be working on addition and subtraction.

We will be working on our 2D shape identification and creating shapes physically and on the iPads. We will also look at lines of symmetry. We will also be looking at coordinates.

We will work on our skip counting weekly and working on our multiplication also, aiming to practice both everyday as a warmup to our lessons.

We are using money within our class economy, exchanging and totalling our tables total income each week.



You can support this at home by:

- Please see Showbie for the weekly home learning sheet.
- Counting forwards and backwards and practicing multiplication.
- Pointing out shapes in everyday life and asking your child to identify them.
- Discussing amounts and money when going to the shops.
- Topmarks has some great place value, adding and subtracting games.
 - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/place-value/place-value-charts>
 - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10>

We look forward to seeing your home learning on Showbie.

If you need a paper copy, please contact the school office.



Literacy

This term in **Literacy** we will be:

- Report writing
- Reading strategies
- Spelling words
- Grammar and tools for writing
- Listening and talking activities

You can support this at home by:

- Please see Showbie for the weekly home learning sheet
- Working on weekly spellings on Showbie - practice spellings in preparation for Friday spelling tests to check progress.
- Reading for pleasure at home, utilising our reading strategies and discussing what takes place in their books.

Other Curricular Areas

In IDL, we are going to be exploring Fairtrade Focusing upon Fairtrade tea, which is the focus of this year's fairtrade fortnight. This will include researching Fairtrade tea, the journeys of different fairtrade foods, and comparing fairtrade foods and non-fairtrade foods.

After Fairtrade we are going to take a closer look at how people in other countries live in comparison to people in Scotland.

In science with Miss Lovick we will be looking at animal and plant classification and will be carrying out experiments with growing plants.

Health and Wellbeing

P4/5 have PE on a Thursday (outdoor with Mrs Lovick) and a Friday (Indoor with Miss Mehaffy)

In P.E. we will be focusing on Netball for indoor PE and team games for outside PE. We will be working in teams and encouraging our friends through our activities.

Please ensure your child has their full P.E. kit, including footwear, on these days. Some of the sessions will be on the pitch. **All jewellery must be removed for PE lessons. Staff are not allowed to remove earrings so if your child cannot take these out then please take them out before coming to school.**

We use our daily emotions check-in to express our feelings throughout the day. We will continue to explore these through two **PATHS** lessons each week.



- Please ensure that your child's name is on all their property.
- Dress sensibly for outdoor learning as we will be going outside in almost all conditions.
- Check Showbie for weekly information and your child's work.
- Follow us on X @RiverbankPri