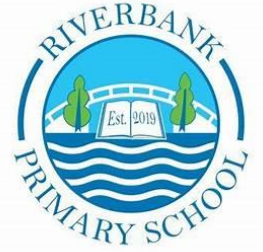


P 5B TERM 1 2024 OVERVIEW



Numeracy and Maths

In Term 1, we will continue to work on the building blocks of number and to ensure we are confident in place value strategies.

We will also be focussing on shape, angles and information handling. Some key phrases we will be using are:

- properties
- acute, right and obtuse angle
- net (3D shape)
- data



You can support this at home by:

- Accessing Sumdog through the app or online using the QR code. Your child had a login from their teacher and there are many activities appropriate to your child's level.
- Practise times tables up to 12 daily to increase speed of recall.
- Give children a 'number of the day'. See additional number of the day sheet uploaded on Showbie.
- Encourage your child to visit Topmarks Daily 10 to practise the 4 operations of number.



Number Strategies

Partition

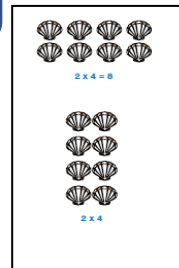
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Bridging

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Repeated Addition and Arrays

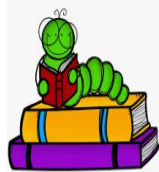
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Literacy

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

- Recount/Report writing
- Reading strategies to find information.
- Reading for enjoyment
- Grammar and tools for writing
- Partner and group discussions



You can support this at home by:

- Reading daily. Newspaper, magazine, comic, fiction or non-fiction book.
- Encouraging creative writing at home. Ask your child to try to use interesting and ambitious vocabulary, adjectives and adverbs.
- Practise talking and listening skills. You could time each other to see who can talk the longest about a subject.
- Ask your child questions about the books they are reading.

Other Curricular Areas

In IDL, we are going to be exploring Fairtrade. Primary 5 are responsible for organising Fairtrade Fortnight activities across the school. We will be learning about Fairtrade through a range of curricular area such as Technology, Health and Wellbeing and Expressive Arts.

We have started to utilise our shared open area where we are encouraged to participate in a variety of play based learning experiences. These are set up in zoned areas - Literacy table, Numeracy tuff tray, Creative area and STEM area. Our current theme is Music - lots of children have been enjoying performing on our makeshift stage!

Every Monday afternoon we learn French with Ms Jarrett. We are revising key greetings and phrases!

Health and Wellbeing

P5b have **PE** on a **Thursday** and a **Friday**.

In P.E. we will be focussing on core skills and basketball.

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. Our **PATHS** lessons this term will focus on...



- 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