

P5 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 to 1000 and beyond 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 investigate lines of symmetry. We will also be learning about coordinates.

We will work on our skip counting weekly, beginning with counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s and working on our multiplication also. We aim to practise both everyday as a warm up to our lessons.

You can support this at home by:

- Please see Showbie for the weekly home learning sheet.
- Counting forwards and backwards and practising multiplication.
- Pointing out shapes in everyday life and asking your child to identify them.
- Topmarks has some great place value, adding and subtracting games. https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/place-value



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 be will be carrying out experiments with growing plants.

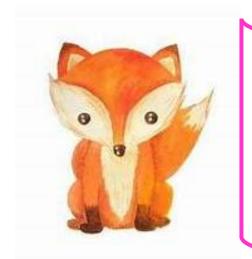
Health and Wellbeing

P4/5 have PE on a Wednesday and a Friday (Outdoor)

In P.E. we will be focusing on Netball and passing skills. 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