



P1B TERM3 2025



Numeracy and Maths

In Term 3, we will continue to work on our addition and subtraction strategies within 20. We will be using concrete materials to support our learning - counters, cubes, tens frames and number lines.

We will begin to explore skip counting by 2s and 5s and investigate the meaning of sharing quantities equally.

We are going to be learning about money. We will be identifying coins, placing coins in order of value and using money in a play context.



You can support this at home by:

- Please see Showbie for the weekly home learning sheet.
- Counting forwards and backwards
- Discussing amounts and money when going to the shops
- Topmarks has some great adding, subtracting and money games (My favourite is Coins Game with Mr Pig).

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:

- Using our knowledge of sounds to read and spell words
- Creating and writing our own short sentences
- Continuing to use our tools for writing skills across our learning
- Non-fiction texts



You can support this at home by:

- Please see Showbie for the weekly home learning sheet
- Reading book on Showbie - talk about the illustrations, play eye spy with the words, discuss what might happen next, can you think of a different ending, characters and setting
- Creating sentences verbally and writing using cvc words eg. I can see a bat. The dog is on the mat. Common words are on Showbie to support this.
- Continue to work on writing your **name**.

Other Curricular Areas

In IDL, we are going to be exploring Scotland and the stories of Katie Morag. This will include researching Scottish island life and comparing it with our lives in Glasgow. We will be looking at where Katie Morag lives on the Isle of Struay and creating our own maps. We will be discussing the characters and wondering whether we would like to live on a remote island or not.

After Katie Morag, we are going to take a closer look at our home area of Dalmarnock. We have already discussed that the transportation is very different here and that sadly we don't have many sheep around in our gardens...

In the open area, we have set up a Shop and Post Office, just like the one in Katie Morag. We will be developing cross curricular skills by handling money, writing receipts/shopping lists, turn taking and organising the shelves and post.

We will continue to go to the Community Garden every Friday afternoon. We have puddle suits for everyone, but we would ask that suitable footwear is brought in or worn on a Friday. Thank you!

Health and Wellbeing

P1b have **PE** on a **Monday (outdoor with Miss Gamble)** and a **Wednesday (indoor with Mrs Jarett)**

In P.E. we will be focusing on Scottish Country Dancing and developing our core 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.

We will be recognising that we have similarities and differences but are all unique and learning the correct names for different parts of the body.

- 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

