



Welcome to P4L

The children have settled well into P4 and are enjoying getting back into routines and looking forward to the exciting things planned this year.

Literacy

The children are working to improve their skills when reading aloud, including reading fluently and with expression. They are also working to improve their understanding of stories through different written activities. In writing, children are using their understanding of the structure of stories to develop their personal writing. The children will also be undertaking a personal talk to enhance their listening and talking skills.

Numeracy/Maths

We will begin with place value; building, ordering and sequencing numbers and identifying the value of digits, e.g. thousands, hundreds, tens and ones. We will also look at adding/subtracting 100s/10s/1s to larger numbers. The children will progress to further develop addition and subtraction strategies. In Maths we will be working on time in analogue and digital form and trying to use this within our daily routines.

Learning in other areas of the curriculum

Our topic learning will focus on climate zones and natural habitats. The children will develop knowledge and understanding of identifying and classifying living things into different categories. We will also explore different climate zones and land features in comparison to Scotland and investigate their effect on living things. Later this term, the children will focus on The Human Body within our Science learning, investigating bones, organs and simple body systems. The children will work with our new specialist, Mrs McKendrick, in P.E. They will also work with Ms Aird for Drama and our new dance specialist, Mrs Smith.

Health & Wellbeing

The children will revisit road safety guidance during Road Safety Week to encourage them to think about their personal safety when out and about. They will also be developing strategies for dealing with problems amongst their peers through Cool in School.

Other Information

- Please ensure that your child has indoor shoes to be kept in school which are suitable for P.E lessons.
- Full P.E kit should be brought to school on Tuesday and Thursday.
- Library - Wednesday. If your child wishes to change their book.

Thank you for your continuing support.
Miss Lamb