

Dates for the Diary

May Day Holiday—Monday 6th and Tuesday 7th May
(inset)

Elections/school closed to pupils—Thursday 23rd May

May Weekend— Friday 24th and Monday 27th May

Summer Holiday— school closes 1pm Friday 28th June

Parents' Night—Wednesday 15th May

Sports Day—Thursday 9th May

Further Information

P.E. days These will be on Tuesday and Thursday. **Please ensure that your child has suitable P.E kit on these days.**

Please also ensure that your child attends each day wearing the required school uniform, **including indoor shoes.**

Homework

This will be given out weekly to be handed in on a Friday. We encourage carers to participate with and support children in completing this.

Activities and Trips

Please encourage your child to read at home, as this will support their learning. If you have computer access, sites such as 'Topmarks' and 'Sumdog' can help support your child with maths.



Curricular Information

Term 4 April to June 2019

Teacher Miss Blackwall

Class ___ P5/4 ___

Literacy P5/4 continue to take part in reading groups as well as whole class reading. The children will continue to focus on the basic tools of writing; punctuation, grammar, spelling and vocabulary. They will cover different genres this term as well as writing tasks related to their topic. Talking and listening is embedded in the things we do in class every day.



Numeracy

Throughout the year pupils will be developing a range of mental maths strategies focusing on the four basic operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. As well as these, they will continue to revise and explore the areas we have covered over the year, eg. Measure, Shape, Money etc. to embed their understanding.



Sciences, Social Studies and Technologies

Through our topic 'Medieval Scotland' the class will have opportunities to cover these areas of the curriculum. The class will be given materials to solve a design challenge and will complete some practical experiments. They will be looking in particular at the Social History of Medieval Scotland and comparing our present lives to those of people from that time.



Health and Wellbeing

Through the PATHS programme this term the class will be recognising and exploring the basic emotions to improve self-control, self-awareness and anger management.

Our focus this term is badminton, however the class will also be receiving lessons from 'Bikeability' to improve their cycling skills.



Religious and Moral Education

The class will be exploring moral tales from around the world.



Expressive Arts including:

Drama - We will be using role play as part of our PATHS lessons.

Music - The class will be receiving music lessons from a specialist music teacher.

Art - This term we will be creating pieces of art using varied materials and mixed media to link with our topic.

