

Further Information:

Dates for the Diary

February 4th-Family Ceilidh

February Mid-term break

Friday 7th February (in-service) to Wednesday 12th February (in-service)

Spring Holiday

Monday 6th April to Friday 17th April (inclusive)

Please make sure that all items of clothing are labelled. Children should keep a pair of **indoor shoes** in the school cloakroom to change into at the start of school and after playtime and lunchtime. If your child's shoes have laces please ensure that they can be easily tied.

P.E. days

Tuesday and Thursday

Home Learning

P2 spelling Home Learning should be completed by Friday. Please listen to your child reading their book and ask them some questions about the story.

P1 will continue to receive 2 new sounds a week. Please go over these sounds, emphasising on correct letter formation, using some ideas from the 'Home Learning Grid.' New reading books will be issued every week; please read these with your child and practise common word flashcards. **Please return Home Learning 'School Bag' every day.**



Curricular Information

Term 3 January—March 2020

Teacher: Ms S. Wilson

Class: P2/1

Literacy



P1 are making great progress with initial sounds—they have nearly finished and will soon be moving onto diagraphs, a sound with 2 letters. P2 are also working hard with their sounds, and are becoming increasingly independent during writing time. Both groups are also enjoying their brand new reading books.

Numeracy



P1 are learning all about numbers to 20, and having enjoyed learning about addition to 10, will soon be starting subtraction from 10. P2 are working hard to focus on mental strategies to help with their addition and subtraction to even bigger numbers. Both groups should continue to practise number formation as much as possible as part of home learning.

Sciences, Social Studies and Technologies

P2/1 will be learning all about Minibeasts. Pupils are enjoying hunting for minibeasts in our school grounds and recording their findings. They are using this information to compare and contrast different insects—P2/1 have already learned a lot of interesting new facts!



Health and Wellbeing

P2/1 continue with their PATHS learning, focussing on Circle Time and respecting one another.

P.E.

Gym days will be on a Tuesday and Thursday. Please remove all jewellery on these days.



Religious and Moral Education

P2/1 will be thinking about showing respect to others and treating them as they would like to be treated. As we move in to Spring the class will be learning about Easter celebrations.

As a member of a multicultural school and city as a whole, pupils will be encouraged to develop a respect and understanding of world religions and their traditions and beliefs.



Expressive Arts including:

Drama: Roleplay and movement

Music: Singing and listening to different instruments

Art: Minibeast collages and seasonal artwork

