

Further Information

Dates for the Diary

Inservice Day

Friday 29th November

Christmas and New Year Holidays

School closes at 2.30pm on Thursday 19th December

School returns on Monday 6th January

Nativity Performances

Thursday 12th December (PM)

Friday 13th December (AM)

P.E. days

Wednesday and Thursday

This will change to Monday and Thursday on the 25.11.19

Please ensure children have suitable gym shoes, shorts or leggings and a t-shirt which are clearly labelled with their name. No jewellery should be worn on P.E. days.

Indoor Shoes

All children must bring a pair of indoor shoes which can be worn **everyday**. These can be the same shoes they wear for PE. This is essential to help keep our school clean! As with all belongings brought to school please make sure these are clearly labelled with your child's name.



Curricular Information

**Term 2 October to December
2019**

Teacher: Miss Lewis

Class: Primary 4/3

Literacy



Primary 4/3 will continue to learn new phonics and spelling rules each week this term and work hard to use these sounds to read and spell new words.

The class will also be exploring some non-fiction texts this term and learn about some of the key features of this kind of writing. They will learn to use the contents page, headings and key words to find information quickly. P4/3 will also have a go at writing our own non-fiction texts as they learn to write information reports.

Numeracy

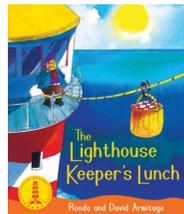


Primary 4/3 will be continuing to develop their understanding of time tables. They will start to link this understanding to division questions. Moving onto solving problems involving timings and dividing.

P4/3 will also be exploring 2D and 3D shapes and discussing their properties.

Sciences, Social Studies and Technologies

The class topic this term will centre around the story book 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch'. In this story the lighthouse keeper uses a pulley system to get his lunch over to the lighthouse everyday but some pesky seagulls keep stealing it! In class pupils will take part in technology activities to create their own pulleys and explore inventive ways to keep the lunch safe from the seagulls. They will also be exploring the weather and consider how it impacts on our lives, as well as the lighthouse keeper's.



Health and Wellbeing



This term P4/3 will be exploring two health and wellbeing indicators—healthy and achieving. Children will explore the impact physical activity has on their body and the importance of sleep in a healthy lifestyle. They will also be learning to recognise their own talents and skills and feel valued for their personal achievements in and out of school.

P.E.

Primary 4/3 will be continue to work on the skills for different sports. They will focus on their fitness skills and controlling a ball. This will develop into short games of hockey.

Religious and Moral Education



Primary 4/3 will be taking part in our school nativity performance and as we prepare they will be exploring the story of Christmas. They will learn about how Christmas is celebrated around the world and share their own personal experiences.

Expressive Arts including:

Music Primary 4/3 will build their confidence in music by continuing to learn about musical notation and singing in relation to our Nativity performance.

Art We will be exploring sculpture with 3D shape junk modelling in relation to our topic.

Drama The children will develop their confidence through presentation at our nativity performance.

