



CLERMISTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Term 3 P6



This term your child will be learning to:

Maths

Number, Money and Measure

- Create equivalent fractions and compare, order and simplify fractions
- Show an understanding of the relationship between common fractions, decimals and percentages
- Use money and time to solve problems in real life contexts
- Experience budgeting and saving

Problem Solving

- Develop reasoning skills, using word problems related to the above topics
- Use problem solving strategies, show working and discuss possible solutions

Expressive Arts

Music

- Learn, practise and perform songs for the school show
- Take part in body percussion and present a soundscape to peers

Dance

- Develop coordination and control by practising dance actions and sequences

Art

- Explore the visual element of texture
- Create an ocean scene using a variety of textured materials

Health and Wellbeing

Mental, Emotional, Social and Physical Well-being

- Continue to explore the SHANARRI wellbeing wheel and how this affects our mental and emotional health
- Take part in discussions relating to physical and emotional changes (see Living & Growing)

PE

- Develop an understanding of the rules and skills associated with volleyball and handball
- Further enhance decision making skills, co-ordination and respect for others during team sports

RME

- Discuss the Easter Story and what it means to Christians
- Learn about celebrations and cultural customs related to Chinese New Year

Literacy

Reading

- Develop key reading skills: clarifying, questioning, summarising and predicting
- Continue to use Bloom's Taxonomy questions to help develop comprehension skills
- Analyse and discuss the new class novel, 'Song of the Dolphin Boy' by Elizabeth Laird

Writing

- Creative writing – BBC 500 word story contest
- Develop an understanding of direct speech
- Use brackets to add more information and further up-level writing
- Include figurative language in story writing and poetry (such as similes, metaphors and alliteration)

Talking and Listening

- Continue to work co-operatively, respecting the opinions of others when in groups
- Contribute ideas and opinions during discussions in groups or in a whole class setting
- Discuss key themes presented in 'Song of the Dolphin Boy' and the impact humans have on the planet

Social Studies – Living and Growing

- Relationships – explore how positive relationships and friendships can promote health and well being
- Physical Changes – recognise and discuss the physical changes that will happen during puberty
- Reproduction – understand how human life begins and how a baby is born

Modern Languages

- Develop an understanding of physical descriptions of each other.
- Learn to tell the time in French (o'clock and half past)
- Learn to say days, months and birthdays as well as exploring German culture relating to Carnival and Easter

Technology and ICT

- Make a flow chart to represent food chains that exist in the ocean
- Create a fact file on an ocean creature using Publisher
- Use appropriate internet sources to research information based on Blue Planet Topic

Science

- Investigate the ecosystem of the ocean and the impact it has on our planet
- Explore the lifecycle of two ocean creatures
- Discuss the impact humans have on the environment and the importance of conservation

REMINDERS

Homework will be provided on a Monday and should be handed back on a Friday. P6A have P.E. on Monday and Tuesday and should wear their kit to school on Monday and bring P.E. kit on Tuesday. P6B have P.E. on Monday and Thursday and should wear P.E. kit to school on Monday and bring kit on Thursday.