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Primary 2 Term 2 Newsletter

We can't quite believe we are in term 2 already- we have really enjoyed getting to know the children and are looking forward to all the learning which will be taking place this term!

Literacy

Our reading focus this term will be non fiction. We will be looking at the features of non-fiction texts We will be using these to answer literal questions and to sort true and false information. We will also look at note taking skills too.

In Writing our focus will be non-fiction too. We will use our notes to write factual pieces such as fact files and weather reports.

Numeracy and Maths

We will be exploring numbers and number patterns. We will be working on numbers before/after and sequencing. We will also be working on quick recall of number bonds to 5, 10 and 20 through basic maths facts activities. We will take a closer look at addition strategies and look at subtraction through inverse relationships and missing numbers. For Maths we will be looking at data handling and how we can present information in different ways.

Interdisciplinary Learning

We enjoyed learning about how to keep healthy last term. We also read stories which have helped us to 'have a go' when we are learning and show us that mistakes are ok. This term, we will be learning about World Weather! We will do lots of weather experiments that help us to learn how water changes as well as measuring the weather. In addition we will look at different climate zones around the world and how animals adapt to these.

P2 will also be working with P1H and P1/2 to prepare this year's infant Nativity. More information will follow about this.

Our PE days for this term are Wednesday with Mrs Chatham and Thursday with Mrs Jones. Please ensure that children have their gym kit on these days.

We have welcomed Mr Tolmie to P2 for the last few weeks and hope he enjoys his teaching placement with us.

Dates for your diary

19.11.18	LOLs issued
06.12.18	LOLs returned
07.12.18	Christmas Fair
12.12.18	Christmas Lunch
14.12.18	Nativity
19.12.18	Christmas Cinema
20.12.18	Pantomime in school

It was lovely to chat to you all at parents' evening. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you need to and thank you for your ongoing support.

Mrs McGlade and Mrs Chatham