

# Primary 5 Newsletter 4



## Learning and Celebrating



Wow! The weeks are coming in fast and it's hard to believe we are already on our last term of P5.

### Literacy

We will continue part of this term with our Novel study before moving back into our literacy circles.

Writing will be cross curricular as we apply our tools for writing to both imaginative and functional styles. We will draw on our knowledge of setting the scene and characterisation to enhance our stories and consider layout and language as we write reports and instructions.

### Numeracy

This term we will be looking at the relationship between fractions and decimals as the children will be using their knowledge of fractions to help them understand and convert to and from decimals.

We will be working with money and budget and taking a closer look at labelling charts and analysing information.

### Topic

Our Topic this term will be Science based and called The Living World. The children will be growing seeds in different types of conditions and investigating and comparing the progress in each of these test conditions.

There will be a discussion on the effect of fertilisers and of their risks and benefits. We will also be researching the lifecycles of plants and animals and presenting our learning in different ways.

### Health and Well-being

Health week will kick off this term and we will be looking at different aspects of health. Children will be taking part in daily physical activities and we will be looking at mental health and mindfulness techniques.

We will be looking at keeping myself safe and reminding children of the various strategies to use to help this. We will be looking at safety within a local context and how feeling unsafe can affect how someone feels and acts. We will be linking this to the Rights of the Child.

Thank you for your continued help and support this year.  
Ms Gordon