Welcome back to a new session at Cornbank. I hope you had a lovely holiday? We are all looking forward to having fun learning together.

Literacy

We are beginning the session by doing a class novel study of "Twist of Gold" by Michael Morpurgo. We will continue learning French this year and we will be reading and writing as well as speaking the language.

Maths/Numeracy

In numeracy, we will regularly be working with 4 digit numbers in all 4 processes and times tables. We are beginning the year by extending our understanding of 2 and 3D shapes.

Interdisciplinary Learning.

The whole school is beginning to work on Rights Respecting Schools this session and, in addition to our novel study, set in Ireland and America in the 19^{th} century, we will begin a project on the Victorians shortly. We will compare Victorian life with life today and will research famous Victorians, education, empire and inventions.

We will use the work of 2 Victorian artists as a stimulus for our own art work.

Health and Wellbeing

P6 will have weekly input from our P.E. specialist this session and a further lesson from the class teacher.

Later this year, we will be studying the body's systems and how to keep ourselves safe and healthy.

<u>P.E -</u>Tuesday and Wednesday <u>Music Specialist</u> -Tuesday

There will be several transition visits to Penicuik High School, beginning with the "Big Afternoon" on Thursday, 15th September. Our first LOLs will be issued on the 5th September.

Thank you for your continuing support. Mrs Dorren.