



# Cornbank Primary School

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Term 1 in P6 passed by so quickly! The class are refreshed after their October holiday and have settled back into school routines. We are all looking forward to another busy term ahead!

#### Literacy

This term we will continue to develop reading skills in our reading groups, and will work together in reading on Mondays and Wednesdays.

The children are enjoying using their reading comprehension boxes and are fast progressing through its levels. We will be learning and practising new spelling words weekly through a range of activities, as well as developing our listening and talking skills through our topic. In writing, the children will be designing leaflets, reports and posters linked to our topic.

#### Numeracy

This term in Numeracy, we will be working on fractions and decimals. Work on times tables is always ongoing. We will also have a focus on solving word problems. The children will be using various mental strategies with an aim of being able to independently choose the best fitting method.

In Maths we will be telling the time on both analogue and digital displays, using 12 and 24 hour clock times.

### Interdisciplinary Learning

Our Victorian topic has now come to an end and we all enjoyed our visit to New Lanark, which was a fantastic way to consolidate all the children's hard work.

Our new topic is 'The Human Body' and Relationships. Within this topic we will learn about the different body systems including its changes as we grow. This topic will bring a lot of science and health experiences into learning and will also provide lots of opportunities for Talking and Listening activities in Circle Time.

## Health & Wellbeing

Our PE days are Monday and Wednesday.

The children have begun their Relationship Education. Following this, the children will receive a block on 'Keeping Myself Safe'.

Thanks again to all who attended the information session on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October.

6.11.18	P6 visit New Lanark
19.11.18	LOLs issued

Dates for your diary

O6.12.18 LOLs returned
O7.12.18 Christmas Fair
12.12.18 Christmas Lunch
19.12.18 Christmas Cinema

Keep checking on our school Twitter feed to see what we have been up to in P6. Thank you for your continuing support, Susie Turnbull.