



# Cornbank Primary School

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## Primary 2/3 Term 2 Newsletter

Welcome back to school for the second term of Primary 2/3! It's hard to believe that we're already into our second term! We had a very busy first term finishing off with our performance of Tattybogle which we hope you all enjoyed. We are looking forward to a busy and fun filled second term.

### Literacy

This term we will be continuing with our reading in class and at home. We will be working on our comprehension skills.

We will continue to learn a new spelling pattern each week and have a focus on common words. In grammar we will be working on alphabetical order and different types of words.

In Writing we will be learning to write reports and imagined personal responses. These will all be linked to our topic work.

### Numeracy and Maths

We are continuing to look at different methods for addition and subtraction.

We are also working on different number patterns and working on recognising and identifying trickier numbers.

In Maths we will be learning about measure as well as angle, symmetry and transformation.

### Interdisciplinary Learning

Our topic is science-based this term and is called 'The Human Body and The Senses'. The children will be learning about the major organs, the composition of our body and how it works and the controlling of germs. They will be carrying out experiments which will help them to understand how our senses work too. We would encourage children to bring in items linked to our topic.

### Health & Wellbeing

Our PE days for this term are Tuesday with Mrs Murphy and Wednesday with Mrs Jones. Please ensure that children have their gym kit on these days. This term we will have a focus on fitness and racquet sports.

We will be continuing our work looking at different methods to keep ourselves safe and taking part in regular Circle Times.

### Dates for Diaries

28.10.19	LOLs issued
31.10.19	Halloween activities
28.10.19-01.11.19	Science Week
14.11.19	LOLs returned
25.11.19	LOLs issued
06.12.19	School Christmas Fair
12.12.19	LOLs returned
11.12.19	Christmas Lunch
12.12.19	House Assembly
19.12.19	School Pantomime
20.12.19	Church Visit

We are both looking forward to continuing to work with your children. Thank you for your ongoing support.

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