



# Cornbank Primary School

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## Primary 5 - Term 3 Newsletter

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and New Year and it is so good to see everyone back, ready for Term 3! I was very impressed with all the work the class had done for our Farm to Fork topic and it's set to be another busy term!

### Literacy

The class produced wonderful reports and creative stories last term in their writing. This term we will be continuing with our work on writing and spelling patterns. The class will create texts of different genres to link to our work across the curriculum and 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'.

There will not be individual reading each week as we will be doing a class novel study of 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'. Children can choose their own book to read each week and bring it in to share with the class.

### Numeracy/Maths

We will have a focus on angles and symmetry in Term 3, with continued work on addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will be working hard to learn our basic maths facts and applying them to solving word problems. Please continue to practise these at home to build confidence.

The class have been given multiplication squares as part of their LOLs and they can use these to practise their times tables.

### Interdisciplinary Learning

Our topic for this term is Living World. There will be a focus on the lifecycles of plants and animals, and how there can be inherited and non-inherited characteristics.

P5 are also busy preparing for our assembly which will be on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January 9.15-10.30am. The class are being very creative in how they would like to share their learning with the school and their families.

### Health & Wellbeing

Our P.E days are on a Tuesday and Wednesday. Please make sure that full kit is in school as well as a water bottle each day that is filled before coming to school.

### Christmas Fair

A very big thank you for all your support at the Christmas Fair! Primary 5 raised £77.11 and the class have decided to spend it on games, and arts and craft kits.

### Other Information

13.1.20	LOLs issued
17.1.20	Pupil Voice 4
20.01.20	Scots Week
30.1.20	LOLs returned
31.1.20	P5 Assembly
10.2.19	Start of Mid Term break
17.2.19	Return to school
02.03.20	Fairtrade Week

We will keep you posted on what we get up to on Twitter and, as always, please do not hesitate to contact me if needed.

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