

Cornbank Primary School Where evenues 1

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Welcome back! I hope you all had a lovely, restful Easter break and managed to enjoy the sunshine. Although we have only been back for a short time Primary 6 have settled well and back into routine.

We have an exciting final term ahead for Primary 6.

Literacy

Last term Primary 6 produced some excellent persuasive balanced arguments. We debated whether the school holidays should be cancelled and if technology is really that good for us. This term we will focus on writing instructions and then producing leaflets linked to our rainforest topic.

We continue to practise our spelling weekly and investigate texts through reading comprehension activities. Weekly reading is sent home on Tuesdays and returned for the following Tuesday. Children have time to read for enjoyment in class. There is a good selection of books in our school library, however some children have requested that they bring a book in from home. Please ensure this book is appropriate for school and can be left in classroom trays until completed.

Dates for the Diary

03.05.21 Holiday 05.05.21-07.05.21 Camp activities week 13.05.21 LOL returned 13.05.21, 20.05.21 & 27.05.21 Drumming afternoon sessions 24.05.21 Holiday for pupils 25.05.21 LOL issued 10.06.21 LOL returned 18.06.21 House day 25.06.21 Last day of term

Numeracy and Maths

We have been revising our division and multiplication strategies learned during home learning. We are now focusing on fractions. In maths, we have begun to investigate methods to handle and represent data. We have enjoyed the return of our maths basic facts games, and practise these skills weekly.

Health & Wellbeing

In Physical Education we continue our focus on athletics. Please ensure your child comes to school with a freshly filled water bottle daily, especially with the warmer weather hopefully on its way.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Our IDL topic this term is the Rainforest. We have begun this topic and have identified where in the world the rainforests are located. We will link this topic with the curriculum area of art, and learn about the visual elements.

As always, if you have any queries or concerns, please get in touch. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Miss Johnstone