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Primary 5 Term 2 Newsletter

Welcome back to term two! We hope you all had an enjoyable October break. We had a fantastic first term with Primary 5 and look forward to the term ahead. The children have been enthusiastic and responsible and really impressed us. If you haven't already, please have a look at our i-movie on Google Classroom for a summary of our learning about Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

Literacy

In Writing we will be looking at functional writing, including letters, reports and posters and the key skills relating to layout, language and the use of headings and sub headings. We will be focussing on Grammar, Punctuation and the use of interesting words. Your child should now be bringing home reading homework. They will have a short piece of reading for home Mon-Wed then a longer piece Wed-Mon. They will follow up their reading in class with understanding and analysing activities.

Numeracy and Maths

This term we will be using our prior knowledge of division/multiplication to help as we re-visit and extend our knowledge of fractions. We will also revisit whole numbers and number structures.

The children made good progress with time and we will now be going on to look at measure this term. Please continue to practise telling the time at home if you have time, to build confidence

Interdisciplinary Learning

This term our topic is Food and Health. We will be looking at the range of foods which we eat and what a healthy plate looks like. We will consider what our bodies need to move and grow and how our diets can change from birth to old age. We will take a closer look at vitamins and what they do for our bodies. We will be learning through art, technology, numeracy, literacy and health and wellbeing

Health & Wellbeing

This term we will be looking at zones of regulation and how this will help us to recognise and manage how we are feeling.

We will be adding a 'Jam Board' onto Google Classroom in the next few weeks for your child's achievements. Please feel free to post anything on here to share with us!

Home Learning & Dates for Diaries

02.11.20 - LOLs issued
13.11.20 - Children in Need
19.11.20 - LOLs due in
30.11.20 - LOLs issued
04.12.20 - Pupil Voice Groups
11.12.20 - Houses Morning
17.12.20 - LOLs due in
22.12.20 - Last day of term
06.01.21 - All resume

Thank you for your continued support, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Ms Gordon and Mrs McGlade