



Cornbank Primary School

where everyone works together to inspire learners
to be their best now and in the future

Primary 1/2 Term 2 Newsletter

Welcome back to school! It has been so lovely to see all our learners back after the festive break. We have all settled back in well and are working hard. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.

Literacy

We are continuing to practise our sounds, which are helping us to blend and build new words.

We are continuing to enjoy reading Biff, Chip and Kipper stories and are getting very good at recognising words we know in the stories.

In Writing, we are focusing on factual writing. We will be learning about animals that live in the Polar Lands and writing information about them.

We are continuing to work on our pencil control, scissor skills and handwriting. .

Numeracy and Maths

We are continuing to enjoy exploring numbers and are enjoying completing number activities. We love doing our daily tasks where we are challenged in the different areas of Numeracy that we are each working in.

For Maths we will be learning all about position, movement and symmetry this term. We will be learning lots of vocabulary to go with this topic.

Interdisciplinary Learning

This term our topic will be focused around the Polar Lands. We will be learning all about the different animals that live in the Polar Lands and will learn some new information about each one. We will be writing about them and completing lots of fabulous art work too.

Later this term we will move on to learning about Spring and the life cycles of different animals.

We will also explore a little bit around Scotland and Robert Burns.

Health & Wellbeing

Our P.E. day this term will continue to be on a Monday. Our P1s will also have PE on a Thursday. Children are welcome to come to school in PE clothes on these days.

We continue to do lots of learning through play this term, developing our awareness of self and others.

We continue to revisit our school values, visions and aims and the Cornbank Toolkit.

Please send your child to school with a drink and snack each day.

Our P.E. day will be on **Monday and Thursday (for P1s only)**. On these days children are welcome to come to school dressed in outdoor P.E. kit, warm clothing and trainers.

Please continue to check our school Twitter page - **@CornbankPS** for pictures and regular updates.

Thank you for all the support so far this year. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to get in touch with me.

Miss Taylor