

Welcome to our Curriculum Evening



31st August 2023



Meet the Team

P4J - Miss Johnstone

P4TG - Mrs Turnbull & Ms Gordon

Planning Time - Mrs Deas



Meet the Team

Our Learning Assistants this year are:

Mrs Martin and Mr McIntosh

Your child could be working with any one of us this session.



Class Photo



Class Photo



Session Dates 2023/24

MIDLOTHIAN COUNCIL
2023 - 2024 School Calendar

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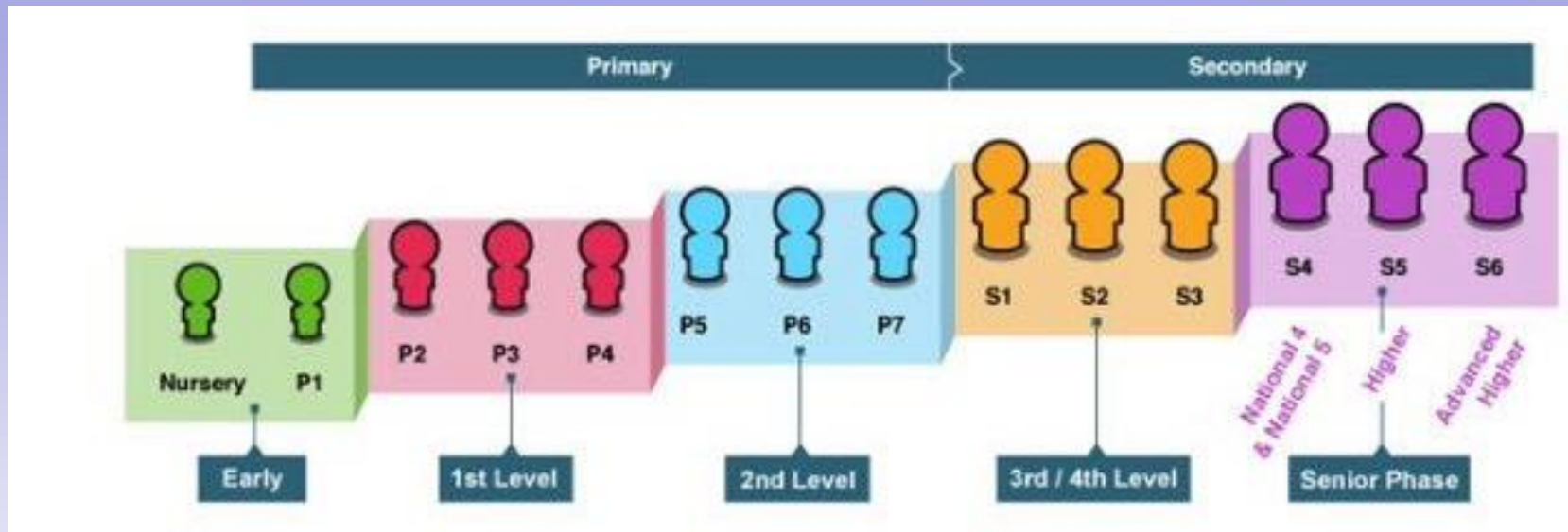
School Closed/Holidays
 Teachers In-Service Day (Closed for pupils)

These are on the Midlothian Council and our own website for downloading and have been emailed home.

These may be subject to change



Curriculum for Excellence



This is a simple guide showing how children may move through the levels of CfE. All children progress at their own pace and work is differentiated to support their learning.



Our School Vision

Cornbank Primary School

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



Our School Values

#RISE

Respect
Inclusion
Safe
Excellence



Zones of Regulation

How can you help yourself?

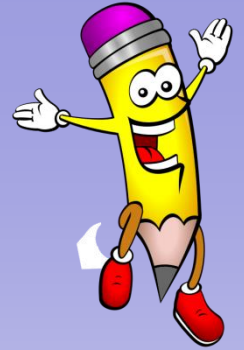
The BLUE zone	The GREEN zone	The YELLOW zone	The RED zone
			
How might you feel?	How might you feel?	How might you feel?	How might you feel?
sad tired bored moving slowly	happy okay focussed ready to learn	nervous confused silly not ready to learn	angry frustrated scared out of control
What might help you?	What might help you?	What might help you?	What might help you?
Talk to someone Stretch Take a brain break Stand Take a walk Close my eyes	The goal of this exercise is to get to the GREEN zone. What can you do to be happy, calm and ready to learn?	Talk to someone Count to 20 Take deep breaths Squeeze something Draw a picture Take a brain break	Stop what I'm doing Make sensible choices Take deep breaths Ask for a break Find a safe space Ask for help

Restorative Approach to Behaviour

- Aim is to support children to make positive choices
- Key questions used to support learners
- House points earned for teams
- Parental involvement



Home Learning

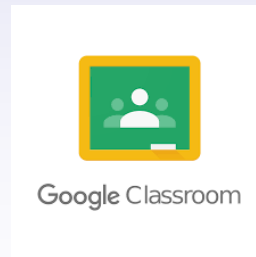


- Reading issued weekly. When classes are completing novel studies, children may not receive further reading at home.
- One Literacy or one Numeracy task issued weekly.
- These tasks will be issued on a Tuesday for completion by the following Monday.
- Written worksheets are gathered together in school and feedback will be age and stage appropriate



Google Classrooms

- Each class will have a Google Classroom soon
- Please continue to make contact through our school office - email or phone



Forms

- Thank you to everyone who has returned forms
- Please could any outstanding forms be returned as soon as possible



Communication



- Monthly newsletters from the Head Teacher
- One class newsletter per term from the class teacher - October
- Parent calendar issued with all annual key events
- School improvement plan shared with all stakeholders
- Informal discussions with the class teacher before or at the end of school day if necessary
- Two Parent Consultation appointments per year - October and March
- Written Progress Report in Summer Term
- Regular updates on the school website and X
- An invitation to our Shared Starts, Curriculum Evening, Nativity and Assemblies etc
- The school operates an open door policy - please do not hesitate to contact us



Communication

http://

cornbank.mgfl.net

@CornbankPS



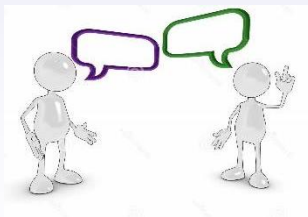
E-mail!

Cornbank.PS@midlothian.gov.uk

0131 271 4575



Chat to us 😊



Coming into School

- New routine of lining up is working well
- Please consider our neighbours when parking
- JRSOs, Midlothian Council and Police support with this
- Safe routes and parking maps
- Children should dismount bikes and scooters in playground
- Children must wear helmets
- Please refrain from bringing dogs onto the school premises
- Please come as close to start time as possible



School Nurse



Gill Reid

Please contact the school office
if you want to speak to her.



Information

P4J PE - Mondays

P4TG- Fridays

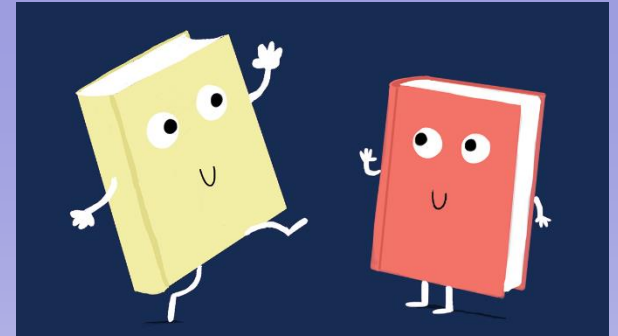
Both classes swimming - Wednesdays

Please make sure all school uniform and PE kit is labelled with your child's name and class.





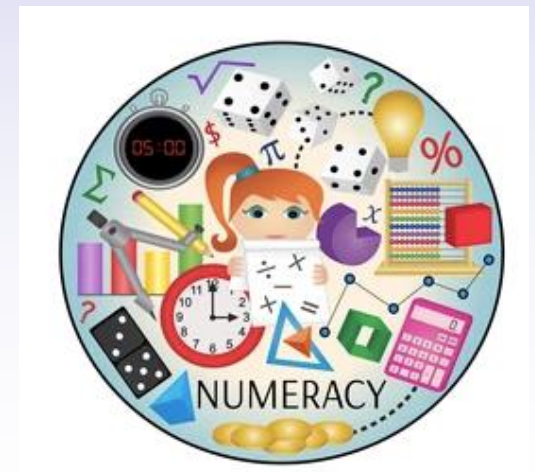
Literacy



- Literacy covers Listening and Talking, Reading and Writing
- Reading will consist of group reading books, class novels and reading comprehension. Reading in class covers a range of skills including tools for reading such as reading aloud fluently with expression, understanding, analysing and evaluating
- Writing will cover a range of genres which will be related to our topics
- Spelling patterns will be taught weekly in class and followed up with a range of activities including home learning

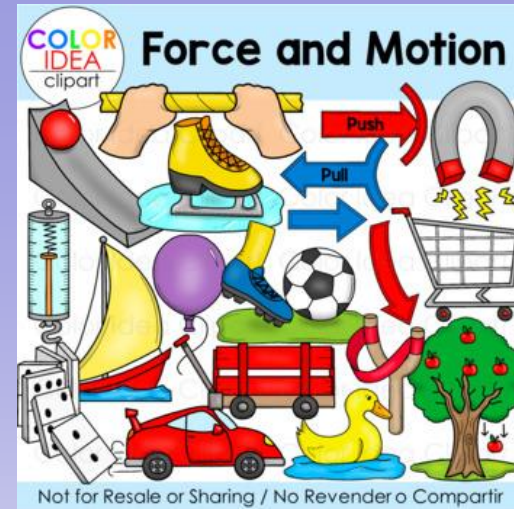
Numeracy & Maths

- Midlothian Numeracy Progression
- Maths Basic Facts
- Sumdog - children can have access to this at home
- Problem solving strategies
- Maths topics covered:
 - shape
 - money
 - time
 - measure
 - data handling
 - angles/symmetry
 - probability, Maths in the world



IDL

- Term 1 (September to December) - energy, forces and materials
- Term 2 (January to March) - Scottish topic & Vikings
- Term 3 (April to June) - Healthy diet & food



Questions



Thank you for your time.

We look forward to working
with you this session.

