Frogston Primary

P3/4

WELCOME TO WINTER TERM IN P4B

4 Context Planner

This is what we will be learning this term.

Curricular area	Intended learning Context:	E&O
L&T	• Class discussions; listening and responding; questioning and presenting information about space.	LIT 1-02a LIT 1-09a
Reading	• Reciprocal reading; predicting; clarifying vocabulary; questioning; summarising and retrieving information • Revision of phonemes • Literacy Rich Programme - extend knowledge of phonics, segmenting and blending to read new words. • Revision of common (tricky) words	LIT 1-1a LIT 1-14a LIT 1-16a LIT 1-13a
Writing	• Capital letters and full stops; question, exclamation, speech and comma punctuation; persuasive poster; planet leaflet; newspaper planning and writing • Use known spelling rules and tricky words. Write independently using the correct punctuation and checking it makes sense.	LIT 1-22a LIT 1-20a LIT 1-21a LIT 1-23a LIT 1-24a LIT 1-26a LIT 1028a
Numeracy	• Addition and subtraction; multiplication through repeated addition and arrays; doubling and halving; times-table recall; estimating and rounding • Identify and describe 2D and 3D shapes; create tiling patterns; explore nets and shape properties • Chance and uncertainty; collect and organise favourite planet data; display and interpret pictograms; including keys where one symbol represents tow pupils	MNU 1-02a MNU 1-03a MNU 1-05a MNU 1-16a MNU 1-20a MNU 1-20b
HWB	• Develop respectful discussion, confidence, collaboration and person responsibility during class learning	HWB 1-01a HWB 1-05a

Experience	Intended Learning Context:	E&Os
Chicken week	• n/a (next week- Jan 2027)	

Outdoor learning	• Build a den (mini)
	  • Working together outdoors
	  • Managing risk and caring for surroundings
		SOC 1-08a
		TCH 1-09a
		HWB 1-16a

Rights Respecting School	• Listening respectfully; taking turns; sharing ideas; helping peers and contributing to a supportive learning environment • Encourage pupil voice, shared expectations and responsible choices in group tasks	**HWB 1-09a** **HWB 1-10a**

Experience	Intended Learning Context:	E&Os
Choir	Taking part in a concert displaying learning from this term and previous terms as part of year group choir	**EXA 1-16a** **EXA 1-17a**
Pupil Groups	Taking opportunities to bring about positive change in the school community	**HWB 1-13a**
	Choose a planet or space-related questions, gather facts and share findings in an appropriate format	**LIT 1-14a**

Curricular area	Intended Learning Context:	E&Os
Science	• Earth, sun, moon and stars; explore the solar system and the movement of the Earth, Sun and Moon; consider astronauts and space exploration	**SCN 1-06a** **SCN 1-20a**
Expressive Arts	• Plan and create artwork and papier-mache models of planets; moon or sun; explore materials and visual features	**EXA 1-02a** **EXA 1-03a**
Technologies	• Use digital tools to locate and organise information present learning about space	**TCH 1-01a** **TCH 1-03b**
Outdoor learning	• Build a den (mini)	**SOC 1-08a**
Modern Languages	• Use previous learning with increasing confidence • Spanish learning, talking and familiar vocabulary	**MLAN 1-01a** **MLAN 1-02a/b**
RME	• Exploring beliefs, values and stories	**RME 1-09a**

Curricular Area	Intended Learning	Assessment
Numeracy	Summative assessments of taught topics/concepts Identifying gaps in learning Baseline assessment for Term 2 Timetables	Sumdog baseline assessment
Literacy	Literacy Rich Block 6 assessments (P3) Ongoing writing assessments as part of CYPIC project Term 2 baseline assessment for writing using Big Writing marking criteria	Writing assessment Nov 26 CYPIC project/ self-assessment Literacy Rich Observations
HWB	SHANARRI RSHP	Wellbeing web

Don't Forget

Here are upcoming dates:

PE Days – Mondays and Thursdays

Chicken Week - 18/01/2027

Home Learning

Here are some learning recommendations that your child can do at home!

Reading:

Authors Live is a series of free events with children's writers and illustrators, streamed live in partnership with BBC Scotland Digital Learning

- Link to main website: https://www.scottishbooktrust.com/learning-and-resources/authors-live

BBC Bitesize - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary#scotland

Maths:

Sumdog: Please ask if you need a new login

Here is a link to general activities covering all areas of the curriculum: https://uk.ixl.com/maths/primary-4

Here is a link to a website that has maths games (similar to Sumdog): https://mathsframe.co.uk

Topic - Space:

This term, P4 have been blasting off into our Space topic! We have been learning about the planets in our solar system, the Sun and the Moon, and what life is like for astronauts.

Much of our space learning has been linked to our writing. We have been using conjunctions such as *because*, *and*, *but*, *so* and *if* to write persuasive pieces about Earth and the Moon. One class favourite was persuading Zog the alien to visit Scotland, using places from our Scottish myths and legends learning. We have also been writing eyewitness reports and practising our handwriting with space-themed sentences about rockets, planets and astronauts.

The class have shown great enthusiasm and imagination, and we are looking forward to exploring even more of the universe in the weeks ahead!

Some links for websites:

https://spaceplace.nasa.gov

https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/space

Health and Wellbeing:

Go Noodle - This has fun interactive videos to encourage you to exercise and move your body: https://www.gonoodle.com

Spanish:

LanguageNut Login Page: https://www.languagenut.com/resources/en-gb/index.html#/LoginScreen