

Cluny Primary School

Class Newsletter



Term Three

January to March 2024

Primary 2

Mrs McLeay

Welcome back to Term 3. I hope that you all enjoyed the festivities and were able to enjoy some family time. It is great to see so many pupils returning fresh and ready for learning. Curriculum Development, Raising Attainment and Parental Engagement remain the school's priorities. We will target learning in fun, interactive and motivational ways. As the weather remains cold and unpredictable, please ensure that pupils are dressed appropriately for going outdoors.

Literacy and Language

- We will continue to learn, recognise and spell Phase 5 phonic sound patterns, we will be try to use these in our writing as we focus on writing with accuracy. We will learn how to use a range of sentence openers and connectives in our writing while using our colourful semantics cards to help us to create and extend our sentences.
- We will work on comprehension skills – reading a text and answering a question in a sentence to show understanding.
- We will also continue to assess homework words, some children have also started reading Star Readers at home.

Number Processes and Beyond Number

- We will use our mental maths and written skills to tackle word problems.
- We will learn how to subtract using a range of mental and written strategies.

Dates for your diary:

- 8th January at 3.30pm - New P1 intake information session in hall
- 13th February – In-service Day, school closed to all pupils
- 14th & 17th February – Mid-term break, school closed to all staff and pupils
- 4th – 6th March – Child Smile
- 13th March – Scottish Opera for P6 and P7
- 28th March – Last day of term 3

P.E. days this term:

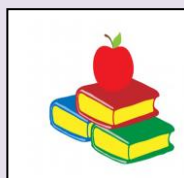
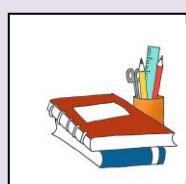
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- We will learn how to measure length in mm, cm and metres using rulers, measuring tapes, metre sticks and trundle wheels to estimate and measure with accuracy.
- We will learn about money, recognising coins, adding amounts and giving change.

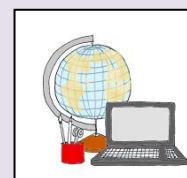
Other Curricular News

- We will be exploring our local community and famous landmarks in Scotland.
- We will be learning some Doric words and phrases.
- Each week we will be listening to fairy stories and taking part in drama activities.

Our Class Timetable for Term Three of Academic Year 2024 - 2025:



9am – 3.10pm	Events/Activities
Monday	Spelling, Writing, Maths, Assembly, IDL
Tuesday	Phonics, Writing, Maths, IDL/Drama
Wednesday	Phonics, Writing, Maths, PE
Thursday	Phonics, Spelling, Maths, Colourful Semantics, RME
Friday	PE, Weekly review, Handwriting, French, Fun 31



This timetable is subject to change. Thank you.

We continue on our journey to become a Rights Respecting School, with a fresh focus on specific UNCRC Articles (Rights) across the school each month.

Right of the Month:

January 2025

Article 18: Both parents share responsibility for bringing up their child and should always consider what is best for the child.

February 2025

Article 23 – A child with a disability has the right to live a full and decent life with dignity and independence and to play an active part in the community.

March 2025

Article 27 – Every child has the right to a standard of living that is good enough to meet their physical, social and mental needs.