

Cluny Primary School

Class Newsletter



Term One

August to October 2025

Primary 5 and 6

Mr. Schofield

We hope you have been enjoying the fine weather that the start of the school year has brought with it. Thank you to everyone who has worked so hard in class during the first two weeks back. We have been busy but have enjoyed seeing friends and making new ones. We welcome all the new pupils in our school.

Here are a few messages from our class for Term 1.

Literacy and Language

- **Reading** – We'll be working on our reading skills to find clues, figure out the meanings of new words, and even make predictions about what will happen next in a story. Our class reader is Impossible Creatures.
- **Writing** – We'll be learning how to write convincing letters and catchy advertisements to get people to see things our way..
- **Spelling** – New spelling words will continue to come home each week, so keep an eye out for them!
- **Listening/Talking** – We'll get to have some exciting discussions where we can share our ideas and practice listening to others.

French – We'll also be continuing our French lessons, focusing on describing ourselves and our friends.

Number Processes and Beyond Number

- We'll be exploring the wonderful world of **place value** to understand how big numbers are put together.
- We'll also be mastering the **four processes** of addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.
- We will also be doing some **data handling**, looking at how we can use our knowledge of number to create displays that show the information behind the numbers.

Other Curricular News

- **Inter-Disciplinary Learning (IDL/Topic)** – Get ready for our big new topic: **Democracy!** We'll be exploring how our country is run and how people get a say in things.

Term 1 : Dates for your Diary

- 8-12 September – Return sponsor forms/money to the school office
- 6 September – Friends of Cluny coffee morning fundraiser, Info to follow
- 29 September – First Open Afternoon for Parents/carers ('All Teach, All Learn') about Reading (1.45-3.00pm), Info to follow
- 7 and 8 October – Parent/Carer Evenings, Info to follow
- 13 October – 24 October – School holidays, inclusive.
- 27 October – Term 2 begins at 9am, Book Fair might be on this week (TBC)

P.E. days this term:
Wednesdays and Fridays

- **Sciences** – This links perfectly with our science lessons, where we'll be investigating the amazing jobs that **scientists** do and how their work impacts the world around us.
- **P.E.** – In P.E., we'll be developing our basic skills needed for team games. We will refine sending and receiving as well as position and movement skills.
- **HWB** – For Health and Wellbeing, we'll be learning about staying healthy, looking after our emotions, and being a good friend.
- **Technologies** – We'll also be using technology to research our topic, and learning about online safety, like how to stay private on the internet.
- **Expressive Arts** – Finally, in Expressive Arts, we'll be getting creative and designing in both **2D and 3D**.

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

Right of the Month:

August 2025

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

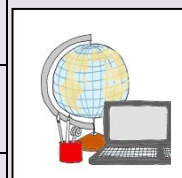
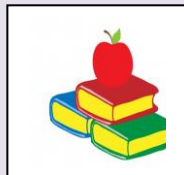
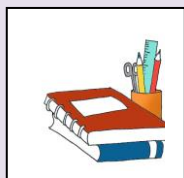
September 2025

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.

October 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.

Our Class Timetable for Term Three of Academic Year 2025 - 2026:



9am – 3.10pm	Events/Activities
<i>Monday</i>	Spelling, Maths, writing, Health, reading, Assembly
<i>Tuesday</i>	Literacy, Maths, Science, Comprehension, Reading
<i>Wednesday</i>	Literacy, writing, Reading, PE, IDL
<i>Thursday</i>	Mr. Ewen (maths, ICT, French) Writing Expressive arts
<i>Friday</i>	Music, PE, Maths, IDL Reading, HWB

This timetable is subject to change. Thank you for ensuring personal items – bottles and clothing – are labelled.