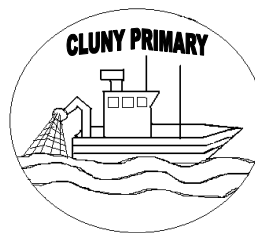


Cluny Primary School

Class Newsletter



Term Three

January to March 2023

Primary 2BL

Mrs Birnie and Mrs Lawson

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. Raising Attainment and Wellbeing remain our top priorities and 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

This term we will be:

- a continued focus on building our phonics knowledge. We will continue to learn through a range of games and activities which support the phase we are working on.
- We will focus on writing with growing independence using key words from the board, our phonics knowledge and with an increased understanding of spelling patterns.
- Reading books will be given out on a Monday, please practise reading and phonics boards every night at home ready to be heard again/assessed on Thursday/Friday.

Number Processes and Beyond Number

This term we will be:

- We are continuing to learn how to subtract a single and double digit number. Some children will continue to use Numicon, number lines and visual pictures to help them. Other children will practise mental strategies to enable them to become more confident.
- We will be moving onto learning about time, starting with o'clock and half past. Our aim is to read quarter to and quarter past using an analogue and digital clock.

Dates for your diary:

- Thursday 9th
February – Disco
with Paul T, tbc
- Mid term break –
Friday 10th and
Monday 13th
February, school
closed to all staff
and pupils on both
of these days
- Last day of Term 3
– Friday 31st March
- First day of Term 4
– Monday 17th April

P.E. days this term: Monday
and Thursday

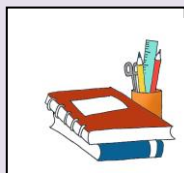
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Other Curricular News

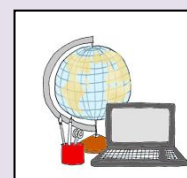
This term we will be:

- Our mini topic is based around the book *Dear Polar Bear*. The story focuses on friendships around the world and will explore the continents of the world alongside the animals that are featured in the book.
- We will use the ipads this term to explore Google Earth together.
- We will also learn about Robbie Burns and Chinese New Year.

Our Class Timetable for Term Three of Academic Year 2022 - 2023:



8.55am – 3.10pm	Events/Activities
<i>Monday</i>	Literacy: Spelling, reading and phonics, Numeracy and PE
<i>Tuesday</i>	Literacy: Spelling, Reading and Phonics, Numeracy, Topic.
<i>Wednesday</i>	Literacy: Writing and Phonics, Numeracy, Art and topic
<i>Thursday</i>	Literacy: Reading and Phonics, PE, Numeracy and RME..
<i>Friday</i>	Literacy: Spelling, Grammar, Maths, Assembly and PE.



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 2023

Article 12: Every child has the right to express their views, feelings and wishes in all matters affecting them, and to have their views considered and taken seriously. This right applies at all times, for example during immigration proceedings, housing decisions or the child's day-to-day home life.

February 2023

Article 30 – Children have the right to use their own language, culture and religion.

March 2023

Article 17 – Children have the right to get information from the internet, radio, television, newspapers, books and other sources. Adults must make sure this information is not harmful.