

## ROSLIN PRIMARY SCHOOL





# Primary 1 Term 3 Newsletter

#### **HWB**

This term we will be concentrating on learning how to keep ourselves safe in a range of different situations such as crossing the road, while out playing in the park or being separated from an adult while out shopping. We will continue to work on our Red and Green Choices.

We will continue to use the nursery garden and the local environment as much as possible so please ensure your child is wearing sunscreen or has some in school to use. Unfortunately we cannot provide this or let children share. Please check your child is able to apply it for themselves.

During gym this term we will do some fitness training and start to look at the impact this has on our health and well-being.

#### <u>Literacy</u>

This term we are revising all the sounds taught which include vowel sounds. Please encourage children to read and write words using the vowel sounds, such as pain, road, oil, glue etc. If you would like a list of suggested words, please ask.



New reading books will now be given on a Tuesday in order for us to talk and write about our weekends. Young children need to write about personal experiences so a Monday is an ideal time for this. Key words should be practiced as often as possible in order for children to be able to make progress. Children should be encouraged to learn our P1 tricky words which you will find glued into the homework jotter. Children should be able to read them and write them. Please encourage your child to colour each word when they can do this.

Many children are able to form most letters correctly and we will continue to work hard at using the correct letter formation in all of our writing.

#### Numeracy and Maths

Many games and activities will still be used in class and more written work during numeracy will be introduced in preparation for P2. If you would like to see the activities and games in action, please pop along to our Maths Morning on Friday 4 May. In maths we will learn how to make different amounts using coins and learn about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.



### Cross-curricular Learning

Our play based learning environment will feature our Dinosaur Park. We have a role play centre with artefacts and costumes and the children are already working hard to find out information about dinosaurs and work out how we can present the information. We will have an open afternoon on **Thursday 31 May 2.30** – **3.15** for you to come and visit our Dinosaur Park. Please pop the date in your diary now!

Thanks for your continued support. Alison Herd