



# ROSLIN PRIMARY SCHOOL





Dear Parent/Carer,

We have had a great start to the year in Primary 3F and we are looking forward to a year of exciting learning. We have spent a lot of time focusing on Health & Well-Being this term and will continue this as well as a big focus on Numeracy and literacy.

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### Numeracy and Maths

This term our numeracy will focus around consolidating number word sequences, numerals, number structures and counting strategies. We will build on their addition and subtraction strategies which will allows for a solid basis in to multiplication, division and fraction work.

Mathematics will see the children working on their information handling skills which will link across the curriculum. Additionally, we will have a focus on time.

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

We have had a wonderful start to our writing this year with imaginary stories. This will focus on structuring of sentences using punctuation and connectives. Furthermore we are looking to an increase of vocabulary by researching many WOW words, or adjectives. We have loved reading the children's stories so far and look forward to developing our writing this term.

Reading groups are well underway and for many it is clear that the children have enjoyed reading at home over lockdown – this is fabulous! I hope that they continue to enjoy reading at home as much as possible. As well as focusing on expression and fluency, we will work on reading comprehension skills such as predicting, summarising and sequencing.

For Listening & Talking we will be working towards a group presentation this term, linking in with our HWB topics.

## Important Class Information

Numeracy, reading and spelling homework will be given out on a Monday to be completed by Friday. I recommend trying to read every evening, even if it is independent reading. Due to Covid restrictions, homework will not be collected in on a Friday. Children will be able to show their homework and receive verbal feedback, therefore ensuring no one else is touching the homework.

As the weather becomes more autumnal, please make sure your child is coming in to school with a jacket so we can maximise outdoor play and learning as much as possible.

#### **HWB**

We have kicked off with a huge focus on our social and emotional well-being with book studies and looking at different types of emotions and how we can learn to deal with these. This will continue all term.

Additionally, we will focus on Growth Mindset, resilience, team work, perseverance and learning from mistakes to help the children with their learning and mindsets.

We are linking a lot of our HWB work with art this term, where we will use a range of media to express ourselves. The amount of effort and quality of artwork so far this term is to be well celebrated across the whole class!