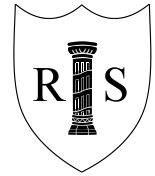


ROSLIN PRIMARY SCHOOL

LEARNING AND GROWING

to Achieve Success



Primary 3J Newsletter

Literacy

P3J are working on reading and spelling 'red words' (words which do not spell as they sound). We are developing our comprehension skills including; making inferences, recognising persuasion, making predictions and considering the purpose of different texts. We use a range of texts, including books, illustrations and video to practise these skills. In writing we are working on effective descriptions. We are also practising active listening, with dedicated time for this where we have challenges to work on, individually or with a partner!

Numeracy and Maths

We are developing our number knowledge which includes; counting in 3s and 4s, using numerical language, ordering numbers, identifying patterns such as odd and even, and reading and writing larger numbers. You can support this at home by asking your child questions such as 'What is 5 less than 28?', 'Which is bigger- 57 or 75?' or 'Is 109 an odd or even number?' We are also developing our understanding of time, focussing on months, dates and seasons of the year. We are also encouraging the pupils to learn their Birthday.

Wider Achievements

We love to hear about any learning that your child has been doing outside of school! If your child would like to share an achievement, they are welcome to bring in a photo or certificate etc. to show us but we ask that it is brought in a plastic bag and only touched by your child.

We still ask that toys are not brought into school however, to minimise the risk of cross-contamination. Thanks for your understanding.

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have enjoyed a very positive start to the school year. The children have done a fantastic job of following our new routines, and making our class a welcoming and friendly place for everyone!

We have been learning a lot about the skills, attitudes and strategies that good learners use. This is an important part of our School Aims. Throughout the year we will continue to build on this understanding in order to help the pupils be as successful as possible in their learning!

If you have any questions about your child's learning then please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kat James

Health and Well-Being

The health and wellbeing of our pupils is of upmost importance to us at Roslin. Our whole school focus this session is on developing resilience and a nurturing ethos for all of our pupils. This includes learning about our emotions, finding strategies for coping with change or disappointment and promoting good self-esteem. We do this using a wide variety of activities including art, talking partners, whole class discussion, stories and displays that celebrate examples of resilience and kindness.

Homework and Organisation

The children are now receiving spelling and number homework in their new homework jotters. This homework is given out on Mondays and is due on Fridays. Reading books will also go home on Mondays and be returned on Fridays. Due to Covid restrictions, homework will not be collected in on a Friday but children will be able to show their homework and self-assess and/or receive verbal feedback from the teacher.

We enjoy outdoor play most days and very rarely have indoor breaks due to bad weather, so all pupils need a coat in school every day. Please label all clothes with your child's name to prevent mix ups, particularly at this time. Many thanks for your support! 😊