

**Please retain for your  
information**

**Please remember**

- Check Seesaw daily for notes and home learning tasks.
- Practise Spellings and Tables daily. Books will be marked each Friday upon weekly completion.
- Check reading record for daily reading notes. Sign daily and return on Friday.
- Please sign all homework including reading and spelling/tables practice books.

**P4 Homework**

- 1 written literacy task each week
- 1 written numeracy task each week
- 1 numeracy Seesaw task each week
- 1 numeracy mat each week
- 1 Bug Club book to read online

**Flu Vaccine**

school nurses in school to administer flu vaccine on Friday 10th December

**WAU**

- Focus on 'Our School'.  
Examining our building, badge and community.
- Looking at objects in plan view.

**Dates for your Diary**

- Term recommences: 1st Nov
- Remembrance Assembly: 11th Nov
- Anti Bullying Week: 15th—19th Nov
- Christmas Activities: throughout Dec
- Carol Service on Seesaw: 17th Dec
- End of term: 21st Dec, 12.00 noon

# Lisnagelvin Primary School



Newsheet for  
parents of pupils in  
Primary 4

An outline of topics  
covered in Literacy  
and Numeracy.

Autumn Term  
November/December  
2021

## Language and Literacy

### November/December

#### **Grammar work**

- knowledge of nouns as a person, place, animal or thing
- use of is/was and are/were
- use of there and their
- use of were, wear and where
- Use of our and are
- use of question marks in questions

#### **Literacy skills**

- sequencing everyday activities
- comprehension skills using unseen passages and reading texts
- activities linked to spelling lists

#### **Phonics**

Linguistic Phonics **er, ir, ur, au, aw**  
Rhyming Christmas words

#### **Variety of writing forms**

- letter writing
- recounting experiences
- descriptive writing
- writing creatively about a monster

#### **Handwriting**

- introduce patterns and letters for joined handwriting

#### **Stories in class**

Various authors such as: Dick King-Smith, Francesca Simon, Roald Dahl, Anne Fine, Jacqueline Wilson

## Numeracy and Mathematics

### November/December

#### **Measures**

- revise days of week/months of year
- look at clock face to identify past and to side
- read times: o'clock, half past, quarter past, quarter to
- work at 5 minute intervals around the past side of clock
- give times for 1 hour, 30 minutes or 15 minutes later than the set time
- read and record time on the past side of the clock digitally

#### **Number Work**

- vertical/horizontal addition and subtraction of TU/HTU sums
- problem solving practical tasks
- number arrays to introduce concept of multiplication (sets/groups of)
- multiplication tables—X2, X10, X5 using variety of practical/written challenges

#### **Money**

- correct use of all coins to £1; set out given amounts
- give change from 50p and £1
- simple shopping calculations
- problem solving activities with money