Please retain for your information .

Please remember
- Check homework diary daily.
- Refer to prompt sheets where appropriate.
- Practise daily using Tables Facts book .
- Sign homeworks.

P6 Transfer Meeting
Wednesday 31st Jan 2:00pm

Parent Interviews
Mon 6th– Wed 8th Feb

Half Term holiday

Mon 12th—Fri 16th Feb 2024

St. Patrick's Day Holiday
Monday 18th March 2024

Term ends on Friday 22nd March 12:00noon

P6/P7 Show
The Wizard of Oz
Wed 20th March
Thursday 21st March

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Newsheet for parents of pupils in Primary 6.

An outline of topics covered in Literacy and Numeracy.

Term 2
2024

Topics in Literacy

Punctuation

- Recognition of phrases and sentences.
- Awareness of need for paragraphing.
- To be aware of direct/indirect speech

Parts of Speech

- Understand and identify homophones
- Recognise and understand compound words
- Using prefixes and suffixes correctly
- Revise nouns, adjectives, verbs and adverbs
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Reading

 Guided / Shared reading
- Sequencing skills - list of instructions, etc.
- Be critical of passages and poems.
- Read unseen texts for meaning and locate information.
- Discuss in pairs/ groups unseen texts and share thoughts and opinions with class.

Talking and Listening

- Follow and relate instructions.
- Listen and contribute to group / class discussions.
- Prepare and present information for class and deliver a short speech or talk on a given topic.
- Circle Time—a structured class activity in which the class must speak, listen, interact and share concerns.

Writing

- Convey thoughts and feelings about a new year and new challenges.
- Letter Writing—letter of complaint
- Create a storyboard
- Retell a Viking Saga
- Write a newspaper report
- Poetry—Haiku

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Topics in Numeracy

Decimals

- Place value to understand numbers between whole numbers i.e. DECIMAL SYSTEM– tenths, hundredths e.g. 3.6, 9.7, 2.78, 7.92
- Recognise equivalence between decimals and fractions e.g. $0.5 = \frac{1}{2}$
- Use decimals and fractions in problem solving tasks
- Multiply and divide decimals by 10 and 100
- Rounding decimals to nearest whole number and nearest tenth e.g. 2.37—> 2.4, 2.37—>2

Percentages

- Recognise and find simple percentages of quantities
- Understand and recall relationships among %/decimals/fractions e.g. 50%/0.5/$\frac{1}{2}$

Special Numbers

Recognise and know:
- Odd and Even numbers
- Multiples– tests of divisibility, identify common multiples and the lowest common multiple
- Factors—identify pairs of factors, common factors and the highest common factor
- Prime Numbers—understand and recognise, quick recall of first 20
- Square numbers—understand, quick recall of square numbers up to 169
- Triangular numbers—understand, quick recall up to 28

Data Handling

- Pie charts– link degrees with fractions and percentages
- Line graphs including conversion
- Carroll and Venn diagrams; decision trees
- Averages—mean; range