

Ballymoney Model Integrated Primary School

Year 3 Term Three

Literacy

In **Grammar and Punctuation** we will be learning to:
Develop understanding of verbs (ing), adjectives, comparative and superlative adjectives (er/est) and contractions.
Punctuate sentences with commas, question marks and exclamation marks.
Using 'I' in a sentence.

In **Comprehension** we will be using:
Retrieval skills to remember significant events and key information about a text.
Word Meaning skills to clarify the meaning of vocabulary in text
Inferencing skills to use pictures and words to make inferences.
Prediction skills to predict what might happen next and confirm or adjust predictions.
*Based on topic comprehension texts, class novel texts and other themed passages.

In **Writing** we will be learning to:
Narrative – Writing a story using our imagination.

In **Reading** we will be sharing:
Story books linked to our topic and seasonal events. We will share our thoughts and opinions about the books and complete linked writing activities

In **Talking and Listening** we will:
Follow instructions and discuss feelings and emotions
Complete News Desk discussions and linked activities
Formulate questions and learn how to respond appropriately
Freeze-Frame scenes from Topic books

Our WAU topic is **Spish, Splash, Splosh**

In **WAU** we will be learning about:
Different bodies of water and how they contribute to our world. We will exploring water safety and different careers that involve water. We will be exploring the layers of the ocean and the creatures that live there.

U ICT

In **U ICT** our focus is:

- Coding
- Digital Art

We will be learning to:

- Control a robot using simple instructions
- Predict how a programme will respond
- Look at, and respond to, examples of photographic images and artworks
- Create a piece of digital artwork using JiT Paint programme



Learning Together

Numeracy

In **Number** we will be learning to:
Recall doubles and near double
Counting in 2's, 5's and 10's
Order days of the week and months of the year
Addition of 2-digit numbers (bridging the 10) and subtraction of 2-digit numbers
Inverse operations and word problems.
Addition and subtraction of coins to 50p

In **Measures** we will be learning to:
Read and draw quarter past and quarter to times on a clock
Read and record digital time (half past and o'clock)

In **Shape and Space** we will be learning to:
Symmetry of shapes and objects.
Co-ordinates

In **Handling Data** we will be learning to:
Sort objects using Venn, Carroll and tree diagrams
Display data using tally charts, pictograms and block graphs.

In **Processes** we will be learning to
Count forwards and backward to 100
Recall addition facts for addition and subtraction
Recall addition facts for number bonds to 20
Find all the possibilities in problem solving activities
Breaking word problems into smaller steps
Develop mathematical language

Other things that will be happening:

Sports Day
Visit from the Lifeguards
End of Year Trip
Whole School Trip to the Beach