

Literacy

Our writing focus for the beginning of the term is Poetry. We will be exploring:

- Scots language
- similes and metaphors
- onomatopoeia
- alliteration

We will also continue to focus on:

Handwriting: We are using cursive formation. Each week we will focus on different joins.

Spelling: We will learn digraphs like 'ai' and 'ey'.

Reading: reading for enjoyment and developing fluency and expression

Listening and Talking: reciting a Scots poem

Numeracy and Maths

Our Numeracy focus this term will be **fractions**. We will be learning to:

- understand and explain the role of a numerator and a denominator in a fraction
- split whole objects or collections into fifths, tenths and thirds.
- count in fifths, tenths and thirds.
- use correct notation to represent fractions of quantities or of a whole object.

Our Maths focus this term will be **data & analysis**. We will be learning to:

- interpret information from: tables, bar graphs, pictographs, carroll and venn diagrams.
- create a survey to collect data and present the findings appropriately.

We will continue to practice our previous addition, subtraction, multiplication and division learning throughout our weekly maths learning.

Wider Curriculum Subjects

- French: We are learning to describe where we live and our families.
- Religious and Moral Education: We are learning about the beliefs, traditions and practices of the Islamic faith.
- Music: We will continue to have our weekly choir lessons.
- Art: We will be learning about collage.

What we are learning in P4 this term



(January – April)

Health and Wellbeing

Building Resilience focus for this Term is: 'Have a goal'

The key messages in this unit are: -

1. Setting a realistic goal helps us stay motivated.
2. Sometimes we fall or make mistakes and that's okay!
3. It is important to celebrate achievement.

Shanarri Indicator – Achieving

RRSA - Articles: 11, 17, and 35

SDG: 9, Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure

ECO: Climate action

Metaskills: Adapting

PE: Gymnastics, Social dance

Swimming will begin on 29th January for 7 weeks

Helpful Information

- PE is on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays**. Please ensure your child has appropriate PE kit in school. child is in. From 29/1/26 – 2/4/26 the children will be swimming on Thursday afternoons.
- P4's library slot is on **Friday**. Children will have the opportunity to take books home for enjoyment and choice.

Dates for your diary:

- **Friday 23rd January** – Scots Language Sharing Learning Event
- **Thurs 26/Fri 27 February** – Parent consultations
- **Thurs 2nd April** – End of term

Interdisciplinary Learning

In **Social Studies** and **Literacy**, we will be learning about **Exaggeration and Bias**. We will be learning to:

- compare different sources of evidence
- critically evaluate a source to find reliable information
- consider different perspectives on a situation

In **Science** and **Music**, we will be learning about **Vibrations and Waves**. We will be exploring:

- how objects of different sizes create sounds of different pitches
- how sound travels through vibrations
- manipulating an object to change the pitch (e.g. pressing on a guitar string in different places)



Roseburn Primary School – P4 Timetable January

	08:50-10:30		10:45-11:30		13:15- 15:15				
Monday	Maths and Numeracy		Literacy Reading	Literacy Writing	Handwritin g	HWB	IDL/Topic		
Tuesday	Maths and Numeracy		Literacy Reading	HWB P.E 11.30-12.30	Handwritin g	IDL/Topic	RME		
Wednesday	Maths and Numeracy		Music – Choir	Literacy Reading	Handwritin g	IDL/Topic			
Thursday	Maths and Numeracy	Literacy Writing	Literacy Reading	HWB P.E 11:30-12:30	Miss Martin – French, Science				
Friday	Assembly	Literacy Writing	Literacy Reading (Library)	ICT					



Roseburn Primary School – P4 Timetable February-April

	08:50-10:30			10:45-11:30			13:15- 15:15					
				Literacy Reading	Literacy Writing		Hand writing	HWB	IDL/Topic			
Monday	Maths and Numeracy		Break time	Literacy Reading	Literacy Writing	Lunchtime	Hand writing	HWB	IDL/Topic			
Tuesday	Maths and Numeracy			Literacy Reading	HWB P.E 11.30-12.30		Handw riting	IDL/Topic	RME			
Wednesday	Maths and Numeracy			Music – Choir	Literacy Reading		Handw riting	IDL/Topic				
Thursday	Maths and Numeracy	Literacy Writing		Miss Martin – French, Science, P.E			HWB P.E – Swimming					
Friday	Assembly	Literacy Writing		Literacy Reading (Library)	ICT							