

# Primary 2T Miss Taylor Oct-Dec

Hello everyone, I hope you are all ready for a fun filled term ahead. Below are a few bits of information about what the children will be learning. Feel free to come and ask any questions if you need more information.  
Thanks again for your continued support.

## Library Slot

Our Library slot will be first thing on a Monday morning. Please ensure books are returned each week in order to allow your child to exchange for a new one.



## Numeracy & Maths



We are continuing to practise our number skills using the SEAL framework. The children will be exploring number in lots of different ways:

ordering, sequencing, addition, subtraction, grouping, odd and even numbers. Our focus for maths this term is measure. Exploring the different ways we can measure objects and using the language accurately.



## Writing

This term we are linking the writing quite closely to the topic. The children will be looking at instruction texts and exploring the different

features before having a go at writing their own in the form of recipes.

The children will also have the opportunity to write diary entries – focusing on sentence structures and adding detail. Handwriting: we are learning to form letters in the cursive style.

## Topic



The theme this term is Healthy Body – Farm to fork. The children will be learning all about healthy food and where it comes from as well as how to keep ourselves healthy through fitness. As its coming into the colder months and the passing of germs may increase, we will be talking about why it's important to wash our hands and how to limit the amount of germs we pass on. The children continue to brush their teeth everyday in school which links into our topic quite nicely.

## We have been working hard on:

**Giving each other feedback:** The children are learning how to edit their writing with a partner. The partners role is to read the piece of text and help the author to make corrections and then to offer some advice on how to improve. They use green pencil to show where feedback has been given.

**Reflecting on how learning skills have been used:** everyone is encouraged to think about and share how they have used the Woodburn learning skills to be successful with their learning.

## Homework

**Reading** homework will be sent **out on a Monday** and the book needs **to be returned on the Thursday** of the same week to their RWI teacher.

The children will be given an unseen text to take home that matches the same level of RWI text. This is to ensure that the children are seeing a different text to be able to practise the skills they are earning in school.

**Spelling** will be given **out on a Monday**, by the R.W.I teacher and needs to **be returned on the Thursday** of the same week to the RWI teacher to mark.

An activity should be completed from Numeracy grids each week. The grids have been sent home already. These do not need to come into school; they are just suggestions of how to support your children with their learning at home.

The children will also be expected to do a show and tell linked to our topic. This is to develop our confidence and abilities in 'Listening and talking'

## P.E days and specialists

**Music** with Mrs McInroy: **Monday** afternoons

**Art** with Miss Welsh: **Thursday** afternoons.

### PE:

Monday with Miss Taylor

Tuesday with Miss Bertram

On these days, please make sure your child has indoor shoes, a t-shirt and shorts, all labelled. The children can wear plain white or house colour t-shirts.



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