

Lisnagelvin Primary School

**Please retain for your
information .**

Please remember

- Check homework diary daily
- Practise spellings and tables daily
- Check Reading Notes for daily reading
- Please sign all homework including reading and spellings/tables practice books

WAU

- Follow up work to Ulster American Folk Park visit. Examining life in school: then and now
- Looking at our school badge: where we find it and what it means
- Looking at objects in plan view

Dates for your Diary

- Term recommences: 6th Nov
- Remembrance Assembly: 10th Nov
- Open Afternoon: 22nd Nov
- Supper with Santa: 7th Dec
- KS1 visit to Pantomime, Millennium Forum: 14th Dec, 10:15am
- KS1 Carol Service :19th Dec
- End of term: 22nd Dec, 12.00 noon

Full details will follow before each event.



Newsheet for
parents of pupils in
Primary 4.

An outline of topics
covered in Literacy
and Numeracy

Term 1
November/December
2017

Language and Literacy

November/December

Grammar work

- use of is/was and are/were
- use of were, where and wear
- use of there and their
- use of to, too and two
- use of are and our

Literacy skills

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

Phonics

- o/oa/ow/oe/o-e sound
- ar/our/or/er/ir/ur sound

Variety of writing forms

- letter writing
- diary 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 and quarter to
- work at 5 minute intervals around the past side of clock
- give times for 1 hour, 30 minutes or 15 minutes earlier or later than the set time
- read and record time digitally

Number Work

- vertical/horizontal addition and subtraction of TU and HTU
- 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, £1, £5
- simple shopping calculations
- problem solving activities with money