

P5a Newsletter

Term 1

2.9.10

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome to P5a. I hope you enjoyed the summer holidays. Here is an outline topics we will be covering this term and information on changes to homework.

Homework

Language

Spelling will no longer issued as homework and an extra lesson will now be covered in the classroom.

Maths - We are encouraging a more problem solving approach in maths and this will be reinforced in the homework given. Maths homework will still be issued on a Monday and due back on a Thursday.

Reading - We continue with the Accelerated Reading programme, however pupils will no read 3 books at the same level (including one non-fiction text) before sitting a test.

Topics

Science - Solids, Liquids and Gases

Social Studies - Scotland and Scottish Landmarks

Writing - Functional

P.E and Swimming

We have P.E on a Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. Please ensure your child has a full kit with them, including appropriate shoes. P5a will start swimming on Monday 11th October for a block of 5 weeks. The bus usually returns at 3.20 on swimming days.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about homework or any other matter.

Yours sincerely,

Emma Wilson