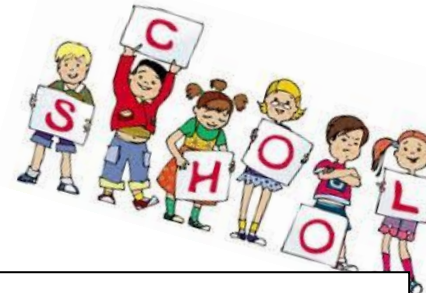




Parkhead PS - Term 2 - P3a Newsletter



Literacy -

Reading: This term we have been looking at clarification skills in reading. We have been using word attack strategies to help us blend and understand new words (for example chunky monkey and slide the snake). We have also consolidated our other reciprocal reading strategies - prediction, summarising and questioning. We looked at punctuation this term and learned some new karate moves to help us with using the correct punctuation.

Writing: This term we have been focusing on descriptive writing. We looked at our description bubble to help us with using adjectives (shape, size, colour, number and texture).

Listening and Talking: We continue to enjoy our circle time activities and sharing our weekend news. We enjoy playing listening games and memory games such as detectives. We also love show and tell at milk time.



Numeracy - In numeracy we have been looking at multiplication and division strategies and fractions. We have been building arrays in different ways for example by making imprints in our playdough with lego blocks and writing this as a multiplication sum. We have been learning how to count in 4s forwards and backwards through Supermovers.

Maths- This term we have focused on money. We looked at recognising coins and notes, making amounts and finding change. We enjoyed finding the total cost of different sweets on ASDA! We have also looked at pattern and enjoyed making our own prints.



Topic

This term we have been looking at recycling and sustainability. We created our own recycling posters on Adobe Express to encourage others to recycle. We also looked at different recycling bins and the importance of recycling. We are also exploring and comparing old and new toys.



Health and Wellbeing

This term we have been looking at friendships and anti-bullying strategies. We also looked at the importance of staying safe online. We continue to explore our INSPIRE values throughout the curriculum.

Happy Reminders

Primary 3a's Christmas party will be on Friday 20th December.
Your child may dress up or down on this day.

P3a will be having a film afternoon on Monday 16th December as a reward for filling up the class star jar. You may also bring in one toy to play with in the afternoon. Well done!

