LC Staff Team LC Home School Diary Miss Ashleigh Bishop Teacher LC1 Please encourage your child to return homework and Mrs Lauren Venn Teacher LC2 take their folders to school daily. We encourage you to Ms Amber Ashraf LC2 (Thursday) use the logs to bring to our attention any events or Mrs McIntyre Nursery Nurse changes with home routines, or behaviour which may Mrs Watters Nursery Nurse have an impact on a purposeful learning environment. Miss Blair-Watt Nursery Nurse / PSA Please also feel free to use the Log to request phone Miss Aleksandra Korecka (Miss K) calls or meetings at any time throughout the term. PSA. Mrs Rabbi- PSA *Speech and Language *Educational Psychologist

We are delighted to welcome our staff and pupils back. Welcome to two new pupils, Kyle and Alfie who have joined the LC1 and LC2.

Houses and House Colours

Drummond - Dale, Millie, Alfie McDonald - Dylan, Callum, Fraser Pilrig - Kyle, Elisha, Paul Trinity - Chai, James, Samuel

Important Kit

- * Named school bag, water bottle, snack (for all LC2 pupils)
- * LC 2: 'Essentials' pencil case.
- * Swimming Kit for LC2: swim suit/trunks, towel, swimming hat, goggles, arm bands if required.
- * PE kit: Bag, shorts or joggers, a change of T-shirt, gym-shoes or trainers
- *Please remember to label all of your child's belongings.*

Parent Information

We will have our own drop in sessions in the LC and will not be participating in whole school drop in sessions and so will send out more information nearer the time.

We will be having a **Meet the Teacher** event on Monday 10th September from 5:00- 5:45 pm. This is an opportunity for you to meet with the teachers, meet other parents, find out more about the year and have a look at the classrooms.

We will continue to have open communication through the daily diary.

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Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL)

Over the coming term our pupils will be learning in a variety of contexts both in the Link, the Gym, the Yard, the Playground (Loose Parts initiative) and within their mainstream classes. Some children will be learning within their primary classrooms, developing individualised skills in the following contexts:



Whole School Theme this term is HWB, Our Community

- The LC1 topics: The Gingerbread Man, Scotland and our community, measure.
- The LC2 topics: Our Community, The Vikings, French, Data Handling

Whole School Theme: HWB, Building Resilience

Discrete Focus

MATHS

Both classes will link into 'Broughton Counts' developing progressive number skills in line with the mainstream school.

LC1: Practical Number, Number Processes Measure

LC2: Number Processes, Data Handling

LANGUAGE

The LC1: Rhyme and Song, Literacy Rich programme, Communication Skills, early Writing Skills, exploring stories.

The LC2: Group Reading with Non-Fiction text, Comprehension and reflective reading, Spelling Dictation, Big Writing and a Novel Study.

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Positive Friendships Emotions - zones of self-regulation and emotions thermometer. Building Resilience - Challenge your Mindset

Planned Opportunities for Wider Development

- LC2 Swimming at local swimming pool.
- Movement breaks and outdoor learning.
- LC1/LC2 Mondays gym hall time 10.45.
- The Yard trip on Wednesday LC1 Road Safety Skills, Social Communication, Outdoor Learning
- McDonald Road Library Visits Wednesdays LC2
- Use of Botanical Broughton space.
- LC1 weekly trips to local shops to plan and prepare our own snacks.
- Mainstream integration where appropriate- art, P.E., assembly.

Ethos and Wider Life of the School

We are very proud of the ways that we help others, develop awareness of our world and learn to be responsible citizens.

Please remember that Drop-ins only take place in the mainstream school.

Maths week: week beginning September 10th.