# P2 News

Welcome back! It's lovely to see you all.

The children are settling in well and are becoming more familiar with the routines and organisation of P2. Please feel free to email us with any important information or updates. P2a: <u>Jennifer.Williamson@broughton-pri.edin.sch.uk</u>

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#### School lunches

School lunch choices are made online, via ParentPay by a Wednesday for the following week. If orders are not placed then children need to bring a packed lunch. This term we will be phasing classes back into the dining room. Children from P4 -P7 with packed lunches will still be able to eat outside.

#### <u>P.E.</u>

Please ensure your child has a named gym kit, including a change of t-shirt, shorts or joggers and gym shoes, in a separate gym bag that stays in school.

Gym kits will be sent home at the end of each term to be washed and then returned to school.

P2a and P2b will have Gym on a Monday.

# Dates for your diary

#### September

Mon 20<sup>th</sup> - Holiday

#### October

Wed 6<sup>th</sup> & Fri 8<sup>th</sup> - Parent Consultations Fri 15<sup>th</sup> - Break for Holiday Tues 26<sup>th</sup> - All Resume

#### November

Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> - Flu Vaccination Day Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> - Scottish Book Week

#### December

Fri 17<sup>th</sup> - Term Ends at 12 noon

Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> January - All Resume

# Home learning

This session we are celebrating 125 years of Broughton Primary School. Some of our home learning activities will be linked to this topic.

Home Learning activities will be posted on the class pages of the school website and Teams. Please let us know if you need a reminder of your Teams login details.

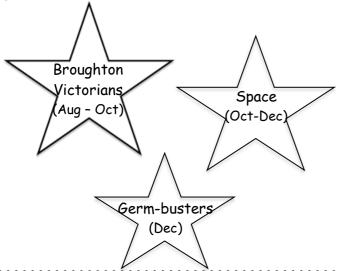
Home Learning activities will continue to be sent home monthly.

Pupils will be issued 1 or 2 reading books a week. Please ensure you send the book in the homework folder in daily for class reading activities. We are unable to issue new books until previous books are returned.

# P2 Newsletter - Term 1

# Interdisciplinary Learning

This term we are learning about Broughton Victorians. We will be comparing daily life from 125 years ago to the present day, in line with Broughton celebrating its 125<sup>th</sup> birthday. Our focus in Term 2 will be 'We are Scientists' where we will learn about the sun and moon, linking this to the seasons and the calendar; and looking at the spreading and prevention of germs.



### Discrete Subjects

Maths & Numeracy - Both classes will be following the SEAL programme this term. This block we will be focusing on counting forwards and backwards, number bonds and place value. We will also be covering Shape, Symmetry, Pattern and Data Handing.

Literacy- Children will continue with their vowel digraphs and tricky words in Literacy Rich, before moving onto consonant blends. Our writing will be linked to our topic work, creating recounts and descriptive writing. There will be a focus on capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.

P.E. - This term we are developing our Gymnastic skills before moving onto ball skills. By the end of the school year we aim to have ran 125 miles through our Daily Mile.

**RME** - We will be exploring upcoming Festivals and Celebrations.

H&WB - As a school we will continue to teach the tools needed to develop resilience. This is done through the 'Building Resilience' Programme. This term we will be focusing on 'Be Resilient' and 'Keep Connected'.

# Planned Opportunities for Wider Development

If your child celebrates an achievement outside of school e.g. Swimming certificates, sporting trophies, Brownies/Cubs awards, please share these with us. This can be shared in the whole school 'Big Book of Achievement' and then shared at our weekly assemblies.

Each week a Star Award is presented to a class pupil. This is announced at our assembly. Other opportunities for wider development will include:

- \* Class jobs.
- \* Sharing class learning through virtual assemblies.
- \*Outdoor Loose Parts Play

#### Ethos and Wider Life of the School

At Broughton we are very proud of the many ways that we help other people, both in our local community and around the world. This helps us to develop an awareness of our world and learn to be responsible citizens. This term P2 will take part in:

- \* Helping our house to earn lots of points
- \*Scottish Book Week
- \*P6 Buddies
- \*Joint P2 opportunities