# Turriff Primary School Termly Class Curricular Newsletter

## 2023/24 Term 4

#### CLASS NAME – P4A TEACHER/S NAMES – Miss Winton and Mrs Underwood



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<u>Class Timetable</u>	
Monday	PE – Outside - Athletics
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Mrs Bowie (am) – Music and Art
Thursday	
Friday	Mrs Underwood
	PE – Outside - Athletics
	Virtual Assembly PM
	Friendly Friday PM

#### Learning in Term 4

# Health and Wellbeing

Our PE focus for this term is fitness and athletics which will culminate in a Sports Day towards the end of term. As part of this, we will be developing our hand-eye coordination and accuracy skills in addition to improving our speed, strength and general fitness. We will continue to use the Bounceback programme to support our health and wellbeing lessons in addition to the Scottish Relationship, Sexual Health and Parenthood programme (First Level, Progression 2), which you are able to access online at <u>www.htps:/rshp.scot</u> should you wish to review the content in advance of these lessons.

## Literacy

Over the course of Term 4 we will be working on imaginative writing, newspaper reports and letter writing linked to our topic 'Rainforests'. We will continue to develop our reading comprehension skills and apply these during Accelerated Reader and guided reading sessions.

## Numeracy

During Term 4 we will be continuing to develop our number skills with a focus on fractions, addition and subtraction and multiplication and division. We will also reinforce and extend our working knowledge of money, angles and measure. This will all be linked to skills that children need to start developing to best prepare them for the life of work as part of our commitment to help develop the young workforce.

## **Other Curricular Areas**

This term we will be looking at 'Rainforests' where pupils will develop an understanding of climates, plants and animals within the rainforest. We will also have a visit from the Critter Keeper with his rainforest animals. The class will also be visiting the Science Centre linked to our Rainforest topic. Children will continue to develop their IT and Art skills throughout this topic. In French we will be looking at 'My Family, when is your birthday and writing about myself'. At the start of June, we will also have our Community Café where pupils will have created an enterprise piece.

#### <u>Homework</u>

Homework will be issued on the Tuesday of each week and should be returned the following Monday in your child's homework jotter. Homework will comprise of maths, spelling and reading. Reading records will accompany guided reading books outlining what should be read at home. A reminder that homework is not issued on short weeks.

#### <u>Notes</u>

Pupils should have their PE kit in a bag to take to school on PE days or leave in school. This term we will try to be outside for PE each week so please ensure they have suitable clothing, all of which should be labelled. Water, not juice should be provided in water bottles.