Bellsquarry Primary School

P6 Learning Overview

Term 1 (August – October 2019-20)

The main focus for learning this term will be:

Literacy

- Literacy Circles
- Whole class/group & partner discussions
- Written & verbal comprehension tasks
- Class novel – 'Street Child'
- SWST program with a variety of spelling strategies
- Variety of writing linked to topics
- Imaginative and persuasive writing focus

Numeracy

- Place value
- Estimation & rounding
- Number & number processes
- Data Handling
- Problem solving
- Mental arithmetic (including Number Talks and Sumdog)
- Money week

Health & Wellbeing

- Social and emotional wellbeing – Friendship Fortnight, Growth Mindset
- Emotion Works
- Internet safety
- P.E. – Basketball

Interdisciplinary Learning

- The Victorians - compare and contrast a society in the past with my own

Discrete Subjects

- French – Mrs Quinn – building on conversational language
- Science – Biology – Bats (life cycles, environments)
- RME – Growth Mindset Values, The Bible, The Golden Rule
- Music with Mrs England – exploring sound and rhythm
- Drama – Mrs Quinn

Opportunities for personal achievement and involvement in the ethos and wider life of the school

- Class/school responsibilities and Leadership roles – Door duties, Eco rep, Rights Respecting School rep, Pupil Council rep, Junior Road Safety Officers, classroom helper jobs, nursery buddies and helping in the playground.
- Class rewards and recognition of achievements
- House Points
- CfE certificates
- Sharing wider achievements through Profiling and talking activities

Other information

- PE – Tuesday and Wednesday
- Literacy Circles' on Wednesday due for the following Wednesday