

Fàilte gu
Mrs McFettridge, Mrs
MacRitchie agus
Clas 3/4

MEET THE TEACHER

CLAS 3 & 4

IN OUR CLASS THERE ARE:

13 PRIMARY 3S AND
7 PRIMARY 4S

MAKING OUR CLASS TOTAL
20

MRS MCFETTRIDGE WILL BE THE CLASS
TEACHER MONDAY – WEDNESDAY (FULL
DAYS) AND FRIDAY 1-3PM.

MRS MACRITCHIE WILL BE THE CLASS
TEACHER ON THURSDAY ALL DAY & FRIDAY
AM.

Who else is in our class?

- ◉ Mr Brown is our support assistant and assists with Language, Writing and Maths in Gaelic various times throughout the week.
- ◉ Mrs MacDermaid supports with English for Primary 4 and will support the rest of the class with language and maths at various other times.

CLASS RULES

- We have created our own class charter where we are all be responsible for following the rules.
 - Listen when others are talking
 - Work hard and try our best
 - We must speak Gàidhlig at all times
 - We help each other
 - We keep our classroom tidy
 - We must be kind to each other

REWARDS

POMPOMS

- We have a pom pom system which gives the children the chance to earn team points
- The rewards are individual and are earned through following the rules as well as doing extra.
- Rewards system provides motivation within the classroom.
- By having the points individual it gives the children ownership of their own actions and encourages them to follow the rules.

Pompoms can also be lost if pupils do not follow the class rules we created together - however they can also be earned back

Class Jobs

Daily class jobs assigned to each pupil in the class

Encourages class to work together as a team

Gives the children responsibility and ownership of their classroom so they feel more inclined to join in and look after their classroom

ÀM ÒIR (GOLDEN TIME)

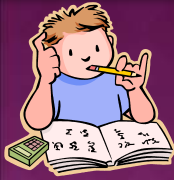
Each child automatically is given all their Golden Time at the start of the week.

- ◉ Loss of Golden Time

If the children lose golden time they will be given the chance to earn this back throughout the week.

P4s - will lose time from their activity clubs

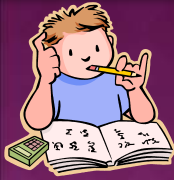
OBAIR DACHAIGH (HOMEWORK)



All homework is given out on a Monday and due in on a Friday

- ◉ Reading: Story world books are to be read at home every night (gaelic4parents.com)
- ◉ Spelling: will be sent home on a Monday
- ◉ Maths : consolidation of concept taught in school; this could be a worksheet or an Active Maths based activity
- ◉ Topic: Topic Homework given out during Big Topic Term (Jan-March)
- ◉ ****HOMEWORK WILL START MONDAY 3rd SEPT****

OB AIR DACHAIGH (HOMEWORK)



- Packs will go home on a Monday and are due in on Friday (or earlier if you wish)
- Each pack normally contains (unless instructed otherwise in homework diary):
 - Homework diary
 - Maths homework worksheet
 - Homework jotter
- P4 will receive an English folder on a Thursday with spelling words and reading book.

ADMIN

- Communication with the school:
Please check your child's diary/ school bag.

- Any urgent letters should be handed to me by yourself or the child in the morning.

School Website -

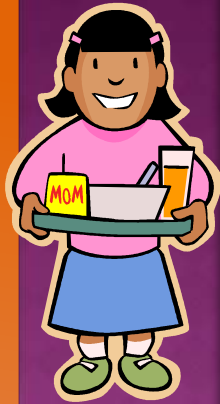
www.meadowburn.e-dunbarton.sch.uk

Parentmail - important information is sent regularly via parentmail.

- Family learning videos are available on the website

ADMIN

- ◉ No NUTS! (Snickers, Nutella etc.)
- ◉ No jewellery of any sort for P.E
- ◉ Pupils' names on clothing - to avoid any items being lost / mixed up
- ◉ Healthy tuck money/lunch account (P4) - please ensure funds are available
- ◉ Attendance -
if absent let school know by 9.30am every day.
If prolonged absence, keep in touch



CANAN (LANGUAGE)

◉ Listening and Talking

Warm up with grammar daily and focused listening activity on a Friday

◉ Reading books

Story world reading books

◉ Story writing

◉ Spelling

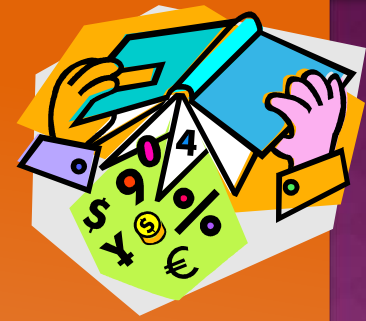
Weekly tests (Friday)

CANAN BEURLA

(ENGLISH LANGUAGE)

- Primary 4 only
- Reading books
 - English reading book sent home
- Spelling - Using Nelson spelling scheme
 - English language work in class in relation to weekly spelling words

MATHS



- Active Learning encouraged in Maths -
 - ICT (Smart board) (ipads)
 - use of mini white-boards,
 - maths games as a whole class / small groups
- Children also instructed to complete written tasks independently

ADDITIONAL CURRICULAR INFORMATION

Aug / September -

- ◉ "Mo Bhaile" (My Town) Social Studies we are looking at our community and looking at the different amenities that we have in local community.
- ◉ Road Safety - crossing the road safely.
- ◉ ICT will be on Tuesdays and initially will focus on enhancing keyboard skills.

HEALTH & WELLBEING

- P3/4 pupils have Football coaching with an SFA coach each week. This will be on Wednesdays for five weeks.
- They will have PE with Mrs MacRitchie on Thursdays. Initially this will be a ball skills and then progressing to Dance, Gymnastics and Athletics.
- Please ensure that your child has suitable clothing and footwear. They should have a water bottle in school and all clothing should have your child's name.

OUTDOOR LEARNING

- Pupils will be participating in Outdoor Learning as and when appropriate.
- Please ensure children come to school prepared for the Scottish weather with appropriate clothing and footwear.
- We will be doing the mile-a-day challenge, weather dependant and may be half miles a day but with a goal of 2 miles per week





SCHOOL TWITTER PAGE

BUN SGOIL INNIS AN UILLT (MEADOWBURN PRIMARY) has a twitter page to help you keep up to date with various events.

If you wish to follow the school please email your Twitter details to office@meadowburn.e-dunbarton.sch.uk (marked F.A.O Mrs Docherty re Twitter). This will enable us to ensure that only Meadowburn parents have access to the account. If you have any questions or suggestions with regard to Twitter please feel free to contact Mrs Docherty