



# Knightsridge Primary School

## Primary 1 Newsletter – Term 2



### News

Welcome to Term 2. Primary 1 have settled back into school well after our break and are enthusiastic about the fun this term will bring. We have many fantastic learning opportunities coming up across our KPS focus weeks which include Road Safety, Book Week Scotland and Anti-Bullying. Primary 1 will explore 'People Who Help Us' which will further develop our understanding of the world around us as well as explore links to our health and wellbeing. December is always a busy time in Knightsridge Primary School (all information will be shared later in the term). We are sure it will be a wonderful time with lots of special memories for everyone. Primary 1 will continue to strive to 'Be The Best We Can Be'. As always any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch with Miss Palmer or Mrs Kinnear.

### What You Need & When



This term our PE will be on **Tuesday and Friday** – please have appropriate footwear for being indoors. PE kit continues to be worn to school on these days - no football colours to be worn.

Please bring a water bottle daily and a healthy snack for break time. Water bottles can be filled up in school and milk is also available (payment required).

As the seasons continue to change please ensure you have a jacket for the playground and a jumper for the classroom.

### Home Help

This term we will continue to use SeeSaw. Weekly learning activities will be posted.

New Wordboost vocabulary will be provided weekly on SeeSaw for you to practice at home with pupils.

We will use SeeSaw to share our learning.



### Our Learning Summary



#### Literacy

In Literacy this term our focus Primary 1 will continue to build to their knowledge of the letter sounds and names of the alphabet. We will continue to blend these sounds together to read and write simple words. Primary 1 have been working hard to identify and write their own first name. We are excited to start learning about Rhyme and look forward to learning new rhyming songs.

#### Numeracy & Maths

In Numeracy, we will be Primary 1 will be continuing to focus on number recognition, sequencing and counting forwards and backwards. We worked hard to learn number bonds to 10 and are ready for the next challenge of number bonds to 20. In Maths, we will be learning all about Money. We will be able to identify coins up to £2 and have lots of fun playing in our classroom shop.

#### Health & Wellbeing

Primary 1 will continue to explore The Zones of Regulations. The children will be learning about different triggers, body sensations and a variety of regulation strategies. This work will support us to share and manage our emotions. Learners will also be focusing on the wellbeing indicators and will be introduced to the next two KPS Wellbeings 'Safe' and 'Included'.

In PE this term, Primary 1 will be developing their hand-eye coordination and team work skills in a variety of team games. Primary 1 will have Mrs Ferguson for PE this term.

### Important Dates in Term 2

#### October

- Pupils return on Tuesday 22nd
- 25<sup>th</sup>: Dress Down Friday

#### November

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Hallowe'en Parties at Mosswood (pm)
- 5<sup>th</sup>: Photos (Tempest) all individuals, P1 class photo and P7 class photo
- 29<sup>th</sup>: Dress Down Friday

#### December

**All December dates will be sent separately**



### Communication



#### X (formerly Twitter)

Please continue to follow our learning journey with regular updates on the

**Knightsridge X (Twitter) page**  
**@KnightsridgePr1**

Updates will also be posted on our KPS website

<https://knightsridge.westlothian.org.uk/>

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