



Torridon
Primary School

Reading

In Reading, we will be focusing on the book 'Journey to the River SEA' by Eva Ibbotson. We will cover a range of skills, when reading this text. In addition, we will focus on shorter extracts, and SATs style type questions. We will also take part in reading for pleasure sessions in the reading room.

Writing

In writing, our chosen book for this half term is 'The Arrival' by Shaun Tan. Throughout the term, we will focus on grammar, emotive language and vocabulary, leading up to a final outcome of a two diary entries, based on the journey within the book and a narrative.

Mathematics

This term, we will be focusing on decimals, multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000, and algebra. We will learn how to add and subtract decimals, as well as solve multiplication and division problems, involving decimals. There will be an arithmetic focus.

Meet the Team!

Year Group Lead: Claudia

Teaching Staff: Ada, Claudia, Piers

Support Staff: Abbygale, Georgia, Jamie,
Naheeda, Tatiana



Supporting Your Child's Learning

Reading records need to be signed at least 5 times in a week. Please ensure your child logs into their Mathletics, TTRS and spag.com accounts using their login details in their reading records. Activities are set every Friday. It is important that the children learn their spelling words from MS Teams weekly, as this will really help with their reading and writing. Please check the Spring 2 Home Learning assignment on MS Teams which is the project homework for this half term. Please remember to send in your child's reading record every day.

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Science

In Science this term, our topic is 'Animals including Humans'. Throughout this topic, we will identify the main parts of the human circulatory system. We will also explore the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. In addition, we will also look at the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.

Geography

This term, we will focus on finding out geographical similarities and differences between the Lake District, the Tatra Mountains and the Caribbean. We will study these three places in detail. During our research, we will identify human and physical characteristics and topographical features. We will also describe climate zones and mountains.

PSHE

In PSHE this term, we will learn about the role money plays in our lives and others, including how to manage money and be a critical consumer. We will explore why it is important to look after money. We will also analyse and evaluate the skills and attributes of entrepreneurs.

PE

Year 6 will need to wear their PE uniform on **Thursdays** and **Fridays**. In PE, we will be learning the key skills needed to choreograph and perform a gymnastic routine, in time to music. We will develop technique, control and balance, as well as flexibility.

Dance

In Dance, we will explore the movement material of the Ghost Dancers using characterisation. We will perform, using expressive skills.

Music

This term, Year 6 will work up to performing a chosen composed song, adding live elements, to finished tracks. We will identify the different elements of verse and chorus in songs, compose ideas for a chorus and write our own lyrics. Finally, we will carry out our performances.

French

In French, we will be focusing on transport. We will learn how to talk about different forms of transport. In addition, we will use our knowledge to describe our journey to school.



Art

The Art studio is transforming into a centre of ceramics for Spring Term Two. All children at Torridon will be exploring texture in the natural world through clay and learning about the work of Kate Malone and Courtney Mattison.

DT

In DT, we will use woodworking materials and skills to construct a woodwork display. We will research and develop design criteria, use tools and equipment and evaluate our ideas and products.

RE

In RE, we will reflect on human experiences of life and death. We will develop our understanding of how human experiences associated with death, are understood in different religions and the importance of celebrating a life.

Computing

In Computing, we will research and present information about historical figures in computing. We will solve problems and use logical reasoning. We will also learn how to use search engines effectively and use a variety of software.