

## My Learning in Literacy

<p><b>I will be learning about</b></p>	<p>We will begin the term by writing playscripts. This will focus on the acquisition of a thorough understanding of the features required by this genre. Next we will be writing stories with historical settings. In this we will write stories set in ancient China. These stories will emphasize the use of rich descriptive English.</p>
<p><b>The aim is to...</b></p>	<p>Understand the features of playscripts and comparing these with those of writing stories. To explore detailed descriptive writing techniques.</p>
<p><b>I will be able to....</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Children can identify the main text features of a playscript. How dialogue is written and the use of stage directions.</li> <li>▪ Children can plan a playscript with clearly defined scenes.</li> <li>▪ Children can tell a story orally, based on their reading, organised in a clear sequence.</li> <li>▪ Children can write a complete story, set in a historical context and organised into a clear sequence of events.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Helping at Home</b></p>	<p>With your child, read, explore, discuss and compare a wide range of stories, in a variety of formats, on paper and on screen.</p> <p>Also, the viewing of anything to do with China would help to introduce that country and culture.</p>

## My Learning in Mathematics

<p>I will be learning about</p>	<p>This term we are investigating fractions. We will learn to recognise fractions equivalent to <math>\frac{1}{2}</math>, We will draw reflections of shapes. The children will learn to recognise and continue number patterns using the addition and subtraction operations while passing through zero. There will also be an emphasis on problems involving money (up to £5) and time to the nearest 5 minutes.</p>
<p>The aim is to...</p>	<p>Build our confidence solving problems based on time or money. To gain a deeper understanding of fractions especially equivalents and fractions of shapes.</p>
<p>I will be able to....</p>	<p>Work out change when buying items, continue number patterns through zero, recognise equivalent fractions and to solve problems involving the passing of time.</p>
<p>Helping at Home</p>	<p>Support with Homework if needed. Learn and revise all times tables up to 10 times table.</p>

### **Class Projects**

This term we will be learning about China. We will concentrate on learning about the geography of China as well as an introduction to Chinese culture. The children will explore the geographical diversity of China. This will focus on the great rivers of China, the massive deserts and mountainous areas. We will study the culture of China, including the life of everyday people in the country. There will be an emphasis on mapwork and comparing there life experiences with our own. We will include the study of Chinese art in general, and the work of the Chinese landscape artist            in particular.

Your child's class teacher will always be able to talk with you should you have any further questions about the information in this guide, or want to discuss your child's progress.

Your child's individual targets can be found in their Literacy and Mathematics books.



# Lyng CE Primary School

## Rowan Class

# Information for Parents Year 3 Our Learning for Summer Term 2014