

CURRICULAR AND INTERDISCIPLINARY LEARNING

'Ready Steady Go!' Getting ready for a new term of learning together by planning, 'doing' and reviewing all our start of session tasks and routines, eg helpers jobs, organising and taking care of resources etc.

Pre-5 mini topic 'All about me'

'Story time.' Combining reading, writing speaking, listening, drama and art to explore popular rhyming tales, and having a go at creating our own stories to share with Small Isles Primary School.

TIMETABLED ACTIVITIES

PE - Monday pm and Wednesday am
Gaelic with Miss McKellar - Friday pm (P1/7), Monday am(Pre-5)
Reading together - P1-7 paired and individual reading and comprehension after lunch on Tues. Wed. Thurs.
ICT with Mrs Baker - Monday pm
Eco schools - Wednesday afternoons

VISITORS AND EVENTS

Islay Book Festival visit from author Daniela Sacerdoti.
Story Walk to RSPB Loch Gruinart
Open afternoon - come and join in with some literacy games and enjoy sharing favourite books with your children - date to be confirmed.
Ailsa Birmingham - Child Smile dental health
More to be announced!

**Pre 5 and P1-4 IN THE BIG ROOM
AUTUMN TERM 2014**

ETHOS AND LIFE OF OUR SCHOOL

Friendship, Excellence, Respect

Skills focus - Becoming a successful learner, finding out what we are good at and setting ourselves challenges.
Welcoming Isla, our new 3yr old and helping Ava, Owen and Calum to settle into whole days at school!
Assemblies - Miss MacCrae will be working with the whole school to make sure that we understand and 'live' our school values.

CORE LEARNING

Health and Wellbeing - PE, indoor and outdoor games, teeth brushing, flexi snack, healthy choices.
Creating a **literacy** rich environment through our 'Story time' topic - imaginative writing, traditional tales, story walks, listening and responding to stories and reading aloud.
Maths/numeracy - counting, sorting, ordering numbers, place value and our number system, rounding and estimation. Addition and subtraction strategies. X tables for the older ones!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENT

Getting organised for a new learning session
Individual targets
Active Learning/Personal Planning
Pre 5 organising flexi snack
Floor book group planning
Review, reflect and respond