

Numeracy – following the ‘New Heinemann Maths’ scheme.

Number – Addition and Subtraction to 1000 (mental and written strategies), Numbers to 10,000.

Multiplication – $\times 2$ – $\times 10$, $\div 2$ – $\div 10$, $\times 10/100$.

Measures – Length and Area.

Fractions – Halves, quarters, tenths, thirds and fifths.

Problem Solving – following the ‘Can Do’ scheme children learn to solve mathematical problems or puzzles, recognise simple patterns or relationships, to generalise and predict outcomes and to explain their reasoning. Using the iZAK 9 resource.

ICT –

Digital Storytelling: Publishing – Create text, altering its content, font size, style and colour for best effect. Combine and position text and images appropriately. Scale an image proportionally. Create a digital publishing product e.g. Roald Dahl poster.

Desktop Publishing – Using Adobe Express to illustrate research work.

Managing Data – research and compile a fact sheet about the history of the car.

The World Around Us – ‘Off on Tour’

To recognise places and features, local and global, on a plan, map or photograph.

Identify some buildings which have been used for different purposes in the past

Trip (date tbc.) – Fermanagh Tourist Centre.

Other Information

Uniform –

BOYS - Grey trousers, red school sweatshirt, grey polo shirt.

GIRLS - Grey skirt or trousers, red school sweatshirt, red polo shirt, grey tights or long white socks.

SHOES - Black flat soft soled shoes. Trainers to be worn on P.E. days only.

P.E. – P.E. kit required twice per week (as advised by the class teacher). Children can come to school in their kits on allocated P.E. days only. No jewellery to be worn – plasters can cover earrings if required.

Breakfast Club – Open for all year groups from 8.00am. If attending, children must order breakfast e.g. toast/cereal. Parents are billed at the end of each month.

Attendance – all absences must be accounted for. Please telephone/email school indicating reason for absence or complete appropriate section in your child’s homework diary. Holidaying during term time is discouraged – teachers will not be required to set work in advance or to provide work as a means of ‘catch up’. The Department of Education no longer provides an attendance code for such absences.

Homework – as advised by class teacher.

School dinners cost £15.50 per week (£3.10 per day) and should be booked in advance using the ParentPay App.

Break – school follows a healthy break programme – no crisps, sweets, chocolate to be brought to school – We are also a NUT FREE school – please adhere to this strictly. One ‘treat item’ is permitted in lunchbox. This is closely monitored by lunchtime supervisors.

Essential Items Required – pencils / colouring pencils, gel pens, rubber, sharpener, folder, pritt stick and a 30 cm ruler (all labelled). A box of tissues to donate to the class is also useful.



Monday to Friday

3.00 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

Qualified Assistants

Can be used flexibly

£3 per hour (£7 for entire session)

Snack provided after 4.00 p.m.

Collect child from assembly hall door.

Thank you for supporting this service.

LISBELLAW PRIMARY SCHOOL ‘Learning for the Future.’

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS



Date: Term 1, 2026 – 2027

Year 5

Key areas of the curriculum to be covered this term: -

Literacy – Topic ‘Off on Tour’.

Reading –

Guided and Independent banded readers fiction/non-fiction
Class Novel – The Suitcase Kid (Jacqueline Wilson), The Twits Next Door (Roald Dahl). The Explorer (Katherine Rundell)

Comprehension / Grammar

The children will continue to complete reading and comprehension activities based on topic work using Collins Primary. Grammar includes work on sentence structure, phrases, exclamation marks and parts of speech including nouns, verbs, adverbs and adjectives.

Writing –

Activities e.g. report/recount/poetry/narrative based/ book review on topic work
Handwriting following ‘Twinkl’ scheme.

Spellings –

Following the ‘Prim-Ed’ Spelling Programme.
Spelling set for Monday to Wednesday, Thursday revision of words for Friday test. Complete spelling activities each night.
Strategies - Look, say, cover, write and check, Mnemonics, Have-a-go.

**** areas/topics listed do not include differentiated work.**