

Year 1 Term 3 Overview

We are excited to welcome back all children and families to Term 3! We hope you all enjoyed the holiday break. This term the children will continue to engage in curriculum based learning experiences that challenge their thinking and expand on their prior knowledge. This overview will outline what we will be learning about in term 3.

English



Writing

Children will comprehend literary texts, such as fairy tales and make connections to personal experiences. Through the exploration of imaginary characters, settings and events, students will create new, short spoken and written texts with imaginative, informative and persuasive purposes. These texts include procedures, descriptions, information reports and opinions with one or more supporting reasons that can persuade others to think and feel a similar way.

Spelling

The spelling program will continue to introduce two new sounds each week and include revision of the sounds previously taught.

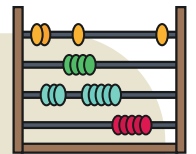
Reading

Children will continue to participate in modelled, shared and partner reading using and applying their phonics skills both in class and at home with their take home reading books.

Oral Language

In oral language students will bring in objects, drawings or photos based on provided topics gaining confidence when speaking aloud and furthering their oral language skills.

Mathematics



Addition and Subtraction

Students will represent and solve simple addition and subtraction problems using a range of strategies including counting on, partitioning and rearranging parts.

Sharing and Grouping

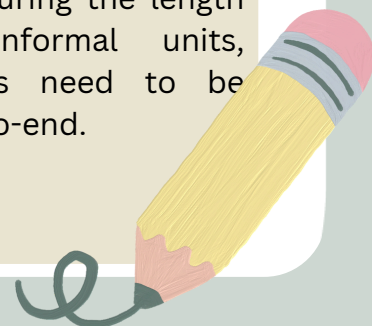
use mathematical modelling to solve practical problems involving equal sharing and grouping; represent the situations with diagrams, physical and virtual materials, and use calculation strategies to solve the problem

Statistics

Choose simple questions and gather responses and make simple inferences
Represent data with objects and drawings where one object or drawing represents one data value. Describe the displays

Measurement

Students will develop an understanding of how to compare and order objects and events using familiar attributes including mass, capacity, length, and duration. Students will develop an understanding of measuring the length of objects using informal units, recognising that units need to be uniform and used end-to-end.



Humanities and Social Sciences

Geography

This term children will identify and describe the natural, managed and constructed features of places. They will identify the changes in features of these places over time and describe how to care for the different places in their world.



Child Protection Curriculum

Recognising and Reporting Abuse

This term the children will be supported to understand what privacy means. They will learn about their different body parts and how to keep them safe and private, as well as the different types of abuse and the importance of reporting abuse to trusted adults.

Specialist Subjects

Students will work with a specialist teachers for 45 minutes each day. Please see the school website for their individual newsletters.



Tissues

It would be appreciated if each child could donate a box of tissues to be used in the classroom.



Technologies



Digital and Design Technologies will be integrated throughout learning experiences across all areas. Children will have opportunities to practise both logging in to the computer and navigating simple programs, as well as interacting with the classroom smartboard.

Science

Earth and Space

In science children will be investigating the weather and describing daily and seasonal changes in the environment. They will explore how these changes affect everyday life noticing how daily weather indicators and seasonal patterns help us to make plans for activities in our daily lives



Zones of Regulation

We will participate in learning of the Zones of Regulation curriculum. Children will continue to develop awareness of feelings, energy and alertness levels while exploring a variety of tools and strategies for self regulation, self care and wellness.



Important Dates

Week 4 Silly Science Incursion

Week 5 Book Week

Week 7 School Closure **Mon 2nd Sep**

Week 9 Market Day **Wed 18th Sep**

Week 10 2pm Early Finish **Friday 27th Sep**

