

YEAR 1 TERM 3 OVERVIEW

Excellence & Honour

English

Students engage with a variety of spoken, written and multimodal texts including poetry, rhymes and performances from classic and contemporary Australian and world authors. Students investigate how texts are organised according to their purpose and explore repetition, rhyme, rhythm and alliteration. Students discuss and share responses and learn how to express opinions through speaking and writing, by making connections to their own experiences. They will create a multimodal text to recite a poem and express an opinion with reasons, for an audience. In their spoken presentation they will use features of voice, facial expressions, volume and pace.

Humanities and Social Sciences

This semester, students will explore familiar places at school and on a local scale for example; parks. They will recognise, identify and describe the features of places as either natural, constructed or managed and suggest ways to care for and improve places. Students will practice using simple directions to move from one place to another.

Spanish

Students will be introduced to family. They will explore diverse family customs and traditions in Spanish-speaking countries. They will be familiarising themselves with the basic Spanish words and the distinctive sounds through interactions and activities.

Physical Education and Health

In this unit, students will demonstrate fundamental movement skills in a variety of sequences and situations. They will explore solutions and solve movement challenges in play-based games.

Maths

This term students will:

- continue to consolidate their knowledge of numbers and counting to, and from 100.
- explore addition and subtraction concepts.
- investigate and explore Australian coins and their value.
- compare, measure and order objects using non-standard units, based on their length and capacity.
- investigate and describe location of objects and use mathematical language to give and follow directions.

Media Arts

Students will explore characters and settings in media artworks inspired by familiar nursery rhymes.

Technology

Students will learn what a digital system is, and identify hardware and software. Students will learn the connection between the two and how together they create a digital system. They will gain an understanding of how digital systems can be used to communicate.

The Arts

Students will make and perform drama that communicates ideas and stories. They will use voice, facial expression, movement and space to imagine and establish role and situation.

In Visual Arts students will make artworks in different forms to express their ideas, observations and imagination, using different techniques and processes.