

YEAR 1

TERM 3 OVERVIEW

We hope you had a fantastic holiday and are looking forward to another great term. Please find below an outline of what we are covering in Year 1 during this term.

RELIGION

Throughout the term we will be focussing on the following units "Jesus Teller of Stories" and "Confirmation".



ENGLISH

This term we will focus on poetry and informative writing. The primary texts from which we base skills and concepts to be learned will be Possum Magic and Wombat Stew. We started writing some fantastic "sizzling starts" last term and will continue to work with the children on developing their writing using the "Seven steps to Writing Success". Proof reading and editing skills are continually revised. There is a continued emphasis on good listening and speaking skills with all students participating in Public Speaking.



MATHEMATICS

This term we will cover the main topics of: Whole Number, Multiplication and Division, 3D objects, Addition and Subtraction, Chance, Area and Fractions. The children will also revise their skills in previously taught areas. We strongly encourage the children to continue working on their 200 Hits in their home learning time.

GEOGRAPHY

Where We Play

This unit integrates the Key Learning Areas of HSIE, English and Creative Arts. The unit provides learning experiences for the children to explore places in our local area. They will identify and examine natural and human environments.

PDHPE

Year 1 will also continue to work in the Social Emotional learning domain using The Kimochis and the Leader in Me programs. We will also complete a unit on "Play it Safe". The children will participate in gymnastics lessons on Thursday this term. Mr Perez will continue teaching PE on Tuesdays.

VISUAL ARTS

This term the children will study the art works and techniques of Matisse and Romero Britto.

HOMEWORK

The children need to continue with their reading, spelling and Maths homework each night. Homework is due back each Monday. Red folders need to come to school each day so that the children can change their readers. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us to maintain class schedules.

HOUSEKEEPING

Library borrowing will continue to be on Tuesday.

Library lessons will continue on Thursday.

Music and sport will be on Tuesday.



Thank you to all parents for your ongoing support.

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