

# CURRICULUM OVERVIEW



## PREP - TERM ONE

### IN ENGLISH, LEARNERS WILL

- listen to a range of literary and non-literary texts for enjoyment.
- become familiar with concepts about print, such as
  - identifying the front cover, back cover, title and author of a book
  - knowing which direction we read
  - knowing that words have spaces between them and sentences end with a full stop
  - and knowing the difference between letters, numbers, words and pictures
- develop recall of letters and sounds.
- segment words into sounds e.g. cat is /c//a//t/.
- blend sounds together to make words e.g. /c/ /a/ /t/ put together is cat.
- understand that words have meaning, e.g. recognising familiar signs and labels in their environment.
- respond to stories, idenitfying personal connections, likes, dislikes and favourite characters.
- share orally about favourite stories.
- practise speaking clearly in sentences.
- practise forming letters correctly and writing and recognising their own name.

### IMPORTANT DATES

**First Day of Term One** Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January

Parent Information Sessions Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February (Week 4)

Harmony Day Activities (Wear orange or cultural clothes) Date TBC (Week 9)

**Easter Bonnet Parade**Date TBC (Week 10)

Last Day of Term One Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

WE ARE COOPERATIVE
WE ARE PEACEFUL
WE ARE RESPECTFUL

### IN MATHEMATICS, LEARNERS WILL

- become familiar with numbers to 10 and beyond.
- count forwards and backwards to and from 10 and beyond.
- make connections between number names, numerals and quantities.
- compare quantities (more, less, the same).
- count collections of objects.
- sequence numbers to 10.
- copy, create and identify simple repeating patterns.
- describe location using positional language e.g. between, beside, behind, above, forwards and towards.
- ask and answer questions to gather data.
- represent, collect, sort, quantify and compare data.





## CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

## PREP - TERM ONE



#### IN SCIENCE. LEARNERS WILL

- learn about the five senses and how we use them to find out about the world and make scientific observations.
- group plants and animals based on external features.
- use observation and questioning to learn about the natural world.
- engage in investigations and make observations safely.
- represent observations and identify patterns.

#### IN THE ARTS, I FARNERS WILL

- describe experiences, observations, ideas and/or feelings about arts works they encounter at school, home and/or in the community.
- use play, imagination, arts knowledge, processes and/or skills to create and share arts works in different forms.





#### IN TECHNOLOGY, LEARNERS WILL

• follow steps and use materials and equipment to safely make a designed solutions for a school-selected context.

#### IN HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (HASS). LEARNERS WILL

- identify significant people in their own lives.
- learn about families and identify members of their own family.
- learn about family trees.
- explain and sequence how people grow and change over time.
- learn about different ways that families celebrate.
- share about personal celebrations and family events.
- talk about how people remember the past using photographs, objects, oral stories and mementos.



#### IN HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION, LEARNERS WILL

- describe similarities and differences between themselves and others and different emotions people experience.
- demonstrate personal and social skills to interact respectfully with others.
- apply fundamental movement skills to manipulate objects and space in a range of movement situations.
- identify the benefits of being physically active and how rules make play fair and inclusive.