



# Term 3 Overview 2017

<p>English</p>	<p><b>Narrative Writing-</b> We will be writing our own stories with a focus on creativity and widening our vocabulary.</p> <p><b>Reading Comprehension-</b> We will continue running our Reading Comprehension on a Monday with Laura. Keep your eye out in the newsletters for the skills we are working on.</p> <p><b>Spelling and Phonics-</b> Explicit spelling and phonics lessons will occur Tuesday mornings. A spelling rule will be given each week and students will practice I in class.</p> <p><b>Morning talks-</b> Your child's day remains the same as last term. Please continue to support with preparation for morning talks, the kids really love doing them.</p> <p><b>Also a reminder that we have library lessons with Aimee Lee on Mondays so please remember to remind your children to bring back returns.</b></p>
<p>Maths</p>	<p><b>Measurement-</b> Length, Width, Area, Perimeter and Capacity will be explored this term. We are having a huge focus on Mathematical Language and are practicing using the correct mathematic terminology.</p>
<p>Science</p>	<p>Students will have the opportunity to develop awareness of waste and the negative impact it is having upon our environment. We will conduct guided investigations of waste in our local surroundings, and use our findings as the basis for developing solutions for managing waste at home, at school, and in the community.</p>
<p>Health and PE</p>	<p><b>Health-</b> Lisa covers some aspects of the health curriculum in our kitchen lessons. We will explore the health benefits of exercise and discuss the importance of Physical Education</p> <p><b>PE-</b> We will continue to focus on good sportsmanship, fundamental movement skills and game sense. Students will choose which sport we focus on.</p>
<p>HASS</p>	<p><b>Our Local Community -</b> This term students will describe a person, site and/or event of significance in the local community and explain why</p>

	places are important to people. They will identify how and why the lives of people have changed over time while others have remained the same. When reflecting on their learning students will suggest ways to care for places and sites of significance.
<b>The Arts</b>	This term our learning in Science will complement Media Arts. Both the Junior and Upper Primary classes will be developing skills in animation to convey the message of 'Reduce, Reuse, Recycle'. Junior Primary students will be using the iPad app 'Puppet Pals' to create their animation while the Upper Primary class will use 'Stop Motion Pro' to design and present their media works.
<b>Design and Technology</b>	Students will plan and design their costume for the Christmas Concert.
<b>Child Protection Curriculum</b>	This term we are looking at children's rights, identifying safe and unsafe situations and trust networks. We will be reading the novel Matilda by Roald Dahl and discussing Matilda's trust networks and safe and unsafe situations in her life.