



Stage 3 – Term 3 Curriculum Overview 2018

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome to Term Three. We will be focusing on the following areas:

Religion: We will commence the term with the unit, '*Sacraments of Service*' and then follow on with unit '*Stewards of Creation*'.

Mathematics: As well as revising all areas of mathematics that were covered last semester, we will be covering strands such as 2D and 3D shapes, measurement, chance, algebra and patterns, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, fractions and decimals as well as continuing to develop problem solving and reasoning strategies.

English: We will begin this term with poetry writing followed by informative writing linked to our Science unit. Students will be completing a voice of youth speech as part of their extended learning (homework). We will be 'checking in' with students each week before they present their speeches in Week 6. Be sure to access the extended learning page on our google classroom page for information about Voice of Youth.

Geography: '*A Diverse and Connected World.*' Students will investigate Australia's connection to the Asian region through trade, tourism, aid and historic ties.

Science and Technology: '*Earth's Place In Space.*' We will be exploring how the patterns in the sky relate to days, months and years. Students will also investigate the elements of our Solar System and Earth's position within it.

PDHPE: Sport will be held on Fridays. Our focus is on '*Volleyball*' and students will participate in a range of activities to develop coordination and teamwork. Our Personal Development Unit is '*Safe to Travel*' students will participate in a range of activities and scenarios to continue to develop their skills and understandings of road safety.

Creative Arts: Students will be developing their skills in Visual Arts through a variety of different learning experiences and mediums.

Music: Music will be taught on Thursdays. This will involve a range of instruments and the singing of songs and the learning of Music notation.

Extended Learning Google Classroom (Homework): Voice of Youth writing and studyladder tasks.

Library: The children will be attending Library each Tuesday and require a library bag.

We look forward to another stimulating and productive term. Please feel free to contact us to discuss any issues that may arise.

Regards

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