

Prep Curriculum Overview - Term 4, 2024

English

This term, students explore different ways people can communicate ideas and feelings. They will learn to write a recount of a familiar story.

In this unit, students will focus on:

- ✓ Form known upper- and lower-case letters accurately
- ✓ Use sound knowledge to write familiar words, phrases and sentences
- ✓ Use full stops to end sentences and capital letters at the start of sentences and for proper nouns
- ✓ Create simple and compound sentences to express our ideas using WHO, WHERE, WHEN and WHAT HAPPENED to structure our sentences
- ✓ Engage with short decodable texts to enhance their understanding and fluency by applying their knowledge of letter sounds
- ✓ Learn key concepts of print
- ✓ Literal and inferential questions
- ✓ Review purpose of imaginative and informative texts.

Math

In this unit, students will focus on:

- ✓ Making connections between number names, numerals and quantities up to 10
- ✓ Counting to and from 20 and ordering small collections

Science

In this unit, students investigate and describe the way objects move depending on various factors, including size and shape. Students will ask questions and engage in discussions about observations and represent their ideas.

Hass

In this unit, students will explore how their family's stories have shaped their identities and how their stories can be communicated in different ways. Throughout this unit, students will share their memory with an audience and ask questions to find out more information.

Health and Physical Education

In this unit, students will practice fundamental movement skills to music and describe their body's responses in performance. They will explore safe and unsafe scenarios, learn about safety symbols, and identify safe places and trusted people at home, school, and in public. Additionally, they will recognise community helpers and how to seek assistance in various situations.

Music

In this unit, students will perform music, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander pieces and Queensland compositions on percussion. Students will sing and play instruments to improvise and practise a repertoire of chants, songs and rhymes.

Technology

In this unit, students will explore a range of digital technologies and digital systems and learn how they work and operate. Students will follow, describe and represent a sequence of steps and decisions to solve simple problems.