

Year 2 Curriculum Overview - Term 1 2025

English

This term, students are focusing on developing their skills in expressing opinions and understanding characters in literature. They will learn to share their thoughts about a character from a familiar text, explaining why they feel a certain way about them. Additionally, students will practice recounting events from the perspective of a character, exploring their experiences, thoughts, and emotions to better understand the character's point of view. This will help build empathy and strengthen their storytelling abilities.

Maths

In this unit, students will:

- Recognise, order, represent and partition three-digit numbers
- Locate and identify features on simple maps, and give and follow simple directions
- Collect, record and represent data

Science

In this unit, students will investigate plant growth and change. Students will do planting a range of different plants and making observations of the changes each week. Students will record observations and changes in their science notebooks.

HaSS

This semester, students will identify the significant of a local person, group, place and/ or building. They will explore how connections to history and place shape identity, diversity and belonging. Students will also identify that places can be spatially represented in different geographical division, and how people and places are interconnected.

Health

In this unit, students will identify and explore skills and strategies to develop respectful relationships. They will practise strategies they can use when they need to seek, give or deny permission respectfully, and ways to interact with others in a fair and respectful way in play and other activities.

Physical Education

In this unit, students demonstrate fundamental movement skills (instep pass, punt kick and one hand strike) and test alternatives to solve AFL movement challenges (to reach their targets). All Prep to Year 6 classes will be preparing for Cross Country during the later part of Term 1. The Cross Country is on Wednesday 26th March. More information to come.

The Arts

In The Arts this year, students will explore music, dance, drama, media and visual art. They will create artwork using different materials and technology and express themselves through movement. Throughout the year, students will both make and respond to various art forms, reflecting on their work and the work of others. This will help them develop critical thinking, creativity, and an appreciation for the arts in all its forms.