



Year 5/6 Term 2 Overview

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Religious Education

This term in Religious Education students will be exploring the units of Confirmation and Baptism.

- In Confirmation, students will explore how God gave people the freedom and ability to make choices.
- In Baptism, students will explore how baptised people love God and learn to share God's love with others and creation.

Health

This term in Health students will be looking at:

- Ways that individuals and groups adapt to different contexts and situations
- Reliable sources of information that inform health, safety and wellbeing
- Preventive health measures that can promote and maintain community health, safety and wellbeing
- Strategies that promote a healthy lifestyle

Mathematics

This term in Mathematics students will be exploring the following topics:

- Mental/written subtraction, multiplication and division strategies
- Square numbers and triangular numbers
- Decimal fractions
- Factors, multiples and prime composite numbers
- Angles
- Grid references/Cartesian coordinates
- 3D shapes

History

This term in History students will be focusing on:

- The economic, political and social reasons for establishing British colonies in Australia after 1800
- The patterns of colonial development and settlement and how this impacted upon the environment
- The contribution or significance of one individual or group in shaping the Swan River Colony

Science

In our Physical Sciences units this term, students will be experimenting to find that light can be absorbed, reflected, refracted or form shadows. They will also use electrical circuits to transfer and transform of electrical energy.

English

This term in English students will be learning how to write narrative and explanation texts. Students will be focusing on editing their work, using more sophisticated connectives and exploring ambitious vocabulary.

Music

Term Two is about Music Feste. The students will be performing their OWN composition. It will revolve around the pentatonic scale and the form of Rondo (parts A, B, A, C, A). Students will be responsible in composing, learning, and maintaining their own part at correct timing and technique when performing with their classmates.

Digital Technologies

This term in Digital Technologies students will be examining how whole numbers are used to represent all data in digital systems. Students will also be given the opportunity to 'run their own business', using a spreadsheet on the Numbers app to help with handling the data.

Homework

- Spelling (daily in their homework book)
- Mathematics (completed by Friday each week)
- Reading (10-20 minutes daily out loud and signed off in their Reading Log)

Visual Arts

This term students are looking at form. They will do this by exploring clay and drawing.

Indonesian

Topics that will be covered during Indonesian lessons this term include: time, day and months, body parts, clothes, weather conditions and classroom objects.

Physical Education

This term in Physical Education, children will be preparing for the Cross Country Carnival. The children will also be involved in a unit of work focussed on soccer as well as preparation for the Athletics Carnival.