

It is hard to believe that we are already beginning Term 2. It is a busy term with lots of fun events to enjoy together and to prepare for your Junior Unit child. This Parent Planner contains important information regarding events this term and an overview of your child's learning.

Our learning this term is centred around 'Health'. There is some excellent children's literature and informative books that we will explore based on this topic, including resources from Colgate and an incursion from Bravehearts which will be a great way to apply our knowledge and learn even more!

Please don't forget to check Compass/Seesaw regularly as some information and reminders are also sent via the school office. We look forward to another wonderful term ahead.

Mrs Kennedy 😊

Homework Expectations

- Nightly reading for at least 10 minutes is expected on school nights.
 - Practice sight words (coloured words)
 - Practice Sounds Write unit words
- Please ensure Reader Bags and Diaries are brought to school every Tuesday to be checked for nights of reading.

Show and Tell

Free Choice

Students can bring in something to share of their own choice. Through this they will develop their speaking and listening skills. Dates are attached in the second document.

Integrated Studies

Healthy Living

This health inquiry unit focuses on how we can stay healthy, including what we eat, physical activity & teeth health. This will be integrated into English and Mathematics.



TERM 2 KEY DATES

Monday 25th April - ANZAC Day
Wednesday 4th May - Mother's Day Stall
Thursday 5th May - School House Athletics Day
Wednesday 25th May - National Simultaneous Storytime
Friday 20th May - Curriculum Day
Friday 27th May - School photos
Friday 10th June - Curriculum Day
Monday 13th June - Queens Birthday (Public Holiday)

Wellbeing

Students will continue to explore our school values and expectations and will participate in whole class discussions and activities around positive coping and problem solving strategies as part of the Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships program.

Specialist Subjects

TUESDAY

Physical Education (Miss Sutton)

WEDNESDAY

Indonesian (Mrs Egan)

Art (Mrs Neville)

English

As part of writing, students will create a variety of Recount, Response and Persuasive texts focussing on recording known sounds, building to write at least 2 sentences. They will also explore Narrative texts, retelling and creating them orally. In Reading, they will focus on making predictions, text connections and decoding skills.

Word Work (Sounds-Write)

Students will take part in daily phonic activities where students will learn to identify letter-sounds, write and build CVC words and write words in sentences.



Mathematics

Throughout this term, students will be creating their own surveys, representing the data with pictographs. They will explore the features of 2D shapes and the days of the week. In Number they will continue to explore numbers to 20 and beyond, numbers before and after and use materials such as 10 frames and number lines to represent.