Stage 3 Newsletter Term 2, 2022

Welcome

The Stage 3 teaching team are looking forward to working with your children this term and providing them with opportunities to learn and grow. Please review the term ahead and feel free to contact your child's teacher if you have questions or concerns.

Weekly Events

This term students will participate in weekly music, art and library lessons. They will also participate in sports lessons conducted by Sport in School Australia (SISA) on Wednesday afternoon. Scripture will be every Tuesday from Week 4.

	Sport	Library	Scripture
65M	Wednesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
65W	Wednesday	Tuesday	Tuesday
65SH	Wednesday	Tuesday	Tuesday

Homework

Homework will continue on a fortnightly cycle. Homework will be posted to Google Classrooms on Mondays. Tasks are designed to complement learning that is taking place in the classroom. Students are encouraged to submit the work via Google Classrooms by Friday each fortnight.

Important Dates

WINTER PSSA - EACH FRIDAY

NAPLAN - 10TH,11TH,12TH &16TH MAY

NAPLAN MAKE UP TESTS - 17TH,18TH & 19TH MAY

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY - 24TH MAY

SYMPHONIA JUBILATE FAMILY CONCERT - 28TH MAY

BASS DAY - 31ST MAY

MUSIC CAMP - 8TH-10TH JUNE

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL - 15TH JUNE

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY - 20TH JUNE

STRINGS GALA CONCERT 30TH JUNE

Term 2 Learning Overview

English

This term students are learning about persuasive language and devices and how to use them when writing a persuasive text or speech. They will be engaged in creating advertisements, commercials, letter writing and reviews. Through presenting, students will develop speaking and listening skills. Students also read in small groups using comprehension strategies to better understand texts.

Maths

Students are learning to develop their mathematical thinking by engaging in a variety of maths tasks each week. We will focus on thinking flexibly with numbers and using a range of strategies to solve problems. Students will be encouraged to justify their answers.

Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Angles	Multiplication & Division	Time	Fractions & Decimals	Whole Number	3D	Volume & Capacity

Other Key Learning Areas

Geography: Students investigate how people change the natural environment and how the environment influences the human characteristics of places. Students explore the impact bushfires have on Australian people, places and environments and propose ways people can reduce the impact of bushfires in the future.

Art: Students will work with specialist art teacher Signora Mazzeo to produce art using a range of media to complement learning in Geography about the Australian Environment including local flora and fauna.

Personal Development: Students will participate in Child Protection lessons. Year 5 will learning about maintaining supportive and healthy relationships. Year 6 will learn about recognising and responding to different types of abuse though networks of support.

Physical Education: Students will participate in the SISA program or an alternative sports program with teachers. SISA offers students the opportunity to engage in athletics, gymnastics, sport development and well-being and social skills activities.

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