



TERM 3 CURRICULUM NOTE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Australia's Catholic Story- this unit explores the story of the Catholic Church in Australia. Students will investigate key events and people that have shaped the identity and growth of the Catholic Church in Australia.

MATHEMATICS

Key areas of learning this term include, fractions, decimals, measurement, angles and location. Students will be encouraged to work mathematically by choosing appropriate strategies, justifying their thinking, reasoning effectively, and persisting through challenges across all strands.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Food Webs

Students interpret food webs to explain the flow of matter and energy in ecosystems. They identify how changes to plants and animals affect Australian ecosystems and examine evidence of environmental change over time. Students also describe how Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' sustainable practices continue to protect the environment.

PDHPE

Risky Business- Students will explore a range of scenarios and identify factors that assist them to recognise if they need to act in order to protect their own or others safety. They will research and identify people, places and sources of information that can be trusted when they and others are in need of support or assistance.

SPECIALIST TIMETABLE

- Monday: Class Sport (please wear sport uniform)
- Thursday: Library
- Thursday: Creative Arts:
- Friday: PE (please wear sport uniform)

ENGLISH

In weeks 1-5 we will be focusing on digital articles and looking at the authority of a news report. Students will gain a greater understanding of the textual concepts of 'argument and authority' and 'perspective and context'. In weeks 6-10, students will use the mentor text 'Worse Things', to gain a deeper understanding of the textual concepts of 'perspective and context' and 'theme'.

HISTORY

Australia in the 1900s

Students explore how Australia developed as a nation during the 20th century. They investigate Federation, the Constitution, Australia's political and legal systems, and the changing experiences of First Nations peoples, women, and migrants. Using historical sources, they develop critical thinking skills.

CREATIVE ARTS

Music and Drama lessons will be led by Mrs Paul. As part of the 2026 Religious Creative Arts Competition, students will be challenged to produce a piece of art demonstrating understanding of and connection to the religious theme - **FAITH**.

HOME LEARNING

Home learning will be given on a Monday and is to be returned on a Friday.

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