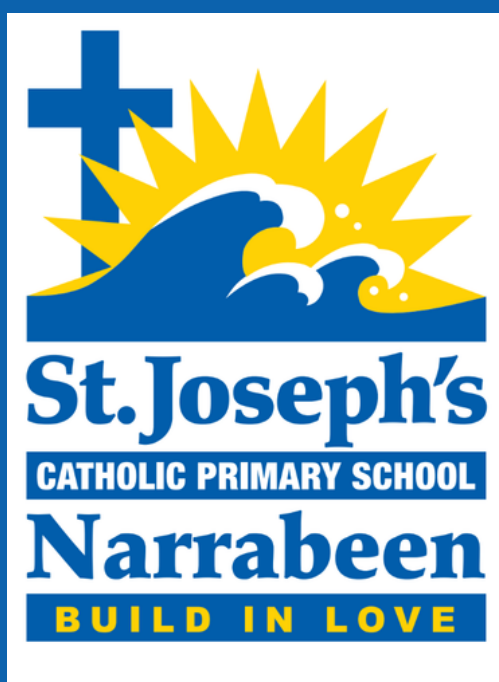




TERM 4 CURRICULUM NOTE

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Students will explore prayer and action as ways to grow in faith. They will learn about Catholic prayer traditions, how Jesus taught us to pray, and the role of the Holy Spirit in guiding and strengthening us to follow Jesus. The unit also examines people who live out their faith through prayer and action.

MATHEMATICS

Students will focus on developing mathematical fluency through the following topics:

- *Number & Algebra*
- *Measurement & Space*
- *Statistic & Probability*

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Students will be involved in exciting **STEM challenges** linked to the Stage 2 Science curriculum, giving them opportunities to investigate, design, create, and innovate while developing their scientific understanding.

PDHPE

In **PDH** Students will learn about the physical, social and emotional changes that occur during puberty, identify reliable sources of support and information, and explore how regular physical activity helps maintain health and wellbeing.

In specialist **Physical Education** lessons, Mrs Frost will teach physical education skills and games. Mrs Paul will be teaching **Dance** in preparation for our whole school musical.

ENGLISH

Students will deepen their skills in *oral language, reading fluency, comprehension, writing, spelling, handwriting and digital transcription and understanding and responding to literature.*

Students will explore narrative and genre through *200 Minutes of Danger* by Jack Heath. They will then investigate the concepts of theme, argument and authority through *Survivors: Inspiring True Stories of Survival*.

HISTORY

Students will investigate the Age of Exploration, learning why European explorers travelled the world and how their voyages changed societies. They will explore the experiences of the Aztec and Inca peoples, examine the impacts of Spanish conquest, and compare these with British colonisation in Australia. Through maps, artefacts, and historical sources, students will develop an understanding of how exploration, colonisation, and changing political boundaries have shaped our world today.

This unit will be taught by Mrs Brenda Paul

CREATIVE ARTS

In **Visual Arts**, students will explore the theme of *Places and Spaces* through drawing and printmaking. They will develop their artistic skills by creating artworks inspired by landscapes, communities, celebrations, stories, and significant events, while experimenting with elements such as line, shape, texture, colour, and pattern.

Dance will be taught through specialist lessons with Mrs Brenda Paul.

HOME LEARNING

Home learning will be given weekly on a Monday and should be returned to school on Fridays.

SPECIALIST TIMETABLE

- o **Library:** Tuesday (please bring library bag)
- o **Creative Arts:** Tuesday
- o **Sports Uniform:** Tuesday & Friday

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