

Maths

Measurement:

Comparing a range of different objects in relation to:

- Mass – heavy/light
- Length – long/short, wide/narrow
- Capacity – full/empty, holds more/holds less

Time – exploring time durations, days of the week etc.

Shape and Location

Exploring, identifying and creating:

- 2D shapes,
- 3D shapes

Using positional language to describe the position of different objects e.g. Under, beside, above, beneath etc.

Creating simple maps and giving directions using positional language.

English

Children will learn the remaining letter-sound correspondences for all 26 letters of the alphabet. Consonant digraphs are introduced where children learn that two letters together can represent one sound e.g 'ck', 'th', 'ch', 'sh'. They will also learn that certain letters together occur at the end of words e.g. 'll' as in bell, 'ff' as in stuff, 'zz' as in buzz, ss as in dress'.

Children will be introduced to the term 'vowel'. Middle sound vowel discrimination will continue to feature, as well as oral blending and segmenting of words with four sounds. An additional 19 tricky words are introduced this term which can be found in the back of the Term 3 Home Reading Diary.

Writing

Students will continue to practise writing simple decodable sentences, including finger spaces, full stops and a capital letter.

They will also participate in activities to develop their fine motor skills, such as making tricky words and letters with playdough.

Integrated Studies

Geography – 'Our local area'. Students will be exploring our local area and the special places within it. We will create and read simple maps to give directions to familiar locations.

Visual Art – 'Primary and Secondary Colours'. This term students will explore primary colours and learn how to mix these to create secondary colours. We will create different artworks using drawing, painting and other techniques.

PE

The fundamental movement and ball skills to be developed through Physical Education this term include: rolling, balancing, running, jumping, hopping, dodging, skipping, bouncing, throwing, catching, kicking and striking.

Music

Students will participate in circle time activities and games using musical elements. Students are encouraged to produce a great sound together using mainly voice and body percussion.

STEM

Students will continue to explore systems thinking and how we can use technologies to read, record and interpret data. We will be looking at personal data and how to keep our personal data safe when using technologies.

Indonesian

'Our Favourite Animals' – Students will be learning to talk about and share information about their pets. They will use adjectives to describe their pet's size and colour. Students will participate in creating a graph collating information about the pets within the class.

Science

'What is it Made of?' – We will be exploring the properties of different materials – wood, metal, rubber, paper, plastic and glass. We will be conducting experiments to see which materials are waterproof creating a special gift using different materials.

Key Dates

- 3rd August** – 100 Days of School Celebration!
- 7th August** – Year 4 Camp Meeting
- 10th August** – ATSI STEM Congress
- 15th August** – Year 3 Excursion
- 23rd August** – Book Week Parade @ 9:15am
- 24th August** – Book Week Assembly @ 9:00am
- 24th August** – Colour Explosion Event
- 28th August** – Emergency Drills Week
- 1st September** – School Closure Day
- 6th September** – Year 4 Camp Wirraway
- 15th September** – Whole school assembly @ 9:00am
- 21st September** – Year 1- 3 Cricket Clinic
- 26th September** – Year 5 Kidpreneur Market Day
- 29th September** – End of term assembly @ 1:30pm
- 29th September** – Early dismissal @ 2:00pm

School 'Colour Explosion Event'

This term we are fundraising for the Largs Bay School Centenary in 2024 with a Colour Explosion School Fun Run with Australian Fundraising! Proceeds will establish a 2024 School Centenary budget and support several exciting centenary events for throughout the year. The Colour Explosion School Fun Run will be on Friday the 25th August (Week 5) from 1:30 pm to 3:00pm at Almond Tree Flat Oval.