

MRSS Term 3 Curriculum Overview: Prep



English



In English students create short written texts to share and report information on insects using learned words and phrases along with appropriate images. They will focus on sentence boundaries.

Assessment: Information text about bugs, demonstrating their ability to form letters, spell simple words, and experiment with punctuation. Mode: Written

Maths

In this Maths unit, students will partition and combine collections up to 10 in different ways and represent these using numbers. They will also represent practical situations involving adding to, taking away, and sharing, and will collect, sort, and compare data in response to questions in familiar contexts.

Assessment: Students will complete short answer questions Mode: Practical

Science

In this unit, students explore the basic needs of living things by using their senses to observe animals and plants and consider how environments support their survival.

Assessment: Students will share their observations and reflect on how different environments meet the needs of living things *Mode*: Interview

HASS



In this HASS unit, students investigate what makes places special by identifying their features, understanding their importance to different people, and learning ways to care for them.

Assessment: Students will describe familiar places and suggest actions to help care for a special place, such as the prep garden. Mode: Interview

HPE

In Health, students will learn about actions and protective behaviours to stay safe around medicines, poisons, water, and fire. In Physical Education, students will build personal and social skills through active games.

Assessment: Students will demonstrate their knowledge and skills <u>Mode:</u> Practical + short answer

Technologies

In this unit, students will begin to recognize and explore hardware and software, working both independently and collaboratively to design solutions to simple problems through a sequence of steps and decisions.

Assessment: Students will create and explain basic problem-solving processes using technology. Mode: Practical



Key Dates

School Photos – Wed 23 July **Puppet Show** – Wed 6 August **STEAMFest** – Tues 12 August EKKA Holiday – Wed 12 August **Book Week Parade** – Wed 20 August Father's Day Afternoon - Thur 4 Sept Parent Teacher Interviews -Wed 10 Sept Under 8's Day - Fri 19 Sept

The Arts



In Music, students will explore rhymes and songs as inspiration for creating and responding to music.

Assessment: Students will discuss musical elements the purpose of music.

In Visual Arts, students will investigate how weather and emotions are expressed through visual language. Assessment: Students will create and respond to artworks using elements such as line, shape, colour, and texture.