**English**

100 minutes of Literacy every day.
During the daily literacy block children will be involved in activities covering all components of English. Children are placed into levelled reading groups, levelled writing groups and speaking groups. They will participate in a variety of shared and guided reading activities.
In writing, they will be working on Informative and Persuasive texts.
Home Readers and Guided Readers are sent home every day, whereby children are asked to practice their reading at home, and record in their log books.
Readers should remain in their note pouches and be returned to school daily.

**Religion**

*Jesus: Our Friend:* Through Scripture stories, students will become familiar with Jesus’ example of love and friendship and identify how Jesus is a role model for us.

*Growing Together & The Last Supper:* The students will learn that Lent is a time of personal growth and change. They will identify ways that they can help others during this season.
Students will also focus on the events of Holy Week.

**Mathematics**

60 minutes of Mathematics everyday.
Mathematical investigations will focus on:
- Developing number concepts
- Recognising, making and describing patterns
- Exploring properties of 2D shapes
- Estimating and comparing the length of objects
- Naming and ordering months and seasons
- Demonstrating an awareness of time in relation to the clock.

**Human Society and Its Environment – Present and Past Family Life:** How has family life changed or remained the same overtime?
This unit looks at present and past family life within the students’ own world.
They will identify similarities and differences in their own families.
Students will explore artefacts and will investigate different historical sources.

**Physical Development, Health & Physical Education**

*Physical Development/Health: Getting Along with Others.* These lessons will take place with the class teachers.

*Physical Education:* Lessons will be on Wednesday with Mr Bye.
On Tuesday the children will participate in **Dance Fever (Term 1 only).**
Sports uniform is to be worn on both Tuesday and Wednesday.

**Science & Technology**

“What’s that sound?”
Throughout the unit, students use skills in working scientifically and working technologically to develop ideas about the properties of sound and materials.
They will use their findings to develop and design a quiet space for the classroom.

**Creative Arts**

Visual Arts will be integrated with units covered this term.

Music will take place on Wednesday with Mrs Buscall.

**Library**

Whole grade library will be on Wednesday with Mrs Crammond.
All children require a library bag for borrowing.

**Homework**

Homework will be introduced during class time in Week 2.
Home Readers will also be sent home in Week 2.