



We are Resilient We are Safe We are Learners

St Bernadette's Primary School, Castle Hill

Stage 3, Year 5 - Curriculum Overview - Term 1, 2022

5B Mr Joseph Eid 5G Miss Stephanie Vasiliou

STRENGTH THROUGH GENTLENESS



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General Information English		Mathematics	Religious Education	
Dance Fever: Monday Sports uniform: Monday and Thursday Library: Thursday Band/ Instrument: 3-6 Fridays (if applicable) Canteen & Uniform: order online-	In writing, students create texts for a variety of persuasive and imaginative purposes. Students will be engaged in independent, guided, shared/modelled reading daily.	Students will be engaged in open ended, rich mathematical tasks that will develop and extend each student's mathematical knowledge. Term 1 focus Perimeter & Area Whole Number Data Multiplication & Division	In RE, we are exploring how do we live, love and learn? We will explore; • How are we responsible for the decisions we make and their consequences? • Who and what ways people influence our decision making? • How do the Scripture stories challenge us to live Christian lives?	
PDHPE		Homework		
This term as part of Personal Development and Health students will participate in lessons designed to develop their understanding of our school wide expectations, referred to as 'The Bernie Roo Way'. Students will be involved in a variety of learning activities that explore and explain our four overarching expectations: We are Respectful		 Homework due by 8am Friday and given out on Friday Premier's Reading Challenge: 28th Feb 2022 and closes on Friday August 19th 2022. 		

Term 1 Highlights	Other KLA's	Communication	
Meet the Teacher Zoom Meetings Week 3 Shrove Tuesday 1st March Ash Wednesday 2nd March Week 4 English books to go home 18th Feb Week 7 Catholic Schools Week (7th-12th March) Week 8 Mathematics books to go home 18th March	History / Geography Term 1 focus: How was our nation shaped by the different groups of the 19th Century? This topic provides a study of colonial Australia in the 1800s. Students look at the founding of British colonies and the development of a colony. They learn about what life was like for different groups in the colonial period. PE Focus: Students will be further developing their movement skills and understanding of concepts and tactics through participation in a variety of games. They will continue to learn how to interact positively and safely with their peers and show good sportsmanship. Mrs Blazevic	Please direct all emails to bernadettech@parra.catholic.edu.au Like and follow our Facebook page for regular updates- St Bernadette's Primary, Castle Hill A new email address for anything sport related - bernadettechsport@parra.catholicedu.au	
Monday 21st March Cross Country & Harmony Day Friday 8th April- Last Day of Term 1 Term 2 TUESDAY April 26th	Creative Arts Focus: Drama- students will participate in Drama lessons for Semester 1. Students develop a range of in depth and sustained roles. They interpret and convey dramatic meaning by using the elements of Drama such as movement and voice skills in a variety of Drama forms. Students devise, act and rehearse Drama performances for an audience. Mrs Evans Visual Arts-Students will focus on the different techniques that artists use such as painting with watercolour and sketching (class teachers).	Compass Parent Portal Email sent to all parents inviting then sign up for the Compass Parent Porta School website- www.stbernadetteschill.catholic.edu.	

Wellbeing at St Bernadette's

Numerous studies have shown that wellbeing is more than just being happy or having good health. It is a condition of 'flourishing', where children thrive in many aspects of their lives. A strong sense of wellbeing contributes to good mental health as well as enhances a child's learning.

Wellbeing helps us:

- Stay resilient when times get tough
- Build social supports
- Emerge from our challenges even stronger, knowing we have the ability to cope

Our St Bernadette's wellbeing lessons will include:

- Meditation and mindfulness practices
- Understanding our strengths
- Cultivating good relationships
- Gratitude
- Understanding our emotions and how to regulate them.

