



Truscott Street Public School Term 2 2021  
Stage 3

ENGLISH	MATHEMATICS
<p><b>Reading</b> Students will be reading, viewing and comprehending a wide range of texts with a focus on narrative writing techniques used by authors and their effectiveness in entertaining their audience.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Stage 3 will be learning about the Imaginative text type in Term 2. Students will learn the structure of imaginative texts, and will experiment with a variety of writing techniques to engage and entertain their reader.</p> <p><b>Speaking &amp; Listening</b> Students will participate in Speaking and Listening activities through in class presentations and the Public Speaking Competition.</p>	<p>In Mathematics this term, students will be learning various topics from the Stage 3 <b>Number and Algebra</b> and <b>Measurement and Geometry</b> syllabus.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Weeks 1 and 2:</b> addition and subtraction</li> <li>- <b>Weeks 3 - 5:</b> multiplication and division</li> <li>- <b>Weeks 6 and 7:</b> volume and capacity</li> <li>- <b>Weeks 8 - 10:</b> fractions, decimals and percentages.</li> </ul> <p><b>HOMEWORK</b></p> <p>This term, students will complete fortnightly homework grids with activities linked to their lessons.</p> <p>Students will also complete a homework project called 'Imaginary Environments'. They will design and build a new environment, and write a narrative inspired by their environment.</p> <p>Students will be provided with a Term 2 calendar, which will assist with organisation of their homework each night. This will be glued into their homework books.</p>
SCIENCE	HISTORY / GEOGRAPHY
<p>In Term 2, Stage 3 will continue their investigation into the States of Matter. They will demonstrate their understanding and scientific skills through collaborative experiments and digital presentations. Towards the end of the term, students will begin 'Light Shows', a unit of work geared towards understanding the properties of Light and how the human eye works.</p> <p>The science lessons will be taught by Ms Borg.</p>	<p>Stage 3 will be studying History throughout Semester 1. The students will be learning about the topic <b>Australia as a Nation</b>. Stage 3 will learn about Australia's history from the late 1800s until today, including learning about Federation, the Stolen Generation, our Constitution and how our Democracy and Government works.</p>
CREATIVE ARTS	PD/H/PE
<p>Creative Arts will be taught by the Stage 3 classroom teachers. It will be linked to the English topic of exploring imaginative texts.</p> <p>The unit will focus on:</p> <p>Visual Arts: students develop knowledge, understanding and skills of visual arts by engaging with the concepts of artists, artworks, the audience and the world.</p> <p>Music: students develop knowledge, understanding and skills in music through performing, organising sound and listening by experiencing musical concepts (duration, pitch, dynamics, tone colour, and structure).</p>	<p>PDH will be taught by the Stage 3 classroom teachers and will focus on the topic: How can I enhance my health, safety and wellbeing. Students will learn about drug education, road safety and nutrition.</p> <p>In PE, students will participate in a wide variety of moderate to vigorous physical activities to apply, refine and adapt movement skills with increased confidence and consistency. The PE lessons will be taught by our PE teacher, Mr Roddie.</p> <p>Students, during Dance Fever lessons, will be learning athletics skills.</p>
LIBRARY- INFORMATION LITERACY / COMPUTER SKILLS	PLEASE NOTE
<p>Library and Information Literacy / Computer Skills lessons will be taught by the Teacher Librarian, Miss Flood.</p> <p>The research and computer skills lessons will be linked with the Stage 3 History topic.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students need to wear their PE uniforms on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays</li> <li>- Students need to bring their library books and bags on Tuesdays for borrowing.</li> </ul>