


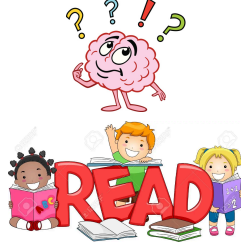




3/4 LEVEL NEWSLETTER

WEEKS 3 & 4	TERM 4	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>BIRTHDAYS</u></p> <p>We hope the following students have a wonderful birthday: Mateo 10th, Oliver Mccusker 13th, Lucy 18th, Zoe Banbury 27th</p> 
Beginning: Monday 21st October - Friday 1st November		
	MONDAY	
	TUESDAY	STEM
	WEDNESDAY	Library - 3/4C and 3/4L
	THURSDAY	Physical Education AUSLAN Performing Arts Library - 3/4M
	FRIDAY	CLASS SPORT - wear sports uniform
<p style="text-align: center;">RELIGION</p> 	<p><u>TOPIC:</u> Community</p> <p>Throughout this unit students will learn to recognise the Christian belief that God, as Trinity, is relational in nature. They will be able to identify and explain some scriptural passages that express God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.</p> <p>Students will explain the significance of community for Christians. They will use different texts including the Ten Commandments and the wisdom of St. Paul to investigate experiences of different communities including the Jewish communities in first century Palestine, early Church communities in Australia (c. 1788 CE - c. 1850 CE) and contemporary Church communities to connect ideas about the significance of community for Christians.</p> <p>The students will be able to explain how free choice results in actions that affect the individual and their community. Students explain how practices and characteristics of contemporary parishes and dioceses are modelled on the mission and ministry of Jesus. They will demonstrate an understanding of how the celebrations of Anointing of the Sick and Penance continue Jesus' mission and ministry in the life of the community.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">SPELLING</p> 	<p><u>Morphemes</u></p> <p>Students will continue learning about morphemes and how these can change the spelling and also meaning of a word. Morphemes are parts of words that change the word's meaning. They are made up of the base/root word, prefixes and suffixes. Prefixes are added to the beginning of the base/root word. Suffixes are added to the end of the base/root word. An example of this is the word 'unsupportive'. Unsupportive = prefix 'un' + prefix 'sup' + base 'port' + suffix 'ive'</p> <p><u>Homophones/ Latin base words 'tract'</u></p> <p>Over the course of weeks 3 and 4 students will explore another Latin base word 'tract' and a selection of homophones.</p>	

	<p>Homophones- There/their/they're mourning/morning affect/effect practice/practise</p> <p>Tract = pull attract contract extract distract retract subtract protract abstract detract tractor</p>
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<p>LITERACY/INQUIRY</p> 	<p>TOPIC: Natural Disasters</p> <p>Students will continue with our science unit on Natural Disasters. We will be exploring a variety of extreme weather types, including tsunamis, their warning systems, and the differences between hurricanes, typhoons, and cyclones, as well as their impacts on communities and how tornadoes are formed.</p> <p>Within this unit, students will be tasked with creating a single-paragraph outline and expanding their sentences to ensure they are detailed. We will learn how appositives can be placed at the end of a sentence to provide the reader with more information. Furthermore, students will combine sentences using appositives, subordinating and coordinating conjunctions, and fronted adverbials.</p>
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<p>MATHS</p> <p>Mass and Capacity</p> 	<p>TOPIC: Mass and Capacity</p> <p>In weeks 3 and 4, students will be learning about mass and capacity. Understanding mass and capacity is essential as it helps students develop the ability to measure, compare, and estimate different quantities in everyday situations. Students will learn how to use appropriate units of measurement, including grams, kilograms, millilitres, and litres, and how to choose the correct tools for measuring mass and capacity. They will also explore how to estimate and measure objects, compare capacities of different containers, and record their measurements in tables and charts.</p>
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	<p>Some dates for your diary-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Friday 25th October- Melbourne Museum Excursion ● 4th November- School Closure Day ● 5th November- Melbourne Cup (Public Holiday)
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