

Year 3

Term 4 Newsletter, 2023



Term Four Year 3 Literacy and Numeracy

This term, students will be focusing on a variety of topics for both Literacy and Numeracy. Please read below to find out what your child will be learning.

Reading

In Reading this term, students are analysing and reading various poems. They will analyse how poems tell a story, their key features, styles and structures. Towards the end of the term, student will consolidate their learning around inferring, making connections and searching for and using information when reading.

Writing

In Writing this term, students are learning how to write using the structure of a poem. Students are building their knowledge on syllables, rhyming words, imagery and emotion. Students will also gain a deeper understanding about how to produce a Graphic Novel. They will identify the structure and purpose of graphic novels.

Numeracy

In Number, the students will focus on money and fractions. Students will investigate a variety of strategies to solve various problems, including worded problems. In Statistics and Probably, the students are conducting chance experiments. They will identify and describe possible outcomes and recognise variations in results.

Personal and Social Capabilities and Learning for Life

In Personal and Social Capabilities, the year three students will continue to explain the impact that their emotional response can have on their relationships with others. They will explore a range of ways to cope with difficult situations and persist with tasks when they are faced with challenges. During Learning for Life, students will investigate and compare a variety of cultures and traditions around the world, as well as what makes their identity important. Students will also be exploring Australian geographical features and neighbouring countries through project based learning.

Homework Reminder

- Students are encouraged to compete reading at home daily. They can choose to read a book that interests them from their home, their classroom, Reading Eggs or the school library.
- Students are to complete weekly Mathletics tasks which will be assigned by their teacher. These tasks will align with the Numeracy topics that are taught in the classroom for the week.
- Students are to complete weekly Reading Eggs tasks. They are to continue their stepping stones journey, explore the online activities and engage in the Reading Eggs library.
- Magic and Gemstone Reading and Spelling Program. Students will practise reading and spelling the words
 they are working on. An adult at home will test their knowledge of the words before they move onto the
 next level. Please refer to Compass for the Magic and Gemstone words.