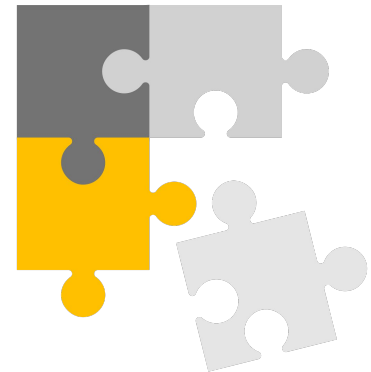




Welcome to the
Year 5/6

Info session



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THE
TEAM



resilience

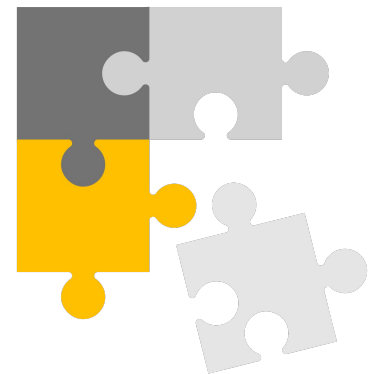


kindness

creativity



curiosity



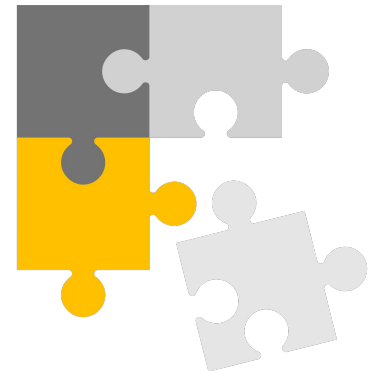


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Creating a Positive School Environment

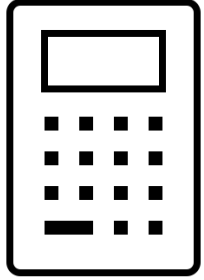
- Making connections with the class and their new teacher
- Wellbeing: Toolbox Incursion
- Settling into their new space
- Becoming familiar with the expectations and looking forward to the new year





Literacy

- Reading Rotations
 - Comprehension Strategies
 - Student Agency
 - Links to Inquiry Topics
- Big Writes
- Novel Studies
 - Reading and Writing
 - Speaking and Listening
- Rich Literature Mentor Texts
 - Author Studies
 - Text Analysis
 - Range of Text Types
- Poetry
- Writing Genres related to Inquiry Topics
- SMART Spelling + Grammar

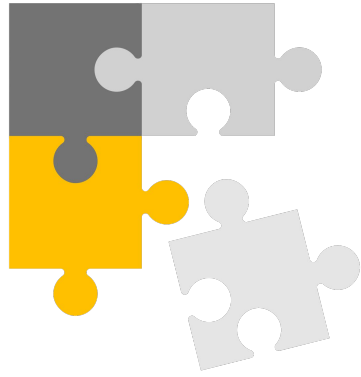


MATHEMATICS

- Pre and Post Tests
 - Identifying misconceptions
 - Monitoring growth
- Workshop Groups
 - Short units
 - Flexible groupings
 - Point of need
- Problem Solving/Open Ended Tasks
- Maths Goals
 - Independent, targeted skills practise
 - Working at own pace
- Project Units
 - Completed over days or weeks
 - Combining number and non-number concepts
 - "Real Life" applications

Naplan

- Annual assessment for all students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9.
- Week 7-8 Term 1 (13th- 25th March)
- All tests online - Reading, Writing, Language Conventions (spelling and grammar), and Numeracy
- If you have any concerns, please speak to your child's contact teacher.



Inquiry

Term 1 - How is our country governed?

Term 2 - Why is there life on Earth, but not on other planets?

Term 3 - How might simple machines make our lives easier?

Term 4 - How would life be different living in another country?



P.E.

- Gala Days
- Clinics
- District Sports (tennis, swimming, cross country, athletics)
- Swimming Program (Term 3)
- Other events (Athletics Day, Walk-a-thon)

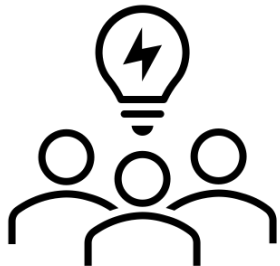
Respectful Relationships



Circle time

Sexuality Education (Term 2)

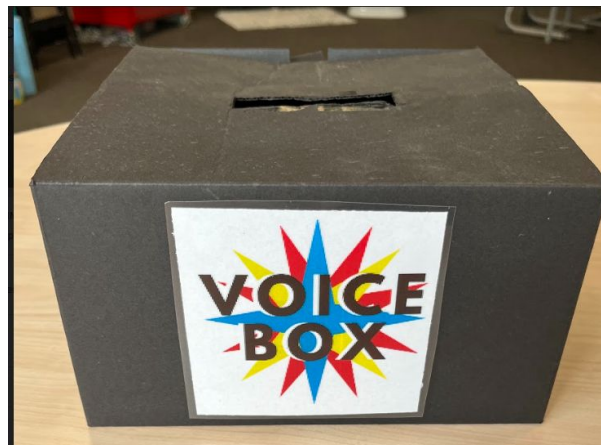
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Student Voice

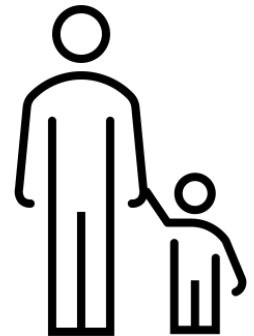
- Year Level Meetings - student led
- Class Agreements
- Voice Box and Emotion Wall
- Contributing to what/how we learn





Year 6 Leadership

Year 5 Buddies and
Play Leaders



2024 Specialist Classes



Our 2024 subjects and teachers

Visual Arts with Chantel



Performing Arts with Alex



Philosophy with Susan



Italian with Joe M



STEM with Tom



When does my child do which specialist subject?

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5/6A		P Arts Philosophy		Visual Arts Italian	STEM
5/6G		P Arts Philosophy		Visual Arts Italian	STEM
5/6L	P Arts	Visual Arts		Philosophy STEM	Italian
5/6MS	P Arts	Visual Arts		Philosophy STEM	Italian

▶▶ Year 7 TRANSITION

- Transition pack will be sent out at the beginning of Term 2.
- Paperwork must be filled out for all students, both government and private.
- Contact Susan.Bishop@education.vic.gov.au for queries or assistance.
- Families deal directly with APC regarding SEAL program.



What you can do at home

- Mathematics
 - Times Tables
- Regular reading and discussion of the text
- Pre-learning discussions (look out for newsletters and curriculum updates coming home via Compass)
- Home Learning Projects
- Encourage an environment of challenge
- SMART Spelling Home Learning

+ engage with ongoing reporting through Seesaw



Canberra Camp

- Monday 26th February - Friday 1st March
- Leumeah Lodge
- Links to Inquiry focusing on government in Australia: How is our country governed?
- Addressing concerns, discussing strategies the week before (through circle time sessions)

IMPORTANT DATES

Term 1

- 21/2 - Parent Teacher Interviews
- 23/03 - District Swimming Carnival
- 26/2-01/3 - Canberra Camp**
- 02/3 - School Fete
- 13/3-25/3 - NAPLAN
- 22/3 - Curriculum Day (Grand Prix)

Term 2

- 15/4 - First day back
- 01/5 - Curriculum Day
- 17/5 - District Cross Country TBC
- 11/6 - Teacher Prof. Practice Day
- 14/6 - AFL Gala Day
- 21/6 - Tommy Lahiff (Girls)
- 28/6 - Tommy Lahiff (Boys)

Term 3

- 15/7 - First day back
- 17/7 - Parent Teacher Interviews
- 19/7 - Curriculum Day
- 06/9 - District Athletics
- Swimming Program TBC

Term 4

- 07/10 First day back
- 24/10 - COTA TBC
- 04/11 - Curriculum Day
- 15/11 - Beach Volleyball Gala Day
- Graduation - TBC