Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Term 4! We hope everyone had a relaxing break. The following is a brief outline of what your child will be learning this term. Please continue to support your child's learning at home by reading with them every night. As the weather warms up, clothing is often taken on and off, so please ensure that all of your child's belongings, especially hats, jumpers and water bottles are very clearly labelled. As a SunSmart accredited school, the children are required to wear a SunSmart hat outside. Also, please have your child apply sunscreen each morning. They will have opportunities to reapply their sunscreen during the day. If your child is unwell please keep them at home.

The LSGCO and LSGMD, Term 4

<u>English</u>

Our literacy program has been planned to further develop students' knowledge, understanding and skills in listening, reading, viewing, speaking and writing. Students will participate in daily reading, spelling and writing activities, differentiated to address individual needs. Students will engage in writing that is related to our inquiry unit, producing observational reports and descriptive texts.

Physical Education & Health

This term we will be learning about what healthy foods are, how these help keep our bodies healthy and where our food comes from. We will also make our own healthy choice foods. Students will continue to develop core strength, balance and flexibility by participating in weekly fundamental movement skills lessons.



REGULATION

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Investigations/Play

Student will continue to spend time participating in cooperative board games and construction activities. The goal of which is addressing social goals related to fair play and sportsmanship.

The Arts

Students will participate in weekly visual arts lessons using a variety of mediums including, pencil, paint, pastels and collage. Classes will continue to explore the elements of art starting with form and shape and moving onto texture.



W@M

Our W@M lessons this term will focus on developing positive, co-operative behaviours in social situations and strategies to support self regulation through the Zones of Regulation.

Students will be introduced to strategies to combat negative self talk whilst exploring the concept of a catastrophe scale for situations. Integrated Inquiry Unit

Our science inquiry this term will be exploring living things looking at the lifecycle of animals and plants. Students will be germinating seeds, then observing their growth and changes.



Library

Children will be visiting the library weekly. They will then be able to access the latest books on the shelves, read and learn about the CBCA Shortlist for 2022 and be reminded about how to use a library and find resources independently. Students will be able to use the library space to carry out research projects with teacher assistance. Please provide a library bag so that books travelling between home and school are cared for. Students are also have access to a range on home readers which are available through consultation with your class teacher.

Library Days: LSGMD —Tuesday LSGCO—Tuesday



Mathematics

This term students will be exploring a variety of

mathematical concepts including 2D and 3D shapes, measuring and comparing lengths and money.



We will also continue to work on developing their understanding of Number and algebra strategies through a variety of activities using real and concrete materials.

Dates to Remember

- Week 3 Friday 27th LSG presenting Assembly
- Week 4 Monday 30th and Tuesday 31st Year 3 Camp
- Week 4 Monday 30th-Friday 3rd Aqua Safe
- Week 5 Wednesday 8th November Yr 6
 Market Day
- Week 5 Friday 10th November Colour Run
- Week 9 Thursday 7th December Moving Up Morning
- Week 10 Monday 11th December Academic Award Ceremony
- 15 December Last school day of the year

