



## Year 2 Term 1 2024



Dear Families

Welcome to an exciting term 1. We have had a fabulous start to the learning year and are very impressed with the way all students have settled into their new classroom surroundings. Each of the classes have started the new year with activities based on cooperation and 'getting to know you', created class agreements, established routines and discussed expectations. All activities develop an engaging and friendly learning culture. As parents you have valuable knowledge of your child's individual interests, strengths and needs. We look forward to establishing a productive partnership with you. Below is an outline of our curriculum for this term.

### Mathematics

This term students will be exploring a variety of mathematical concepts including:

- Place value
- Counting in sequence
- Different ways to represent number
- Counting forwards and backwards
- Identifying 2D and 3D shapes.

### English

Students will explore writing, reading, speaking and listening and developing their skills through the following key learning experiences:

- Use personal experiences to write recounts making simple sentences
- Use letter/sound knowledge, environmental print and sight words when writing and reading.

### Science

In s STEM, students will study the water cycle with a focus on designing solutions for water reuse and filtration. They'll explore hands-on activities to understand these concepts and brainstorm creative ways to conserve water. By the end of the term, they'll develop practical skills and awareness for sustainable water management.



### Physical Education

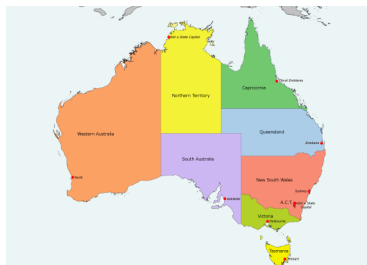
Students will be involved in regular P.E. sessions throughout the week that will focus on the fundamental motor skills.

### Spanish

This term students will be exploring greetings, emotions, numbers and colours. We will be exploring these concepts through drama, modelled conversations, art and writing.

### Inquiry

This term we are investigating the climate, ecosystems, flora and fauna, as well as the history of the First Nations People of our area.



### Library

Year 2 will be attend library this term with their classroom teacher.

#### Borrowing Days

2MM Tuesday

2JB Wednesday

2SS Wednesday

2TW Thursday

Please ensure that students bring a library bag to protect library books.

### Health/W@M-

#### (Wellbeing at Macgregor)

Our W@M lessons this term will focus on how to care for ourselves and others, applying rules fairly and working cooperatively, interacting positively with others and keeping our bodies healthy through movement and healthy food choices.

### Important dates for the calendar

Welcome BBQ—Monday 19 February  
Swimming Carnival—Monday 26 February  
Cross Country Carnival—Monday 8 April

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