

2025 Parent TERM OVERVIEW Year 5 Term 1



	Key Learning Areas – Overview of Expected Outcomes	Assessment Items	Assessment Date (This time may vary)
English	Power of Persuasion		(1110 citie 1110) (017)
	Students will listen to, read, view and interpret a range of text types connected across the Australian Curriculum. Students will apply effective strategies to read, discuss and write about these texts in order to develop their comprehension. They will write a persuasive text, and present their oral presentation to persuade an audience. Students will also revise narrative writing in the lead up to Naplan.	Reading Comprehension Analysing a persuasive text	Weeks 8
	Students will: Demonstrate the ability to analyse why an author chooses certain language features, structure and themes to position the audience to think, feel or act. 	Speaking and Writing Task Plan, draft, edit and present a persuasive speech on a chosen topic	Weeks 7-9
	 <i>Create</i> a collection of written pieces throughout the term to demonstrate their use of structure, language features for effect. <i>Plan</i>, draft, rehearse and <i>perform</i> an oral persuasive speech to an audience 	NAPLAN	Week 7/8
Mathematics	Number, Space and Statistics Students will: • Identify and revise multiplication and division facts as well as explore mental computation strategies • Compare and order decimals greater than one	Maths Assessment Space Test	Week 5
	 Order and represent fractions with the same or related denominators Explore grid coordinates to locate and move positions using directional language Identify, perform and describe the results of transformations and identify symmetries 	Maths Assessment Statistical Investigation	Week 9-10
	 Collect, describe and interpret different data sets represented in line graphs Plan, conduct and report findings from statistical investigations that involve an increasing range of types of data 	NAPLAN	Week 8
Science	Light Up the World		
HASS Civies	 In this unit, students will explore the world of Physical Science, in particular the properties of light. They will also develop key scientific inquiry skills to plan and conduct safe investigations and communicate their findings. Students will: Investigate the properties of light and the formation of shadows. They will investigate reflection angles, how refraction affects our perceptions of an object's location, how filters absorb light and affect how we perceive the colour of objects, and the relationship between light source distance and shadow height. Explore light in everyday objects and devices, and consider how improved technology has changed devices and affected people's lives Plan and conduct investigations including making predictions, asking questions, representing data and communicating their findings 	Science Assessment Test	Weeks 8
HASS - Civics	Democracy at Work in Australia Students will explore Australia's democracy, voting rights, and civic responsibilities, including community participation and representation. Students will: • Build a foundational understanding of Australia's democratic system and core values	Civics Assessment Test	Week 6
	 Investigate and learn about the origins and importance of democracy, as well as the Australian citizenship pledge Create own explanations of key democratic values Examine the electoral process, the significance of voting and how it impacts society, including the evolution of voting rights and how the AEC supports voters in remote areas Explore the responsibilities of voters and representatives Investigate how people with shared beliefs work together for civic goals, with a focus on volunteering and community involvement. 	Civics Campaign	Week 8-10
Health and	Physical Education - Endurance Power		
Physical Education	 Students will: Build stamina by playing long distance running games, which physically prepare them for the Cross Country Carnival. Develop skills and attitudes to be successful team members. 	Range of Measures: • Observation checklists • Beep Test Results	Ongoing



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	Health Education – Making Healthy Choices Students will: • Investigate different sources and types of health information and how these apply to their own and others' health choices • Analyse how behaviours influence the health, safety, relationships and wellbeing of individuals and communities	 Cross Carnival Design a circuit to improve health related fitness 		
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LOTE	Celebrations	LOTE Assessment:		
	Students will:	Chinese greeting card design task	Week 5	
	Learn about what and how Chinese people celebrate including common phrases used for celebrations			
	Will be introduced to Chinese customs, traditions and symbolism	Quiz		
	Practise typing in Chinese		Week 10	
Music	Carnival of the Animals			
	Students will:	Music Assessment:		
	Build confidence and foster a love of music	Composition – representing and	Week 8-9	
	Listen to and explore different pieces of music that represent animals	communicating an animal		
	Discover how composers have used and manipulated the elements of music to communicate these animals			
	Use poetry, body percussion, ostinatos, the pentatonic scale and different instruments in <i>performances</i>	Reflection and response		
	Collaborate, make decisions and create their own pieces of music that represent animals			
	Explain how they used the elements of music in their animal composition			
	Continue to <i>develop</i> and <i>demonstrate</i> new rhythm patterns			
Drama and	Melodrama			
Dance	Students will:			
	Learn a brief history of melodrama including the function and features of this style	Drama and Dance Assessment		
	Improvise stereotypical good and evil characters	Performance	Week 8	
	Memorise lines			
	• Utilise both vocal and physical expression to demonstrate their understanding of the exaggerated acting style, stage presence,			
	stock-character, relationships with other characters and interact with the audience			
	Block and <i>direct</i> their scene by annotating their lines with appropriate stage directions including; movement and vocal choices			
	Present a Melodramatic script in pairs			
	Select stage set, props and costume to support their performance			
	Learn about the three functions of Dance (Social, Artistic and Ritual)			
	Focus on social dance, identifying key characteristics including influences, era and structure			
	Learn and participate in social dances			
	Identify features of social dance; movement, spatial elements, dynamic elements and form			
	Choreograph a movement piece in small groups			
	Present moment piece to an audience			
Connect	Self-Awareness Students will:			
	analyse the influence that choices have on developing personal qualities and character strengths and identify areas for growth			
	 analyse the influence of different factors and situations on their emotional responses 			
		world and the celebration of diversity, respect, and		