

## **English**

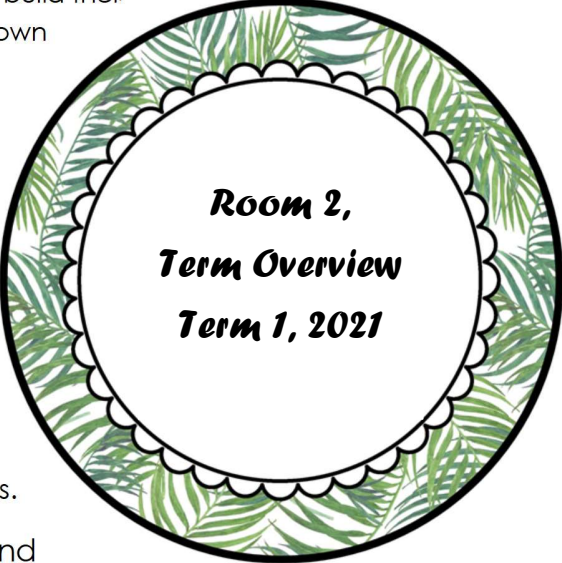
Room 2 literacy will occur every morning from 8:45 – 11:00. It is important students arrive at school on time each day so they can familiarize themselves with the routine and don't miss out on important learning. Students will participate in spelling, handwriting, guided reading, and writing lessons. The writing topic for Term 1 is Procedural Texts. Students will be introduced to the purpose, structure and language features of instructions and recipes. They will participate in weekly lessons to build their skills and enable them to write and publish their own simple recipe.

Students will participate in guided reading groups where they will practice specific skills and work towards achieving their independent reading goals.

## **Maths**

Room 2 maths will be taught every day from 11:15 – 12:40. Term 1 will largely consist of looking at number and place value, as students learn to identify, sequence and represent 2, 3 and 4 digit numbers. Students will participate in a range of activities to support them to develop their number knowledge, including ordering, sequencing and skip counting exercises.

They will develop their understanding of how multi-digit numbers can be partitioned and how numbers are placed on a number line. Later in the term, we will be studying probability as students investigate concepts related to chance, conduct experiments and explain outcomes.



### **Room 2, Term Overview Term 1, 2021**

**HASS** Geography. Students will investigate the natural and man made features of Australia and investigate Australia's states, territories and capital cities.

**Health** Child protection Curriculum and Bounce Back (social/emotional wellbeing)

## **Technology**

Students will explore how people design and produce familiar products, services and environments and consider sustainability to meet personal and local community needs. They will investigate the environmental risks and benefits of a system for organically growing a vegetable crop, and consider environmental impacts when selecting materials, tools and equipment when designing and making products.

## **Media Art**

I am excited to be your child's Media Arts Educator this year. Your child will have access to their own device (iPad) and will be given opportunities to explore various educational iPad apps. They will be introduced to drawing apps and encouraged to use a stylus to add detail to their drawings.

We will also use editing technology. Our goal for this term is for your child to produce a video clip that will be a timeline that represents them (past, current & future). Children will be encouraged to predict and represent using digital technologies, themselves in 5 years and in 20 years. This will be supported with a lot of discussions and research. I am looking forward to working creatively with your child and sharing their learning with you.

## **Science**

In Science, Earth & Space is the topic for this term and the students will learn about the movement of Earth, the moon, and the sun to suggest explanations for everyday observational changes.