

Kindergarten Overview Term 3 2023



Routines

Monday

Brief assembly 8:40am with our School Prayer.

Tuesday

Kindergarten PE Day (sports uniform)

'Rotations' (specialist classes).

Week 3-5

Pelicans have Drama and Japanese Dolphins have Drama and Japanese Turtles have Library and Music Starfish have Library and Music

Week 6-10

Pelicans have Library and Music Dolphins have Library and Music Turtles have Drama and Japanese Starfish have Drama and Japanese

Wednesday:

Canteen- online orders available.

Friday

Canteen- online orders available.
Kindergarten Sport Day (sports uniform)
Library for Dolphins and Pelicans (Weeks 3-5)
Library for Turtles and Starfish (Weeks 6-10)

Religion

Students will be exploring the many ways that they are loved by God. God's love is not simple and embraces people and creation in many ways.



English

Students will be engaged in the strands of Speaking and Listening, Writing and Representing and Reading and Viewing.

These strands develop and extend the children's ability to:

- recognise different types of print in the classroom.
- recognise initial sounds in words,
- read at a beginning level a variety of texts,
- write some recognisable words,
- group letters to form simple words,
- follow more complex class routines and interpret simple instructions from teachers or peers.
- demonstrate attentive listening,
- express to the class their needs, feelings and

Mathematics

Students will be working in the strands of Whole Number, 2D and 3D shapes, Length, Mass, Volume, Area and Data.

These strands include concepts such as:

- Counting numbers to 30.
- Ordering, reading and representing numbers 0-30.
- Grouping and sharing collections of objects.
- Use direct and indirect comparisons to decide which is longer
- Comparing lengths, areas and volumes.
- Sequencing events and describing duration of events.
- Organising and displaying objects to collect data.
- Connect counting and numerals to quantities.

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- Sorting, describing and naming 2D and 3D shapes.
- Recognising and creating patterns and number patterns.



Creative Arts

Visual Arts- Australian Art

In this unit students explore Indigenous and non-Indigenous artists and experiment with different mediums to create a variety of complex artworks.

Music

The children will be learning about the concepts of beat, pitch and tempo. The children play tuned and untuned percussion instruments.



Science

Material World: What are some of the observable properties of materials?

How do the properties of materials affect their use?

In this unit, students will investigate a variety of materials and how they can be used for making useful products.

Geography People Live in Places

Kindergarten will be learning about Australia, their local environment and the many cultures sharing our land.

Drama

The children will be participating in learning concepts of Drama. This will involve using imagination and the elements of drama in imaginative play and dramatic situations. This term there will be a focus on role-playing and making friends.

<u>Japanese</u>

Students will learn to sing Twinkle Twinkle Little Star in Japanese. They will develop a growing awareness of Japanese cultural practices that are different and similar to their own. They will explore the Japanese celebration 'Tanabata' and the unique traditions associated with this festival.



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Health: Staying Healthy

Communication

- All school correspondence will occur via compass. Please download the App.
- If you need to discuss any issues please feel

Students explore strategies and behaviours they can incorporate into their lives to maintain and promote their emotional, social and physical health and well-being.

Sport: Fundamental Movement Skills

Kindergarten will be learning fundamental movement skills such as hand eye coordination, throwing and catching, locomotives and striking and hitting. These skills are the basic movements required to participate in many sports.

free to email the school office and we can arrange a time that is suitable.

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 OR if you have any inquiries or information about your child that we need to know, please feel free to email your child's teacher directly.

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Kinder Starfish	Victoria Barnes victoria.barnes1@dbb.catholic.edu.au

ABSENTEES

 If your child is absent from school, please enter the reason for their absence on COMPASS. It is a requirement that parents/carers notify the school the reasons for any student absences.

Reminders

Please bring in:

- A paint shirt
- A spare pair of underpants in your child's bag