

KINDERGARTEN TERM 1 OVERVIEW



READING

In first term, our focus is to instill and foster a love of reading. We will focus on how to 'read the pictures' to make meaning. We will also begin learning letter sounds and segmenting and blending sounds to read. Enjoying books at home with your child and asking them to retell familiar stories may support their learning.

WRITING

Students will have opportunities to engage in role-play writing, to build their confidence and excitement about writing. They will also be supported to develop fine motor skills and to begin to write the sounds they hear in words. Asking to read texts your child has written and encouraging their attempts may develop their abilities.

MATHEMATICS

In first term, the focus in number will be identifying dot patterns up to 10, identifying numbers and quantities up to 10 and comparing quantities up to 10. Playing dice games and counting forwards and backwards is useful.

We will also learn about patterns. The students will practise continuing and creating patterns using objects, pictures and movements. Noticing patterns in the environment with your child, such as a black and white pattern on tiles, may support their understanding.

INQUIRY

This term we will be focusing on social and emotional learning. The children will learn and practise how to make and keep friends, be a responsible class member and about how to be inclusive. We will practise identifying emotions and responding appropriately to them. Talking to your child about their emotions and ways to calm down when they are upset may be beneficial.

IMPORTANT DATES

PIPS - Week 4
CyberBullying Session - 27 February
Parent/Teacher Interviews - 4-8 March
Swimming Carnival - 5 March
School Photos - 6 March
Book Fair - 18-21 March
Everyone Matters Session - 18 March
Reading Info Workshop - 19 March
Harmony Day - 21 March
Athletics Carnival - 4 April
Nutrition Magician - 9 April

Parent Communication



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