

E4 | 3 Overview 2022



Welcome back to term 3!

We hope you have all had an easy start back to school life. We have had a terrific start with the children in our new classroom!



English

This term the students will be focusing on the following text types: Information Reports and Explanations. We will be looking closely at the structure, grammar and writing features of these text types. We will also be continuing Jolly Phonics and Grammar, Handwriting and Oral Language as part of our learning in English. Guided reading programs will focus on a variety of reading comprehension strategies including summarising to assist with reading for a purpose.



Science

This topic for this term is earth and space sciences. We will explore the changes that occur in the sky and landscape and the important role this plays on farming, connecting with our excursion to Urrbrae.

Mathematics



This term we will continue to develop our number knowledge with numbers up to 100 with a particular focus on applying our skills to problem solving. Students will consolidate their understanding of length and measurement. Our focus will be around time and we look forward to developing a deeper understanding of time being something we measure in different forms over an hour, day, week and year. Students will also focus on fractions, learning to recognise that a fraction is an equal part of a whole and identify common uses of half (shapes and collections).

HASS

Geography— Students will be focussing on the weather and seasons of places. This will link into our learning with Science and Mathematics.



PE/Health, Japanese, The Arts

Specialist providers Michael, Des, Erin Lauren and Abby are covering these subjects. You can read about their programs in their specialist newsletters accessed via the school website.



Important Dates

Thursday 11th August – Year 1
Urrbrae Excursion

Friday 19th August – Pupil Free Day

Friday 26th August – Book Week
Dress Up Parade and Gathering
(further details to come)

Friday 9th September – School Closure
Day (no OSHC)

Friday 30th September – End of term
2pm dismissal



Due to the colder weather approaching please make sure you send a named jumper or jacket to school with your child. We would love a box of tissues from each child to replenish our supplies.



Warm regards from Michaela and Bianca E41 Toroa Building (part of the Year 1 Team along with Renee, Samantha, Jessica, Emma-Kate, Reannon and Anna).

Child Protection Curriculum

This term's CPC focus will be on the names of body parts.

Technology



In Digital Technology students will continue to develop their laptop skills including— logging on, mouse skills and typing in word documents. In Design and Technology students will continue to explore and consolidate a variety of joining skills.



STEM

(Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)

We will be integrating STEM throughout all aspects of the curriculum this term.