

Room 7 - Term 4 Newsletter

Hello families, I can't believe where the school year has gone! Below is information about our last term together. As you know for any late arrivals please go to the office before coming to the classroom. Any absences from a school day must be recorded, please contact our school on **8261 2248**. If you need to collect your child before 3.05pm, please go to the office to sign your child out before collecting them. Student hats are required during **Term 4**, your child's hat will remain at school. Please label your child's belongings which can help reduce lost property. Your child must have a drink bottle with water **ONLY** when at school, this helps with hydration, concentration and their health and well-being. I am planning some excursions for Room 7 during Term 4, in which I will communicate in more detail later. You will see below an outline of what your child will be learning this term.

Regards, Vito Mastrapasqua

ENGLISH

There is a learning framework which incorporates **language, literature and literacy**, which helps students develop skills in listening, reading, viewing, speaking and writing. Your child will learn how **information reports** are structured and how language is used to create this text through the use of resources at the level of the whole text, the paragraph and the sentence.

TECHNOLOGIES

Our focus is developing skills in computational thinking, which will help provide opportunities for students to create a range of solutions that involve construction. Students will collaborate, negotiate and develop plans to complete tasks, with the aim to create and design a game.

KEEPING SAFE - PROTECTIVE STRATEGIES

This subject teaches all children in an age appropriate way to understand how to recognise ways to resolve dilemmas and problems as well as, exploring self-protection and help seeking strategies in more depth to help keep themselves safe.

MATHS

The proficiency strands understanding, fluency, problem-solving and reasoning are an integral part of the mathematics content. Our focus will be on **Decimals, Percentages, Fractions 2D & 3 D, Volume & Capacity**.

SCIENCE

This subject will be taught by Mrs Barker each week on Mondays and Tuesdays.

ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

The students will distinguish between needs and wants and recognise that choices need to be made when allocating resources. They will explain why it is important to be informed when making consumer and financial decisions. Students will identify individual strategies that can be used to make informed consumer and financial choices.

DANCE & MUSIC

These subjects will be taught by Miss Higham each week on Thursdays.

H.P.E

Our focus will continue for students to demonstrate fair play and working collaboratively. The class will be looking at different sporting events and creating their own sport, which will involve rule making, movement skills along with using problem solving strategies to achieve outcomes when creating their sporting game. Students will also be practicing their skills for sports day.