

# ROOM 7 OVERVIEW Term 4



## Maths

This term in maths we will be exploring measurement and geometry, as students learn to compare and describe translations, reflections and rotations of two-dimensional shapes. Students will connect three dimensional objects with their nets, and learn how to calculate the area and perimeter of rectangles.

We will explore symmetry in our environment, and students will learn to identify the different types of symmetry and create a piece of work demonstrating each type.

Students will practice using scaled instruments to measure and compare mass, capacity, temperature, area and volume.

We will continue to practice recall of number facts, specifically the 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 9 times tables. and digital.

## HASS

This term we will be covering the Civics and Citizenship curriculum. This will include learning about the role of the local government and the decisions it makes on behalf of the community, as well as The key values that underpin Australia's democracy . Students will learn to identify the differences between 'rules' and 'laws', and describe why laws are important and how they affect the lives of people, including experiences of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. Students will develop an understanding of why regulations and laws are enforced, and how people with shared beliefs and values work together to achieve a civic goal.

## Health: Child protection curriculum

This term in class I will be delivering the DECD child protection curriculum with a focus on topic 4: **Protective Strategies**. There will be an emphasis on encouraging students to think in helpful, positive ways to promote resilience.

## PE

Students will participate in a variety of movement games that are familiar to them, applying basic rules and demonstrating fair play when playing in teams. They will also be practicing their chosen dance routine for the end of year celebration night.

## Literacy

Guided reading will continue this term, along with D.E.A.R (independent reading) and writing groups. Students will practice spelling words with more complex letter combinations, including a variety of vowel sounds and known prefixes and suffixes. Students will continue to bring home a reader each week in their home folder and it is expected they read for **at least 15 minutes** each night.

During this term we will be looking at narrative text types in more detail, specifically exploring the features of narrative texts and what components contribute to create a good story. We will be researching some well known authors and discussing what techniques they use to make their stories exciting, moving and absorbing.

Students will have set writing goals for the term which they will work towards during guided writing sessions.

## Technologies

This term technologies will include costume design for our end of year performance. Students will generate, develop and communicate design ideas, as well as select materials, tools and equipment to create their costumes. They will also be participating in a variety of Christmas craft lessons towards the end of term.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Room 7 Assembly—Friday November 1st

Pupil Free Day—Friday November 15th

Celebration Night—Wednesday December 4th

Last day of term—Friday December 13th

## Specialist Subjects

### Science with Mr M

This term the students will be learning about Physical Science. They will have the opportunity to research and discover how forces can be exerted by one object on another through direct contact or from a distance.

### The Arts with Miss Higham

Students will be choreographing and rehearsing their dances for the end of year celebration night.