

## Term 2 in Year 3

Our team:

Class	Teacher/s
<b>3/22</b>	Jarrad Rose
<b>3/23</b>	Deb Haddow / Kristy Watson
<b>3/24</b>	Simone Singh
<b>3/25</b>	Sabrina Curtain
<b>ART</b>	Danielle Barrett / Melissa Hamilton
<b>PE</b>	Sue Burt
<b>MUSIC</b>	Erica Eichner
<b>LOTE</b>	Alena Schneider / Sally Wilson
<b>PERFORMING ARTS</b>	Alena Schneider ( 2 classes SEM 1, 2 classes SEM 2)

Welcome to Term 2! Following the success of Term 1 we are looking forward to building upon the skills gained so far this year. Our program will cater for the individual learning needs of each child in all subject areas.

The Premiers Reading Challenge has begun and we encourage you all to participate and help your child log their books at home.

NAPLAN will commence in week five, although we are expecting each child to try their very best, we will be ensuring it is a stress free experience.

Class	Specialist	Day
<b>3/22</b>	Art PE Music LOTE Performing Arts	Monday Thursday Thursday Tuesday Thursday
<b>3/23</b>	Art PE Music LOTE Performing Arts	Thursday Thursday Thursday Tuesday N/A in Term 1
<b>3/24</b>	Art PE Music LOTE Performing Arts	Monday Thursday Thursday Tuesday Thursday
<b>3/25</b>	Art PE Music LOTE Performing Arts	Thursday Thursday Thursday Tuesday N/A in Term 1

### **Key Dates for Term 2:**

- ANZAC DAY Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Public Holiday
- Cross Country Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May
- NAPLAN 15<sup>th</sup>- 17<sup>th</sup> May
- Parent Teacher Interviews Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> June 3.45pm – 7.15pm
- Curriculum Day – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June
- Queen's Birthday Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June
- Science Works Excursion Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June
- Term 2 finishes Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June (Early Dismissal, 2.30pm)

### **Communication:**

Our primary communication tool is Class Dojo, please make sure you have signed up. Dojo can be used for student absence explanations and for teachers to provide relevant information throughout the year. Urgent messages are to be made via a phone call to the office.

### **Events/ activities significant to Year 3:**

- Cross Country
- Science Works Excursion
- NAPLAN
- Premiers Reading Challenge
- Year level sport

### **English:**

We will continue to use our whole school programs in Reading, Writing and Spelling. Students will engage in learning CAFÉ strategies, completing Daily 5 activities and understanding spelling patterns and phonics through the SPALDING Program. We will also be revising the 7 Steps to Writing Success and VCOP and Big Write during Writing sessions.

### **Mathematics:**

This term we will be covering the following topics:

Measurement – focusing on length

Operations – working in maths groups to unpack concepts about addition and subtraction

Place Value – recognise, model and represent numbers up to 10,000

Multiplication – emphasis on times tables

**Wellbeing:**

This year the whole school will be using the THRIVE program and this will focus on positive education and various areas of wellbeing for your child and our school community. The key values are: Enjoy positive emotions, be healthy, try your best, relate well, get involved, live your values.

**Digital Technologies:**

The Year 3 students will be accessing Reading Eggs and Mathletics during ICT sessions. They will have their current skills updated and refreshed for programs such as Word. They are learning to correctly save and retrieve their work from folders on the school server.