

Curriculum Overview, Prep

Term One, 2021



English

Unit 1: Responding to a familiar story

Learning intention

We are learning to choose our favourite story so that we can draw a picture to tell our friends about it.

Reading

Students can:

- listen to a variety of stories
- choose their favourite story and draw a picture from the story

Speaking and Listening

Students can:

- talk about their story to their class or small group
- name their story and talk about the characters and what happened in the story
- talk about what they liked or disliked about the story
- talk about a personal experience that the story reminds them of
- respond to questions about their picture.

Mathematics

Number and Place Value

Students can:

- count in ones to 20 and identify numbers in the environment
- represent and compare quantities of numbers using 'more', 'less', 'same',
- recall counting sequences and visually represent numbers to 5
- match numerals to quantities,
- count forwards and backwards from different starting points and identify numbers before, after and next in a sequence
- order quantities and numerals.

Patterns and algebra

Students can:

- sort objects based on similar features and identify a rule for a sort
- identify patterns in the environment, copy and describe simple patterns
- identify patterns within counting sequences.

Measurement and Geometry

Students can:

- compare duration of events using time language,
- compare size of objects and describe the objects.

Location and Transformation

- use positional language to describe location,
- identify positional opposites and represent locations with models and images.

Science

Unit 1: Our Living World (Biological Science)

Learning intention: Students are learning to use their senses to observe the needs of animals and plants

Students can:

- discuss and record observations of living things
- explore the basic needs of living things and consequences when needs are not met.
- analyse different environments and how each provides for the needs of living things

Other Learning Areas

HASS

Unit 1: My Family History

Health and Physical Education

Unit 1: I Can do it. Water Safety