



Term 1, Year 1/2 Curriculum Overviews, 2026

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Curriculum Area	Overview
English	This term in English, we will be focusing on the Read Write Inc program five days a week. Through this program, children will learn the sounds of the English language and develop skills in recognising, reading, and using these sounds confidently. Instruction will be targeted to meet each child's individual learning needs. Students will work on building strong reading skills, with a focus on fluency, comprehension, and accuracy. In writing, our focus for Term 1 will be on grammar, recount structure, and correct letter formation. Children will explore a range of texts and practise reading and writing high-frequency words to support their reading and writing development.
Mathematics	Students will be developing confidence with number sequencing to and from 120 in Year 1 and to and from 1000 in Year 2. They will practise skip counting by twos, fives and tens, starting from zero and other starting points, and strengthen their understanding of number patterns. Students will solve simple addition and subtraction problems using a range of efficient mental and written strategies, while developing problem-solving skills. They will explore and apply patterns using number grids and number lines to support their understanding of how numbers work and relate to one another.
Science	This term in Science, students are learning about Earth and Space. They will explore the features of our planet, including land, water and sky, and discover how the Sun, Moon and stars appear in our sky.
Humanities and Social Sciences	Students will investigate the Winter Olympics as an international sporting event. They will explore the history and purpose of the Games, learn about different countries involved, discover various winter sports, and consider values like teamwork, respect, and fair play. Students will also examine how the Olympics bring together people from around the world and encourage participation and inclusion.





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<p>Health & Physical Education</p>	<p>Identities & Interacting with Others Students learn to talk about ways they are similar and different to others and discuss the different emotions people can feel. They practise personal and social skills to interact with others in a respectful and caring way.</p> <p>Moving Our Bodies & Making Active Choices Students develop their basic movement skills (such as running, hopping, throwing and catching) in a variety of activities. They learn to move safely and successfully with objects, and within different spaces. Lessons focus on noticing and understanding the benefits of being physically active, including feeling good, making friends, and staying healthy.</p>
<p>Language / Spanish</p>	<p>In Spanish students will begin to share their own languages and culture with the teacher and each other. Explore, notice and mimic the sounds of the Spanish language through song, stories and games engage in play and imaginative activities to interact with each other in Spanish</p>
<p>The Arts</p>	<p>This term we will be focusing Visual Arts. We will be exploring ideas, experiences, observations and imagination to create visual artworks and design, including considering ideas in artworks by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists. Create and display artworks to communicate ideas to an audience.</p>
<p>Technologies</p>	<p>Students will explore how objects and environments are designed for winter Olympic sports. They will investigate materials, design safe sporting equipment, and create models inspired by winter sports, engaging with history and geography through their HASS learning.</p>

