



Farrer Primary Kindergarten Term 2 2022

Teachers: Jasmin Cerni & Brooke Rogers

Mathematics

A hands on approach to numeracy learning is continued in our classrooms this term. The concepts that we will be covering this term include:



Number:

-Numerals beyond 10, teen numbers

-Beginning basic addition i.e. friends of 10, combinations to 5

-Counting forwards and backwards

-Comparing quantities

-Subitising

Measurement:

-Graphs and data

Welcome to term 2! Kindergarten students have settled back wonderfully. It's almost as if we never left! While we are still experiencing some COVID restrictions in school, we are very excited this term to have our Cross Country carnival as well as school photos to look forward to. We are ready and excited for another busy term!



Integrated Unit:

Inquiry skills

This term we will be focusing on building inquiry skills. Through the use of hands on exploration and inquisitive picture books we will be practising research skills, developing open-ended questions and sorting out information. This will allow students to follow interests and provide student led discussions on their findings.



Health / P.E



In PE this term, students will develop the fundamental movement skills of one-arm underarm throw and two-hand catch using bean bags. They will apply these skills in activities, games and solving movement challenges. Students will develop spatial and body awareness through individual and partner balance activities.

Mr Maron

Science Students will investigate how the way objects move depends on a variety of factors. They will develop an understanding of how forces act on the ground, in the air and in water. Students will explore how pushes and pulls can move objects in a variety of ways.

Japanese:

Konnichiwa! The topic for this term is "Animals". Students will consolidate vocabulary and sentences from term one (greetings, introducing themselves, basic vocab). They will increase their vocabulary; animals and some basic adjectives, they will be able to say what they like in Japanese and will be able to answer questions using yes/no answers.
Maron Sensei

English Reading, writing, listening, speaking and viewing

This term Kindergarten will continue to work on building phonological awareness. This includes listening to and playing with sounds in picture books, stories and songs, segmenting and blending sounds in words and continuing to identify and replicate rhyme.

We are working through our cycle of letter-sound relationships and are currently focusing on two letters per week - you may like to ask your child to name you some words or to teach you the sound of the letter of the day!

We are continuing to experiment with and have a go at writing. Children have daily opportunities for writing and we love seeing their efforts in applying their letter-sound knowledge to attempt to spell words.

Working in pairs, small groups and class groups provides various opportunities for meaningful oral language experiences.

This term we will continue home reading. We encourage families to read a wide range of books with their children - it doesn't just have to be the levelled book they bring home! We also encourage families to ask questions throughout the book and to have their child retell the story once they are finished. This assists with comprehension skills and ensures that children are reading for a purpose.

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Kindergarten Timetable

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Class Roll/ Organisation				
9:00 - 10:00	Literacy Reading, writing, high frequency words, phonological awareness	Literacy Reading, writing, high frequency words, phonological awareness	KC - PE with Mr Maron	KR - PE with Mr Maron	Literacy Reading, writing, high frequency words, phonological awareness
10:00 - 11:10 *10am Fruit Break	Literacy - journal writing		Literacy Reading, writing, high frequency words, phonological awareness	Literacy Reading, writing, high frequency words, phonological awareness	
Lunch 11:10-12:00	*Eating time 11:10-11:20				
12:45 - 1:30	Science/PE Mr Maron and Jan	Maths (Number)	Maths (Number)	Maths (Number)	Maths (Strand)
Recess 1:30-2:00					
2:00 - 3:00	Assembly week 3, 6, 9 PBL	Integrated Inquiry	K Singing/ Dance	Integrated Inquiry	Cooperative Play
After school		Team meeting	Staff meeting		

Useful Information

Assembly: Mondays Week 3, 6, 9
(2:00-3:00) online for term 2

Pick up: Drop off and pick up arrangements continue as they were in term 1. The school will advise when changes to arrangements are possible.

Communication: We encourage classroom teachers to be the first point of contact for any issues or questions you may have.
Please ensure you are reading the fortnightly newsletters for important information.

Reminders

Fruit Break: Fruit and / or vegetable snack at 10am daily.

Sunsmart: Please ensure your child has a broad brimmed hat to comply with our Sunsmart policy. From the end of May until the start of August is our 'hats off' period. Students are not required to wear hats when outdoors unless UV rating goes above 3.

Drink bottles: Children are encouraged to bring a drink bottle everyday (water only).

Nut aware: This year in kindergarten we have a student with anaphylaxis to nuts. Please refrain from sending nut based products to school.

Please label all belongings.

