



It is not what is poured into a student that counts, but what is planted - Linda Conway



Year 3 Term Three 2026



a Glance

Curriculum Overview

English

Students will read a variety of fiction and non-fiction texts to strengthen their reading comprehension and independent reading skills. They will develop persuasive writing by expressing opinions, supporting their ideas with evidence and presenting their viewpoints confidently to others.

Mathematics

Students will build fluency with multiplication and division facts while solving practical problems. They will measure and compare objects using metric units, investigate angles and classify shapes using their mathematical features.

Science

Students will investigate how heat is produced and transferred between objects. They will use thermometers to collect data, make predictions and conduct investigations to explain how heat energy behaves.

HASS

Students will investigate how people interact with places and environments. They will interpret maps and data, identify important geographical features and represent information using simple mapping skills.

The Arts – Visual

Students will investigate how artists communicate cultural ideas through visual artworks. They will experiment with materials and techniques to create artworks and reflect on both their own and others' creative work.

Important Events

Week 1

- NAIDOC – 16/7

Week 2

- SRC Pyjama Day – 24/7
- Excursion NVEEC – 24/7

Week 4

- Prep - Year 3 Athletics - 4/8
- Nerang Funanza – 9/8

Week 5

- Active School Travel Event – 14/8

Week 6

- Chess Tournament - 18/8
- Science Extravaganza - 18/8
- 3-Way Conferences – 19 & 20/8
- Bullying NO WAY! – 21/8

Week 7

- Book Parade – 27/8
- GC Show Holiday – 28/8

Week 8

- Father's Day Stall – 2 & 3/9
- Student Free Day – 4/9

Week 9

- Arts Showcase – 9/9

Week 10

- Footsteps Dance – 14-16/9
- SRC Donut Day – 16/9
- Last Day of Term - 18/9



Term 3

Behaviour Expectations

Weeks 1 & 2 - Follow expectations during school activities

Week 3 & 4 - Return to class on time from breaks

Weeks 5 & 6 - Use devices in line with BYOD charter

Weeks 7 & 8 - Keep eating area tidy and wait to be dismissed

Weeks 9 & 10 - Be cyber-safe at school and home

Specialists

"Round and Round We Go" - Students will compose, perform and respond to music. They will explore songs and music written in the form of a round/canon. Musical examples will come from a range of countries.



Housing - Through the concept of housing, we will look at culturally specific aspects of schools in Japan. The students will learn to use basic questions and answers around identifying rooms and furniture. They will also explain the functions of these rooms.

I am Healthy and Active - Students will investigate the importance of regular physical activity and the benefits it provides for their health and wellbeing. They will explore ways to increase their daily activity and make healthy lifestyle choices.



Bat, Catch, HOWZAT - Students will develop striking, catching and fielding skills through a variety of games and activities. They will work collaboratively, apply fair play principles and refine movement strategies in game situations.

Students will investigate how digital devices receive and display information while developing their understanding of computer hardware. They will begin creating programs using Scratch coding and continue learning how to keep personal information safe when working online.



Assembly

Years Prep - 2
Monday 2.15pm
Weeks 3,5,7

Years 3-6
Monday 2.15pm
Weeks 2, 4, 6

Whole School
Monday 2.15pm
Week 9

P & C Meeting:
17th Aug 6:30pm