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<p align="center"><b><u>Specialist Subjects</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Italian</u></b> In Italian this term, we will be orally reading and singing poems and songs.</p> <p><b><u>Physical Education</u></b> In Physical Education, we will be working cooperatively when playing games and demonstrating fair play.</p> <p><b><u>Performing Arts-Music</u></b> In Music this semester, the students will be learning about beat, rhythm and tempo. They will copy musical patterns using instruments and body percussion.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Inquiry</u></b></p> <p>Children will be able to investigate the different features of places such as natural, constructed and managed features. Children will also be able to explore how they can help care for these places.</p> <p>This term we will also be learning about living things. We will be looking at the features of living things and how they help them to survive in their habitat.</p> 	<p align="center"><b><u>Dates / Events</u></b></p> <p>15<sup>th</sup> July – SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY  16<sup>th</sup> July – Term 3 begins  19<sup>th</sup> July – Crazy Hair Day &amp; Sausage Sizzle  25<sup>th</sup> July - Grandparent's Day  15<sup>th</sup> August – Feast of the Assumption  19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> August - Book Week  30<sup>th</sup> August - Werribee Zoo excursion  1<sup>st</sup> September – Father's Day  20<sup>th</sup> September – Colour Run Fundraiser  20<sup>th</sup> September - End of Term 3 - 1pm finish</p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Social and Emotional Learning</u></b></p> <p>This term students will be focusing on having a growth mindset. A growth mindset means we learn from being challenged and to have positive thoughts when things get hard.</p> 