

## **Emmaus Catholic Primary School Topic Overview for Families**

### Term 1, 2020 Year Prep

### **Religious Education**

In Religious Education this term, we will be learning how to communicate with God and that we can talk to God anywhere about anything. We will also be learning about Lent, which is a time of waiting for a special event called Easter. During this time we will share, help others and be kind. Finally, we will learn about Holy Week and explore the happy and sad times that Jesus experienced.



### **Specialist Subjects**

### **Visual Arts**

In Visual Arts this term, we will be learning about the Australian artist Grace Crowley and how she used geometric shapes, lines and colour to create abstract artwork.



### Italian

In Italian this term, we will be learning how to greet the teacher and each other in the spoken Italian language.

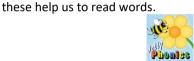


### **Physical Education**

In Physical Education this term, we will be learning about the differences between personal and general space and boundaries around us when playing in a given area.

### **Literacy**

# In Reading this term, we will be listening to different stories read by the teacher. We will explore the letters of the alphabet and their corresponding sounds through songs and actions. We will begin to discover what a digraph is and how



### Writing

Reading

In Writing this term, we will be practising correct letter formation and making attempts at recording the sounds that we can hear in simple words.

### Speaking and Listening

For Speaking and Listening, we will be listening to and following simple instructions. We will be practising how to put our hand up when we would like to speak.

### Library

This term, we will be introduced to the library and begin to borrow books. We will learn how to choose a book from the correct area in the library and understand that it is a quiet space. We will be exploring a range of Jackie French books.



### **Mathematics**

In Mathematics this term, we will be answering questions and collecting data to create graphs. We will also be building our number awareness through counting, writing and representing numerals from 1 - 20.



#### Inquiry

Our topic question for Inquiry this term is 'How can I share and play safely?' We will be learning about our school and getting to know one another.



### **Social and Emotional Learning**

This term, we are making new friendships and getting to know each other's names.



### Dates / Events

25<sup>th</sup> February – Shrove Tuesday

26<sup>th</sup> February - Ash Wednesday

9<sup>th</sup> March - Labour Day Public Holiday

12th March - First School Mass

20<sup>th</sup> March – Stand Up to No Bullying Day

21st March - Harmony Day

 $27^{th}$  March – Last day of Term 1. Finish at 1pm