

Emmaus Catholic Primary School Topic Overview for Families

Term 2, 2020 Year 2

Religious Education

In Religious Education this term, we will be growing in our understanding of Easter as a celebration of Jesus' rising from the dead.

We will be learning about the Signs of God's love through the Sacrament of Baptism.

We will be following our journey in faith and the many paths that lead us to discovering Jesus.



Specialist Subjects

Italian

In Italian this term, we will be listening and singing songs based on the Italian alphabet. We will be exploring words and sentences, and viewing YouTube videos about the Italian language.

Physical Education

In Physical Education this term, we will be looking at common characteristics of line dances. We will be creating and performing a simple series of movements to music, demonstrating rhythm and timing.

Visual Arts

In Visual Arts this term, we will be studying Collage and drawing inspiration from the Eric Carle picture storybooks titled, The Nonsense Show, The Mixed up Chameleon and The Grouchy LadyBug. We will be experimenting with a variety of materials and tools used in collage.

Social and Emotional Learning

This term, we will be learning more about having a growth mindset. We will learn that we can get smarter when we work hard. Even if something is difficult, we can keep trying.



Literacy

In Reading, we will be reading a variety of persuasive texts to identify their structure and the author's point of view. We will continue to listen to ourselves read, whilst developing both literal and inferential comprehension.

Writing

Reading

In Writing, we will be using persuasive language to compose, revise and publish persuasive texts. We will also focus on paraphrasing non- fiction information and use a dictionary to spell unfamiliar words.

Speaking and Listening

For Speaking and Listening we will share and listen to others' opinions about a variety of topics.

Library / Author Study

In Library, we will be reading books by Libby Gleeson. Our focus will be to read and identify the beginning, middle and ending of each text. We will complete a data chart to share our findings and provide a rating for each text.

Mathematics

During the term, we will be focusing on using a variety of strategies to solve addition and subtraction problems. We will be reading, writing, understanding and solving addition and subtraction worded problems.



We will learning to identify the features and attributes of 2D and 3D shapes

Throughout the term, we shall continue to focus on counting forwards and backwards to 1.000.



Inquiry

In Inquiry, we will be learning about Water. We will be identifying how water changes state by human and natural ways. We will describe how all

living things require water to survive.

Throughout the unit, we will predict and explain changes occur through various investigations. We will propose how water can be sustained for future generations.



Dates / Events

13th April – Easter Monday

14th April- Staff commence Term 2

15th April – Term 2 begins

25th April – ANZAC Day

10th May – Mother's Day

8th June – Queen's Birthday