

Emmaus Catholic Primary School Topic Overview for Families

Term 3, 2020 Year 5

Religious Education

In Religious Education this term we will explore the big question of "How can we respond to God's call to be stewards of the earth?"

We will be discovering the wonders and beauty all around our world through acts of kindness, behaviours and the environment . We will make connections to Scripture and take action as God's stewards.

Specialist Subjects

Italian

In Italian this term, we will be investigating the language required to share facts about yourself.

Physical Education

In Physical Education this term, we will be focusing on staying active and enhancing fitness. We will be applying specialised movement skills, in a variety of formats to challenge our body.

Visual Arts

In Visual Arts this term, we will be studying Drawing. We will be applying and extending different drawing skills and techniques, incorporating art elements and principles such as line, shape, pattern, form, colour and texture.



Reading

In Reading, we are looking for features of literary texts that express details or information about particular social, cultural and historical contexts. We will also summarise information by integrating and linking ideas from a variety of print and digital sources.

Literacy

Writing

In Writing, we will be planning, composing, recording, revising and publishing recount texts by choosing text structures, language features and images appropriate to the purpose and audience. We will be selecting and using specific vocabulary to express greater detail of meaning and know that words have different meanings in different contexts.

Speaking and Listening

In Speaking and Listening, we will be asking relevant questions to clarify our understanding of information that is heard.

Library / Author Study

In Library, we will be exploring short novels written by Margaret Wild, one of Australia's most popular children's authors. Her award winning books have been published all around the world and her writing style is emotive.

Mathematics

Number & Algebra

In Number, we will be solving problems involving multiplication of large numbers by one-digit or two-digit numbers, using efficient mental and written



strategies. We will also solve problems involving division by a one-digit number, including those that result in a remainder.

Measurement & Geometry

In Measurement, we will be choosing appropriate units of measurement for length, area, volume and capacity. We will be calculating the area and perimeter of rectangles.



Social and Emotional Learning

This term our focus will be on mindfulness to help us make better decisions. We aim to improve our ability to pay attention and calm down when we are feeling upset.



Inquiry

One of our topic questions for Inquiry this term is 'How have significant events in Australian history shaped the way we live today?' Students will investigate how Australia has changed as they explore the expansion of Victoria, which resulted from the establishment of the British penal colony, and the Gold Rush. We will learn how the population became multicultural. We will learn that many groups of people were treated differently on the gold fields and we will discover that the Eureka rebellion was an important event in history that led to our democratic form of government.

Dates / Events

Google Meet times:

- o Monday & Thursday at 1pm
- Tuesday and Friday at 9am
- o No Google Meets on Wednesday!

<u>Virtual Excursion National Gallery of Victoria August 6 at</u>
1.30pm- All about Design

