



# Emmaus Catholic Primary School

## Topic Overview for Families

Term 4, 2021  
Year 5

<u>Religious Education</u>	<u>Literacy</u>	<u>Mathematics</u>
<p>In Religious Education this term, we will be exploring the significance of preparation as we approach Advent. We will be linking the fruits of the Holy Spirit with how we can prepare our hearts to keep Christ in Christmas this year.</p> <p>Through scripture, we will experience the presence of Jesus. We will engage in wondering about where we've seen Jesus' love in the world and how we see Jesus' love in our own lives.</p>	<p><u>Reading</u></p> <p>We will be interpreting a range of poetry, understanding sound devices and imagery, and other elements of poetry to gain meaning.</p> <p>We will be reading and viewing a range of texts on Australian history using comprehension strategies to integrate and link ideas when practising research skills.</p>	<p><u>Number &amp; Algebra</u></p> <p>We will be comparing and ordering common fractions and decimals, and representing them on a number line. We will also be adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominator.</p>
<p><u>Italian</u></p> <p>In Italian this term, we will be developing confidence by orally presenting Passion projects on Italy and its regions to our peers. We will be reciting the Hail Mary-Ave Maria and practise the Sign of the Cross.</p> <p><u>Physical Education</u></p> <p>In Physical Education this term, we will be strengthening our balance and coordination while performing exercises as part of a workout routine using our bodyweight and various equipment. We will be practising safe stretching exercises to develop flexibility. We will also be observing how we feel physically and mentally after exercising. We will be reconnecting with our peers while demonstrating attacking, defending and communication skills while playing a range of familiar and new games.</p> <p><u>Performing Arts</u></p> <p>In Performing Arts this term, we will continue to learn about different cultural dances from around the world. We will continue to utilise the elements of dance when working in small groups to perform to an audience. We will build on sequencing dance moves to create a short dance routine.</p>	<p><u>Writing</u></p> <p>We will be learning how to create poetry, experimenting with language features and structures. We will also continue to build skills for editing to achieve flow and sense in our writing.</p> <p>We will also be writing a historical recount based on the perspective of an individual in Australian history.</p> <p><u>Speaking and Listening</u></p> <p>The students will make presentations for a purpose, communicating using different processes for their Inquiry. Students will learn how active learners contribute to class and group discussions.</p>	<p><u>Measurement &amp; Geometry</u></p> <p>We will be using a grid reference system to describe locations. We will also be exploring the measurements used in volume and capacity, and making connections to prisms.</p> <p><u>Statistics &amp;/ Probability</u></p> <p>We will be listing outcomes of chance experiments involving equally likely outcomes. We will also be recognising that probabilities range from 0 to 1.</p>

<u>Social and Emotional Learning</u>	<u>Inquiry</u>	<u>Dates / Events</u>
<p>This term we will be fostering a sense of belonging and respect in our learning space as we reconnect with our school community after coming back from remote learning.</p> <p>We will be learning how to identify personal strengths, at home, at school and in the community and explaining how these can contribute to achieving success.</p>	<p>This term we will investigate Australian history through our unit, 'What Shaped Australia?' We will engage in immersive experiences to help drive our learning. We will discover the lives of people in Australia's colonial past, and how the colonies developed over time. We will also explore life in the 20th century and how significant events and people contributed to the Australia we know today.</p>	<p>4th October - Beginning of Term 4  28th &amp; 29th October - Year 5 students onsite  1st November - Curriculum Day (No students at school)  2nd November - Melbourne Cup Public Holiday  4th &amp; 5th November - Year 5 students onsite  8th November onwards - Year 5 students onsite full time  11th November - Remembrance Day  28th November - First Day of Advent  15th December - Last day of Term 4 for students</p> <p><i>Dates subject to change</i></p>