

Fuller -

Term 3 in Year I

Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back to Term 3, Semester 2! I hope you had a **Jon Mrs** fantastic holiday and are ready for the busy term ahead. We welcome a new student to our class, Lucas. We hope you enjoy being part of our Year I community.

DATES TO REMEMBER - Term 3

Week 3 – Wednesday 7th August: Flannie day (non-perishable tin donation) Friday ^{9th} August: School Mass – Mary of the Cross Week 4 - Friday 16th August: Year I News Assembly Casuals for Catholics Day (gold coin donation) Week 5 – Thursday 22nd August: Book Week Dress Up Day Friday 23rd August: PUPIL FREE DAY Week 6 - Thursday 29th August: P&F Father's Day Stall Friday 30th August: Father's Day Breakfast & Mass (led by Year One) Week 7 – Friday 6th September: School Athletics Carnival Week 9 - Tuesday 17th September: School Photos Wednesday 18th September: Zero Waste Lunch Day Week IO – Monday 23rd September: Learning Journey Thursday 26th September: P&F Colour Run Friday 27th September: Footy Colours Day & last day of term

MATHEMATICS

Continuing our Prime Maths Program, topics covered this term will include:

- Topic 7: Subtraction within 20 • (continued from last term)
- Topic 8: Position and directions
- Topic 9: Length •
- Topic 10: Mass
- Topic II: Capacity •
- Topic 12: Chance

RELIGION

This Term we will be looking at the topics:

- We Belong
- Friends Together
- I am Special

As well as continuing MJR with Mrs Landwehr.

LITERACY

Students will continue to work on learning their sight words as well as learning how to spell them. Our spelling program will commence this term, with children completing Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check on their word lists as well as completing a number of hands-on activities to learn their words.

We will be looking at Recount Writing and Procedural writing as well as continuing our Guided Reading Sessions. In Grammar, we will be looking at Verbs and Adjectives. We have also commenced reading our class novel, 'The Cabbage Patch Fib" by Paul Jennings.

From Mrs Landwehr -

GEOGRAPHY

o Weather:

- Daily and seasonal changes in our environment, including the weather, and its affect on everyday life.
- Houses to suit the weather: the advantages for different housing in various climates
- Seasons: weather varies from place to place, in cycles called seasons.
- Indigenous seasonal descriptions, traditional ways of life, hunting and housing of Aborigines.

o Places

- Natural, managed and constructed

LITERATURE (BOOK) ACTIVITIES

- Wilfred Gordon McDonald Partridge
 Mem Fox and Julie Vivas
- Alexander's Outing Pamela Allen
- □ The Cat in the Hat Dr Seuss



HEALTH

o Personal, Social and Community Health:

Being Healthy, Safe and Active

- Strategies to use when help is needed
- Knowing our address and contact number
- 'Stranger Danger'

Activities to follow rules and keep safe

- Safety: roads, water, classroom, school (playgounds), house, water, safety with medicines (poison labels), reading basic safety signs.
- o Contributing to Healthy and Active Communities
- Following class rules
- Actions for a safe classroom (moving around safely, sharing appropriately)



HOMEWORK

This will continue as it has in previous terms. Reading each night as well as sight word drill or spelling. Please remember to drill previous sight word lists in order to assist students in retaining their words.

Please be reminded that Mrs Fuller works Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Mrs Landwehr works on Thursays

We are both available to talk before school on our teaching days, and after school on Tuesdays – Fridays.

We are both extremely excited for the term ahead and hope that you are too!

Mrs Juller & Mrs Landwehr