

Term 4 will bring lots of learning and fun events for your child to enjoy. This Parent Planner contains important information regarding events this term and an overview of your child's learning.

Student Learning Journal - student work will be uploaded regularly to Seesaw. If you require a new login please let me know.

Absences - If your child will be away please log it onto Compass or call the office.

We look forward to another wonderful term ahead.



Integrated Studies

The Weather Around Us

During this earth and space science unit, students learn about how the Earth and sky are important parts of our environment. They will explore the weather, weather patterns and seasons. This unit will be integrated into English and Mathematics, through the use of mentor texts, understanding weather symbols, weather data collection, reading thermometers and, learning about animal migration and hibernation.

English

As part of writing, students will create a variety of Recount, Procedural and Transactional texts focussing on recording known sounds, building to write more than 2 sentences and include boundary punctuation.

In Reading, they will focus on making predictions, locating answers in a text, inferring, sequencing, fluency and decoding skills.

Word Work (Sounds-Write)

Students will take part in regular phonic activities where students will learn to identify letter-sounds, write, read and build words and write words in sentences.



Mathematics

Throughout this term, students will be using materials to measure the capacity of objects. They will explore time, including reading analogue clocks, the seasons, days of the week, months of the year and graph the weather. In Number, they will learn about ordinal number, sharing and money, including playing with money, recognising coins and their value.

Homework Expectations

- Nightly reading for at least 10 minutes is expected on school nights.
- Practice sight words (coloured words)
- Practice Sounds Write unit words

Please ensure Reader Bags and Diaries are brought to school every day. Diaries will be checked every Tuesday to award Reading Prizes.

TERM 4 KEY DATES

Every Thursday from 13th October to 10th November - Swimming at Ballarat Aquatic at Lifestyle Centre

Monday 31st October - Curriculum Day

Tuesday 1st November - Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Friday 4th November - Jogathon

Friday 25th November - Ecolinc Online Education Session

Wednesday 30th November - Bravehearts

Tuesday 13th December - Orientation Day

Tuesday 20th December - Last day of school

Show and Tell

My Favourite Book & Free Choice

Students can bring in their favourite book in weeks 1-3 and a free choice item in weeks 4 - 11. to share. Please see the note that went home.

Through this they will develop their speaking and listening skills.

Wellbeing

Students will continue to explore our school values and expectations and will participate in whole class discussions and activities around problem solving, help-seeking strategies, gender and identity as part of the Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships program.

Specialist Subjects

TUESDAY

Physical Education (Breanna & Miss S)

WEDNESDAY

Indonesian (Mrs Egan)

Art (Ms De Bree)

THURSDAY

Library