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SO Term 4 Overview

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to full time face-to-face learning! As an overview of our school programs and activities for the term, I would like to outline the following:

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English - Students will compare different purposes of text. They will look at how choice of language, visuals and punctuation deliver a message. Students will compose texts across a range of purposes to explore familiar and newly learnt vocabulary to convey messages for different purposes. Students will continue to strengthen their comprehension skills through a variety of texts— fiction and nonfiction books and informative articles. Students will consolidate and strengthen their phonemic knowledge through synthetic phonics, where they will learn new vocabulary and spelling patterns.

Mathematics – Maths focuses this term will include Fractions and Decimals – making connections between fraction and decimal notation. Patterns and algebra – investigating use of odd and even numbers with a link to multiplication and division. Addition and Subtraction - Solve word problems, including those involving money. Problem solving – multi-step word problems involving a variety of operations. Three-dimensional space - Sketch three-dimensional objects from different views. Interpret and make drawings of objects on isometric grid paper. Position - Interpret legends and directions on maps. Time - Read and interpret simple timetables, timelines and calendars. Mass - Use kilograms and grams to measure and compare masses using a scaled instrument. Record masses using the abbreviations kg and g.

Science – **Material World-** This unit will focus on light, heat and electrical energy and how contact forces affect the behaviour of objects. They will explore how energy and forces are used in different products and systems.

Physical Development and Health – How do my choices influence my health? How do healthy and active lifestyle choices enhance my connection with others?

Creative Arts – Dance: Following sequences, steps and movements; Craft: Famous Art Works

Class Sports Program – Sports adapted games – Fundamental Movements skills The Life Skills Framework will continue this term focusing on Communication and Technology, Self-Management and Independent Work Skills.

Please continue to access the schoolzine for all other school calendar of events.

Some students' supplies are starting to run low. We would appreciate if you could top up your child's supplies to start the new term. Please refer to the school supply list attached to this letter.

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