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SU Term 2 Overview - Stage 2

Dear Parent/Carer,

We welcome back our students at the Support Unit in Term 2, 2022! As an overview of our school programs and activities for the Term, I would like to outline the following:

Term 2 Overview:

English – Students will utilise informative texts to learn about titles and subtitles and begin to structure their writing into paragraphs. Students will be exposed to a variety of texts for reading and viewing; speaking and listening; grammar and writing; spelling and vocabulary; synthetic phonics with targeted skills and levels. In reading comprehension, students will be allocated in literacy groups based on their needs and priorities.

Mathematics – Students will be engaged with various mathematical concepts that will require them to apply prior knowledge and strategies to new concepts to strengthen their mathematical thinking and skills in addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and whole number. Students will develop their understanding of concepts in data, chance, mass, volume, capacity and position through the engagement of a variety of activities.

Science – Stage 2 Students will be focusing on Earth and Space as their topic for Science. Students will be given the opportunity to explore the Earth's dynamic structure and its place in the universe. Students explore changes on Earth, such as day and night, and the seasons related to Earth's rotation and its orbit around the Sun. Students investigate the processes that result in changes to the Earth's surface. Students will investigate the ways in which humans use Earth's resources and consider the influence of human activity on the Earth's surface and its atmosphere.

Physical Development and Health – Students will be engaged in activities focusing on relationships that include social skills for making and keeping friends and managing conflict. Students will also touch base with the bounce back program appropriate for the group.

PE –Students develop knowledge and understanding of the benefits and importance of regular physical activity in maintaining health and fitness. They explore what influences their participation and enjoyment of a variety of physical activities. In sports program, students will be grouped into abilities across the SU. Based on priority needs, relevant students may join the mainstream sports.

Creative Arts – Students will explore Science Earth and Space terminology and represent their knowledge through artworks using a variety of mediums.

Life Skills- Life skills program this term will focus on basic food preparation, safe handling/storing of food and hygiene.

Please access the schoolzine for all other school calendar events.

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