

Grade 6: Term 1 Planner 2023

English

Reading

Students will develop their understanding of:

- Reading strategies to decode unfamiliar words
- Fluency
- Structure and features of narrative texts.
- Vocabulary choices
- Effective questioning
- Inferences.

Writing

Students will develop their understanding of:

- Narrative writing
- Use of dialogue and correct use of quotation marks
- Apostrophes
- Verbs and adverbs
- Use of coordinating conjunctions in compound sentences
- Spelling strategies and phonemes/graphemes.

Speaking and Listening

Students will develop their understanding of:

- Asking and answering questions to clarify content
- Effective presentation skills.

Mathematics

Number and Algebra

Students will develop their understanding of:

- Types of numbers (prime, composite, square, triangular and negative)
- Operating with decimal numbers
- The four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division)

Measurement and Geometry

Students will develop their understanding of:

- Shape – prisms, pyramids and angles
- Angles and measurement tools.

Statistics and Probability

Students will develop their understanding of:

- N/A

ICT

Students will:

- Be reminded of the acceptable use policy and how their computer will be used at school
- Investigate correct filing and saving options
- Use Google Classroom to access and submit learning tasks.
- Explore the use of ICT for presenting their work in a variety of ways

PE/Platoon

Students will:

- Participate in a range of sports and modified game options each week such as ultimate frisbee, netball and cricket and t-ball.
- Prepare for school athletics and cross country through targeted practise.

Inquiry

Australia is My Home

Essential Question

- Why is Australia home to so many different nationalities?

Unit Questions

- How did Australian society change throughout the twentieth century (1900s)?
- Who were the people who came to Australia? Why did they come?
- What contribution have significant individuals and groups made to the development of Australian society?