



WELCOME BACK TO TERM 3, I HOPE YOU ALL HAD A WONDERFUL MID-YEAR BREAK. WE HAVE A BUSY TERM AHEAD AS USUAL.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOLING FEEL FREE TO POP IN AND SEE ME OR SEND ME AN EMAIL

5B What's happening in Term 3



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Leadership Roles 2025

For those students wanting to apply for leadership roles, please start thinking about this process and speaking with your child about it. Maybe discuss topics like why do they want to apply for this position, do they think they are a good role model, what qualities makes a good leader and I am sure parents can think of many other topics to address.



Class Behaviour System

We are using the Hoot Tracking cards and Rewards Day to encourage positive behaviour amongst the students. The Fortnightly Focus is introduced at Assembly and reinforced in weekly PBL lessons.

Punctuality and Absences

We ask that all students please arrive in the classroom each morning on time, before the second bell. If your child is absent **please contact** the office the morning of that day or by writing a note explaining the reason for absence. If you know of the absence in advance, please send in a note outlining the details (dates/reason) for the absence.

Fruit Break

We ask that all students bring along a piece of fruit to eat at 10am to help keep energy levels up.

Key Days for 5B				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Music PE	Library	Religion	Japanese STEM Homework Due	Computers Homework given back

MATHS

Students will examine multiples and factors; undertake chance experiments and determine probability of events, and examine shapes including nets.

HEALTH

Students explore developmental changes and transitions that occur as they grow older. They investigate strategies available to assist them with this transition.



YEAR 5B TERM 3 OVERVIEW

ENGLISH

Students engage with a variety of texts for enjoyment including film and digital texts, novels, poetry and dramatic performances. These texts have complex sequences of events and use the effects of imagery and figurative language. They include classic and/or contemporary literature from wide-ranging Australian and world authors, and texts from or about Asia. Students create an imaginative text to present to an audience.

SCIENCE

Students will explore living things and their adaptations that allow them to survive and thrive. They will use these adaptations to create the 'perfect' creature and justify their choices.

TECHNOLOGY

In this unit students will investigate characteristics and properties of a range of materials, systems, components, tools and equipment, and evaluate their suitability for use. They will design a product to meet an identified need or opportunity for wildlife in their local area.

HASS

Students identify how legal and environmental issues in Australian communities can be managed. Students investigate democratic values and processes in the school community.

THE ARTS

Students will focus on representations of animals as companion, metaphor, totem and predator.

Important Dates



Week 1	NAIDOC Week 8/7 – Senior Athletics Trials 9/7 – Senior Athletics Trials, NAIDOC Assembly 10/7 – Interschool Sport 11/7 – Senior Athletics Trials, Semester 1 Reports sent home 12/7 – Senior Athletics Trials
Week 2	15/7 – Senior Athletics 800m 16/7 – Senior Athletics Day 17/7 – Interschool Sport 19/7 - \$110 Deposit Due for Year 5 Camp
Week 3	23/7 – Rewards Day 24/7 – Interschool Sport
Week 4	31/7 – Interschool Sport
Week 5	6/8 – Performance and Dress Rehearsal Wakakiri (only students involved) 7/8 – Interschool Sport (Rain Day - only if required)
Week 6	National Science Week 13/8 – Science Week Incursion 16/6 – National Day of Action Against Bullying & Violence 16/6 – 2 nd Year 5 Camp payment due \$110
Week 7	Book Fair 21/8 – Book Week Parade
Week 8	28/8 – Father’s Day BBQ Breaky, Father’s Day Stall 30/8 – Gold Coast Show Holiday
Week 9	Teacher Aide Appreciation Week
Week 10	11/9 – Whole School Cross Country 12/9 – R U OK? Day 13/9 – 3 rd Year 5 Camp payment due \$110 13/9 – Last day of Term 3

