



Maribyrnong Primary School

Year 3 Unit Overview- Term 1



Term 1 Learning

Welcome to the Term 1 learning for the Year 3 *Bushtucker* unit. This term, we will be learning about celebrations, commemorations and Australian geography. Students will explore the three big questions:

- How do symbols, events, individuals and places in my community make it unique?
- How do people contribute to their communities, past and present?
- What events do different people and groups celebrate and commemorate and what does this tell us about our communities?

Literacy activities will focus on:

- Locating and collecting information and data from different sources
- Posing questions to investigate people, events, places and issues
- Reading and discussing a range of texts.

Numeracy activities will focus on:

- Understanding place value
- Addition and subtraction strategies
- Problem solving involving the above operations.

How you can support learning

- Discuss what your child learnt at school
- Read every night for at least 15 minutes. Students can fill in an optional home reading log
- Play games as a family
- Discuss current affairs, talk about positive experiences, embrace gratitude, what are some challenges that happened?
- Lots of sleep - (try mindfulness audio if sleep is difficult)
- Healthy food and exercise
- All the regular parenting stuff you are probably already doing!

Key Dates and Activities

Getting to Know You Interviews - February 8-12

Swimming Carnival – Tuesday 2nd March

Library Day – Wednesday

Choir – Wednesday B1

Gardening Club – Monday B1

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