



Maribyrnong Primary School

Unit Overview- Term 1- Year 2



Term 1 Learning

Welcome to the **Year 2 Waratah** unit. We are looking forward to an amazing term of learning together. This term we will be engaging in an inquiry unit based on 'Past and Present'. Students learning will focus on:

- Changes in technology over time
- How has this impacted our daily lives?
- The impact technology has had on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures and perspectives

Literacy activities will focus on:

- a range of reading strategies and experiences
- developing writing structure and language features with a focus on narrative writing
- continuing our sounds write spelling program with extended code

Numeracy activities will focus on:

- building our capacity of numbers to 1000 including place value
- addition and subtraction strategies
- measurement – length, calendars and time

How you can support learning

- To assist with learning at home you could read together every day and discuss what you have read or play board games together to encourage cooperation and build number skills.
- If you would like to support our reading program, this will begin from Week 3. Please see the class teacher for information.
- As part of our Inquiry Unit we would love to hear how your daily lives have changed. If you or a family member would like to come in and share your experiences, please see your class teacher.
- Check out the website below for some great number games
<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting>

Key Dates and Activities

- **Monday - Library - all classes**
- 10 – 14 Feb - Getting to know you interviews
- 10 – 20 March - Book Fair
- 20 March - Cross Country
- 30 Mar – 10 Apr – AquaSafe Swim Program

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