



Maribyrnong Primary School

Unit Overview- Term 1- Year 3



Term 1 Learning

Welcome to the Term 1 learning for the Year 3 Wattle unit. This term we will be engaging in an inquiry unit based on 'Celebrations'. Student learning will focus on:

- Days and weeks celebrated or commemorated in Australia (including Australia Day, Anzac Day, and National Sorry Day) and the importance of symbols and emblems
- Celebrations and commemorations in places around the world (for example, Chinese New Year, Bastille Day, Independence Day)

Literacy activities will focus on:

- Continuing student's progression through the Sounds Write Program
- Exploring the writing genres of recounts and information reporting
- Differentiated reading groups, targeted at student's individual learning goals

Numeracy activities will focus on:

- Whole number up to and extending beyond 10,000
- Addition and Subtraction and multiplication
- Problem solving, mental computation and written strategies for the three operations.

How you can support learning

- Reading helpers required from Week 3 straight after morning lines. Please see the class teacher for information
- If your family celebrates a specific celebration that you would be happy to share with our unit please contact the class teacher
- Please read with your child daily at home to support their learning
- Using a supermarket catalogue, write a shopping list with your child and get them to add the list. How much change would they have from \$100?
- Please email your child's teacher if you have any questions or communication

Key Dates and Activities

- Getting to know you interviews 10th – 14th February
- Reading Workshop 4th March
- Swimming Carnival 10th March
- Book Fair 10th March – 20th March
- Cross Country 20th March

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