



# Maribyrnong Primary School

## Year 4 Unit Overview-Term 1



### Term 1 Learning

Welcome to the Term 1 learning for the Year 4 *Fungi* unit. This term we will be learning about Rules, Laws and Belonging. Students will explore the three big questions of:

- What is the difference between a rule and a law and why are they important?
- How have laws affected the lives of people, past and present?
- How has your identity been shaped by the groups to which you belong?

Literacy activities will focus on:

- Writing texts that persuade and inquire
- Differentiated reading groups, targeted at student's individual learning goals
- Spelling, punctuation, editing and grammar.

Numeracy activities will focus on:

- Developing number sense
- Multiplication and division to ten x ten
- Problem solving involving the 4 operations
- Developing subject specific vocabulary.

### How you can support learning

- discuss what your child learnt at school.
- read every night for at least 15 minutes. Students are able to fill in an optional home reading log
- practise times table fluency at home.
- **Google Classroom** will have regular activities that we have completed. Please use this to help reinforce the concepts that have been taught in class.
- **StudyLadder** - weekly activities will also be available during the term.

### Key Dates and Activities

**Swimming Carnival** – Tuesday 2nd March

**Getting to Know You Interviews** - February 8-12

**Library Day** – Wednesday

**Choir** – Wednesday B1

**Gardening Club** – Monday B1

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