



Maribyrnong Primary School

Year 1 Overview - Term 2



Welcome Back!

This term we will be engaging in an Inquiry unit called 'Past and Present' where student learning will focus on:

- Identifying and describing important dates and changes in their life
- Explaining how daily life has changed over time
- Sequencing personal and family events in order

Literacy will focus on:

- Reading aloud to develop fluency by reading short texts including simple and compound sentences using supportive images
- Using known letter sounds and simple punctuation to make meaning of words
- Recalling key ideas as well as understanding literal and implied meaning from read texts
- Understanding the purpose of an information text

Mathematics will focus on:

- Numbers to at least 120 using a variety of addition and subtraction strategies
- Revising HTO charts and unpacking place value
- Patterns and skip counting
- Measurement (mass, capacity, duration, and length)

Key Dates and Activities

Monday 1st June

Reconciliation Day public Holiday

1st- 7th June

National Reconciliation Week

Monday 8th June

King's Birthday Public Holiday

Tuesday 2nd June

CEIS- Christian Education K-6

Wednesday 18th June

School Athletics Carnival

Friday 19th June

Reports Sent Home

22nd June- 26th June

Parent Teacher interviews

29th June – 3rd July

NAIDOC Week

Release Classes:

Year 1 students will have release classes on Thursday mornings.

They will participate in a variety of learning experiences across the semester.

Library Borrowing:

Year 1 students will have library borrowing on Thursday. Please bring your library bag.

How you can support learning:

Encouraging your child to participate in daily reading activities at home. This could include shared reading, you reading to your child or your child reading aloud to you.

Discussing what has been read is a great way to build retell and comprehension skills.

Playing board and card games help to promote automaticity in our learning, turn taking and good sportsmanship.

Promoting authentic writing experiences (e.g. keeping a diary, writing shopping lists, birthday invitations, or writing a letter).

More information on the Year 1 Australian Curriculum can be

found here: <https://v9.australiancurriculum.edu.au/f-10-curriculum/f-10-curriculum-overview/learning-areas>.

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