

Rockhampton Girls Grammar Term 3 2023 Overview



Year Level: 5

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Mathematics

Number and place value: round and estimate to check an answer is reasonable, use written strategies to add and subtract, use an array to multiply one-digit and two-digit numbers, multiply whole numbers and divide by a one-digit whole number with and without remainders.

Money and financial mathematics: investigate income and expenditure, calculate costs, investigate savings and spending plans, develop and explain simple financial plans.

Patterns and algebra: create, continue and identify the rule for patterns involving the addition and subtraction of fractions, use number sentences to find unknown quantities involving multiplication and division.

Using units of measurement: choose appropriate units for length, area, capacity and mass, measure length, area, perimeter, capacity and mass, problem-solve and reason when applying measurement to answer a question.

Science

Physical Sciences: Seeing the light

Students will explore observable phenomena associated with light and begin to recognise that phenomena have sets of characteristic behaviours. They will explore the transfer of light and understand that light from a source forms shadows and can be absorbed, reflected and refracted.

HASS

Communities in Colonial Australia (1800s)

Students will examine the effects of a significant development or event on the Australian Colonies e.g. The Gold Rush and the Eureka Rebellion. They will explain the economic, social and political impact on a colony.

Inquiry question:

- How have individuals and groups in the colonial past contributed to the development of Australia?

Important Term Dates

19 July	NAIDOC Assembly
4 – 6 Aug	Musical
18 Aug	Primary Movie Night
25 Aug	Primary Book Week Parade
1 Sept	Staff PD Day
5 - 6 Sept	Year 5 Camp
14 Sept	R U OK? Day
15 Sept	Primary Ball Games School Concludes 12.40pm Learning Conversations

Specialist Areas

Music

Students will learn the Ukulele through the Fun Music Ukulele program. Students will learn how to play chords, finger-pick melodies, play as an ensemble, and sing and play their ukulele simultaneously.

Spanish

Students will learn the vocabulary of the animals and some adjectives to describe these. They will study grammar structures to make comparisons such as 'The giraffe is taller than the lion, but the lion is faster.' They will create short texts in spoken and written language to describe the animals.

Physical Education

Students will be engaged in a Major Games unit where they will enjoy regular movement-based learning experiences, and understand and appreciate their significance to personal, social, cultural, environmental and health practices. During the unit they will respond confidently, competently and creatively in a variety of physical activity contexts and settings. The annual Ball Games Carnival will provide them with an enjoyable means of demonstrating the skills learnt throughout the term.

Visual Art

Students will explore the elements of colour and line, applying these through the medium of printing. Students will be introduced to gelli printing and hand-cut collage techniques and apply these to create a rice paper lantern. They will analyse the visual conventions in their artworks and evaluate the techniques used.

English

Writing: Exploring a narrative through novel and film with the text 'Wonder'. Students write a comparison of the novel and the film adaptation and state a preference.

Reading and Viewing: Students listen to, read and view films and novels with a range of characters and involving flashbacks or shifts in time. They analyse and explain literal and implied information from a variety of texts and demonstrate understanding of the depiction of characters, setting and events in a chosen film.

Speaking and Listening: Students express and justify opinions about aspects of the novels and films during group discussions.

Spelling and Word Study: Soundwaves program and the use of spelling rules and patterns.

Grammar and Punctuation: Nouns, plural nouns, possessive nouns, verbs, types of sentences, clauses, conjunctions, apostrophes and relative pronouns.

Design Technologies

Using science understanding, students will design and create their own light maze.

Health

Students will gain understanding of multiculturalism by examining the changing nature of Australia's cultural identity through exploring the influence of people and places.

Primary Assemblies – 2.20pm

26/07, 23/08, 06/09