

FOUNDATION

AREA NEWSLETTER

TERM 2, 2026

IMPORTANT DATES

20TH OF APRIL	FIRST DAY OF TERM 2
24TH APRIL	ANZAC DAY CEREMONY 9.10AM
8TH MAY	MOTHERS DAY BREAKFAST
27TH MAY	SCHOOL PHOTOS
22ND OF MAY	MELBOURNE ZOO EXCURSION
8TH JUNE	KINGS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
25TH JUNE	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
26TH JUNE	HOUSE SPIRIT DAY + LAST DAY OF TERM 2. 2:30PM FINISH



WANT TO SUPPORT OUR INVESTIGATIONS TOPIC?

If you have a green thumb and would like to assist us with our gardening unit, please get in touch! Alternatively, if you have seeds or seedlings you would like to donate, we would greatly appreciate it!



LEARNING FOCUS TERM 2

MATHEMATICS

In Term 2, students will be working towards:

- recognising, naming, ordering and writing numbers.
- counting forwards and backwards.
- making numbers using concrete materials.
- understanding 'one more' and 'one less'.
- exploring shape.
- using positional language eg. under, beside, next to.



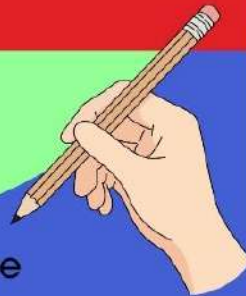
READING

During Term 2, students will be learning to:

- decode words in books.
- identify common letter sounds.
- develop oral language skills.
- blend CVC words.
- use comprehension skills.
- read high frequency words.



WRITING



During writing, students will be working towards:

- forming all upper and lower case letters correctly.
- writing dominant sounds in words.
- writing sentences using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.
- writing factual recounts about their experiences in Investigations.



INVESTIGATIONS

This term, students will be exploring the big question

'What's alive in the garden?'

Students will explore:

- the different parts of plants.
- life-cycles of plants.
- mini-beasts in the garden.
- our Learning Community garden.
- first nations connections.



TIMETABLE

	Monday Full School Uniform	Tuesday Full School uniform	Wednesday Full School Uniform	Thursday Sport uniform	Friday Full School Uniform
Session 1	Maths	Maths	Maths	Reading	Maths
Session 2	Reading	Reading	Reading	Specialist	Reading
Session 3	Investigations	Investigations	Investigations	Specialist	Maths Investigation
Session 4	Writing	Writing	Writing	Specialist	Writing
Session 5	Personal Development	Library	Handwriting	Specialist	Auslan/ Assembly