Springfield Central State School Year 2 2025



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LEARNING AREA	CONTENT	ASSESSMENT
ENGLISH	SHARING IDEAS AND RESPONDING TO IMAGINATIVE TEXTS Students engage with a range of imaginative texts which use language in different ways to present characters and settings.	Assessment Technique – Presentation
	Students read, view and comprehend imaginative texts, including simple texts that support students' transition to becoming independent readers, picture books, simple chapter books, oral texts, rhyming verse and poetry.	Listening and Speaking
	Through texts, students discuss how characters and settings are connected in literature, and how language is used to convey actions, emotions and dialogue.	
	Students engage in shared and independent writing and/or learning experiences in response to learning and texts. They use interaction skills when engaging in discussions and use more formal language and specific vocabulary when delivering oral presentations. Students use language for appreciating and responding to texts.	
MATHS	Students further develop proficiency and positive dispositions towards mathematics and its use as they:	Assessment Technique – Short Response
	 Number use physical and virtual materials to represent numbers, partition and combine numbers flexibly, recognising and describing the relationship between addition and subtraction and 	Locating features and using maps
	employing part-part-whole reasoning and relational thinking to solve additive problems Space	Assessment Technique – Survey
	 locate and identify positions on familiar two-dimensional representations, such as maps; and use familiar mathematical language to describe relative position and follow directions and pathways 	Using data to answer a question Monitoring Strategy
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	 build the foundations for statistical investigations by choosing questions based on interests, such as favourite fruit or game, when collecting, representing and interpreting data, and recognising features of different representations using visual or physical models. 	Exploring numbers to at least 1000
SCIENCE	MIX, MAKE AND USE In this unit, students will explore how everyday materials can be physically changed in a variety of ways, without changing their material composition. They will conduct investigations to explore the effect of different actions on materials including bending, twisting, stretching and breaking into smaller pieces. Through guided investigations, students will suggest and follow safe procedures to answer questions and test predictions. They will create texts to record and share observations using every day and scientific language.	Assessment Technique – Experimental Investigation
HASS	 PRESENT CONNECTIONS TO PLACES How are people connected to their place and other places? In this unit, students: draw on representations of the world as geographical divisions and the location of Australia recognise that each place has a location on the surface of the Earth, which can be expressed using direction and location of one place from another identify examples of places that are defined at different levels or scales, such as, personal scale, local scale, regional scale, national scale or region-of-the-world scale understand that people are connected to their place and other places in Australia, the countries of Asia and other places across the world, and that these connections are influenced by purpose, distance and accessibility represent connections between places by constructing maps and using symbols examine geographical information and data to identify ways people, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, are connected to places and factors that influence those connections respond with ideas about why significant places should be preserved and how people can act to preserve them. 	Assessment Technique – Investigation Students will explore the following inquiry question – How are people connected to their place and other places?
PROGRAM ACHIEVE	Students will engage in a series of lessons to build social-emotional skills through the use of the five keys: Getting Along, Confidence, Organisation, Resilience and Persistence. They will discuss the difference between a fixed and growth mindset, and develop their confidence, resilience and adaptability when persisting with tasks. Students will practise acceptance of others and the use of friendly actions in order to make friends.	Monitoring Observations