



# HOLY EUCHARIST SCHOOL - St ALBANS SOUTH

## Term Outline Sheet - 2023

**GRADE: 2 TERM: 2**



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

#### **Unit: Alive in the Spirit - Spirited People!**

##### **Understandings:**

- The Holy Spirit guides people to make good decisions and to use their gifts.
- The stories of saints' lives show us what holiness means and how to lead joyful lives.

#### **Unit: God Loves Us No Matter What**

##### **Understandings:**

- Reconciliation helps us to rebuild friendships with others and strengthens our relationship with God.
- God teaches people to love, care for and forgive others.

### ENGLISH

#### **Reading and Viewing**

##### **Your child will be:**

- Learning that headings, titles, table of contents, index and glossary pages assist with finding information when reading non fiction texts.
- Identifying similarities and differences between different text types.
- Investigating the ways words change when suffixes are added.

#### **Writing**

##### **Your child will be:**

- Planning and writing an informative text.
- Using Google Docs to construct texts online featuring print and visuals.
- Re-reading and editing their own writing for spelling, punctuation and sentence structure.

#### **Speaking and Listening**

##### **Your child will be:**

- Listening and responding to detailed instructions
- Planning and presenting short presentations.
- Practising to make appropriate vocabulary choices and correctly use them to suit the audience and purpose.

### MATHEMATICS

##### **Your child will be:**

- Describing patterns created using shapes, numbers and symbols and identifying missing elements.
- Identifying questions of interest and gathering data relevant to the question.
- Creating simple data displays to represent gathered data.
- Using balance scales to compare the mass of different objects.

## **INQUIRY**

### **Topic: Minibeasts**

**Learning Area:** Biological science

**Big Questions:** What is a mini-beast? Where do they live and what do they do?

### **Understandings:**

- Living things grow, change and reproduce to secure their survival.
- Living things live in different habitats that meet their variety of basic needs.
- Minibeasts are not all insects and are classified in many different ways.
- Living things have different physical features.

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

### **Your child will be:**

- Learning new game rules and fair play when participating in team based games.
- Demonstrating changes in speed, direction and level of movement in different games and activities.
- Performing locomotor movement using different body parts while undertaking game based activities.

## **THE ARTS**

### **Visual Arts**

### **Your child will be:**

- Watching inspiring videos on Impressionist art by the famous artist Claude Monet.
- Expressing imagination, feelings, and emotions by using colour and light to depict Impressionism as a form of art.
- Implementing techniques, processes, and technology to express ideas to create special effects.

### **Performing Arts**

### **Your child will be:**

- Developing musical understanding by playing different tuned instruments to create an ostinato (repeating pattern of musical notes).
- Learning traditional African drumming rhythms and participating in a drum circle using the traditional African djembes.

## **LOTE - Language Other Than English - Italian**

### **Your child will be:**

- Sharing with others what they can express in Italian about themselves.
- Participating in shared reading of short stories and responding by drawing, miming and performing.
- Learning to recognise the 21 letters of the Italian alphabet.
- Participating in classroom routines, games, instructions and shared activities.

## **DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY**

### **Your child will be:**

- Using an online paint program to experiment with various tools.
- Creating symmetrical images using an online painting program.
- Practising keyboard and typing skills.

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