



Curriculum Area	Teaching and Learning Focus Grade: Pre-Primary Teachers: Linda Fielding, Amy Roggio, Lisa Turton, Rachel Strickland
English	During Literacy this term, we will continue our focus on oral language. Students will be engaged in: • Explicit teaching of phonological awareness skills through Heggerty (rhyme, syllables, initial and final sounds). • Explicit teaching of letter sounds and names through the UFLI* program. • Decodable home readers (in class and at home). • Blending and segmenting of VC and CVC words. • Play-based opportunities to develop oral narrative and recounts. • Learning experiences that develop concepts of print. • Experiences that encourage students to experiment with writing using their sound/letter knowledge. • Explicit teaching of letter formation. • Daily writing activities (independent and whole class). • Explicit teaching of vocabulary to build comprehension skills. • Oral language opportunities (whole class and small group). • Developing understanding of a narrative structure through shared texts. *Note: UFLI – University of Florida Literacy Institute program - an explicit and systematic program that teaches students the foundational skills necessary for proficient reading.
Mathematics	During Numeracy this term, students will be engaging in: • Consolidate understanding of numbers 0 – 20. • Compare, order and make correspondences between collections, initially to 20, and explain reasoning. • Connect days of the week to familiar events and actions. • Sort, describe and name familiar two-dimensional shapes and three-dimensional objects in the environment. • Copy, continue and create patterns with objects and drawings. • Answer yes/no questions to collect information and make simple inferences.
Visual Arts	During Visual Arts this term, students will be engaging in: • Exploring the enchanting world of “Under the Sea” as we delve into ocean-themed art. This theme has been specially selected in alignment with our school’s exciting opportunity to showcase a selection of student artworks at the Albany Entertainment Centre for the upcoming Albany Children’s Theatre production of The Little Mermaid. Students will experiment with simple shapes, patterns, and colours to craft cheerful underwater creatures using mixed media, including crayon resist and watercolours. They will refine and apply visual arts techniques using shape, line, and colour to convey ideas.
Health and Physical Education	During Health & Physical Education this term, students will be engaged in: • Protective behaviours to keep safe and healthy. • Consolidation of Zones of Regulation. • Personal and social skills to interact with others. • Safe active play in outdoor settings and the natural environment. • Body management skills. • Locomotor skills and object control skills. • Cooperation with others when participating in physical activities.



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LOTE - Noongar	During Noongar this term, students will be engaged in: • Explore and identify a variety of insects in the Noongar language. • Develop skills in using the correct word order in Noongar sentences. • Build on previously learned suffixes to form more complex sentences. • Learn new vocabulary to enhance everyday conversation in Noongar. • Discover the uses of traditional Noongar plants from our Six Seasons Garden, including how they were used for food, medicine, and tools.