

ENGLISH

- Explicit teaching of Narrative and Persuasive Texts. Introduction to persuasive devices: ethos, pathos and logos.
- Editing skills for cohesive structure, grammar and punctuation.
- Develop sentence structure utilising Participant/Process/Circumstance.
- Grammar – verb types and how do they help us as writers.
- Vocabulary building and word study using the 'Words Their Way' program.
- Class Novel 'The BFG', with linked activities.
- Guided Reading and comprehension tasks.
- Library visits.
- View 'Behind The News' with follow-up discussions/activities.
- Oral Language - impromptu speaking.

HEALTH & PE

- Develop class culture and expectations.
- Healthy and Active communities:-
 - ◇ Friendology - explicitly teaching children how to develop healthy friendships and manage conflict in a positive way.
 - ◇ The GREAT DREAM programme.
 - Student Voice (Class / SRC meetings).
 - Swimming lessons.
 - Weekly PE skill development with Joe & Connor.
 - ◇ Play is the way / Team games.
 - ◇ Net & Wall Games (Tennis) .
 - ◇ Health Hustle / Swimming Carnival.
 - ◇ Skills Circuit / Beep Test.

ITALIAN

- Studies with Signora Stefanie.
- ◇ Celebrations in Italy - Carnevale and Pasqua (Easter)
- ◇ Sono Io - myself
- ◇ Revision

THE ARTS

- Performing Arts with Anna - Drama.
- Visual Art activities— collage, weaving.

TERM 1 : 27th January - 9th April Year 5 OVERVIEW

Maerschel & Eugene

Our BIG IDEA linking Term 1 learning:

Goal Setting:
Improved concentration, increased productivity and enhanced awareness and creativity.

Students will be encouraged to :

- **Embrace challenge**
- **Set and achieve goals**
- **Persevere**
- **Make progress**
- **Grow from mistakes**
- **Be responsible**



SCIENCE - Chemical Sciences

- Solids, liquids and gases have different observable properties.
- Making predictions about scientific investigations.
- Famous scientists involved with chemicals and matter.



CIVICS AND CITIZENSHIP


- The values of Australia's democratic system of government.
- Differences between Democratic and Autocratic systems of government.

DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES

- Studies with Matt.
- ◇ Using digital systems safely.
- ◇ Using interface and filing systems.
- ◇ How to research and present using digital systems.



MATHS

- Pre-testing.
- Setting up Positive Norms in Maths
-  youcubed at Stanford University
- Goal setting and planning to achieve goals.
- Estimation and rounding numbers.
- Number and Place Value.
- Factors and Multiples.
- Multiplication.
- Fractions and Decimals.
- Problem solving - Real life mathematical tasks.

GEOGRAPHY

- Humans impact the physical environment in many ways: overpopulation, pollution, burning fossil fuels, and deforestation.
- Changes like these can trigger climate change, soil erosion, poor air quality, and undrinkable water.

HISTORY

- Economic, Social and Political reasons for the establishment of British colonies in Australia after 1800.
- Celebrations and connections to the Australian Identity.

ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

- The differences between Needs and Wants.
- Natural, Human and Capital Resources.
- Choices we make about the resources we have available.