ENGLISH

- Listen to, read and analyse the structure of news articles that inform and entertain readers.
- Create informative texts that become newspaper articles and are written to educate readers about a subject.
- Practise editing skills for cohesive structure, grammar and punctuation.
- Develop sentence structure utilising subordinating and coordinating conjunctions.
- · Spelling and word study.
- · Library visits.
- · View 'BTN'



HEALTH & PE

- Growth & Development Introduce age-appropriate knowledge, skills, and attitudes, for students to make informed, safe decisions and to foster healthy relationships.
- Topics including consent, puberty, reproduction, diversity, e-safety, and respectful relationships.
- · Student Voice (Class / SRC meetings).
- Weekly PE skill development with Stephan.

THE ARTS

- · Performing Arts with Anna.
- Visual Art: Craft.

TERM 4: 13th October - 12th December, 2025 Year 5 OVERVIEW

Eugene & Maerschel

Our Effective Learning focus for Term 4 is: Critical Thinking.

Critical thinking is the active and objective process of analysing facts, evidence and arguments to form sound conclusions and make informed judgments.

Critical thinking involves questioning, evaluating different perspectives, and reflecting on one's own biases to understand information thoroughly and solve problems effectively.

ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

- · Consumer choices.
- · Influences on consumer choices and methods that can be used to help make informed personal consumer and financial choices. Budgeting for an event.

GEOGRAPHY

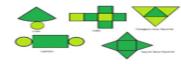
- · The impact of bushfires on communities in Australia, and how people can respond.
- · Identifying how Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities responded to bushfires.
- Researching how the application of principles of prevention, mitigation and preparedness, minimises the harmful effects of bushfires.

HISTORY

Investigating the roles of significant people in colonial history, including explorers
of the interior like Charles Sturt and John Mc Douall Stuart; and Aboriginal
figures such as the resistance fighters Pemulwuy and Windradyne, and intercultural interlocutors like Bennelong. Other notable figures will be the convict
architect Francis Greenway, the bushranger Ned Kelly, and philanthropist Caroline
Chisholm.

CIVICS AND CITIZENSHIP

- · Working in groups as global citizens.
- · Developing sustainable communities together.
- · Visit to Parliament House and Centre of Democracy.



MATHS

- Connect 3-dimensional objects with their 2-dimensional representations.
- Describe transformations of 2-dimensional shapes and identify line and rotational symmetry.
- · Students use a grid reference system to locate landmarks.
- · Identify all possible outcomes of chance experiments.
- Classify outcomes as either equally likely, more likely or less likely to occur
- Represent the likelihood of events using fractions.
- Foster a positive disposition towards maths, recognising it as a useful discipline to study.

SCIENCE - Physical Sciences

 Light from a source forms shadows and can be absorbed, reflected and refracted.



- Investigate the properties of light and understand the use of annotated scientific diagrams to communicate understanding.
- Making predictions about scientific investigations.
- · Famous scientists— e. g. Röntgen , Newton, Einstein.