



Rosary Primary School

Term 1 Overview - Grade 1

TOGETHER WE DO OUR BEST | BELIEVE | EXPLORE | STRIVE | TRIUMPH

School Focus: **Believe:** We live our Catholic faith through action, attitude and prayer guided by the Dominican Tradition.

Teachers: Diandra Blom, Beth Campton, Donna Gordon

Religion

Students will develop an understanding that creation is a gift from God. They will learn about living in accordance with God's plan for all creation: living safely and happily in community with a responsibility to care for all creation.

English

Reading: Modelled, shared, guided and independent reading activities. Strategies taught will include predicting and making connections to experiences.

Writing: Our text type focus will be recounts. Using big books, the students will also innovate on familiar texts by using similar characters, repetitive patterns or vocabulary.

Speaking and Listening: Students will practice interacting respectfully. This includes taking turns to speak, listening and following instructions.

Students will use lined paper to write on. We will focus on consistent letter size and spacing. We will also work on the correct formation of letters.

When writing, students will be encouraged to "have a go" at spelling. Students will use their knowledge of letter sound relationships and spelling patterns to make close approximations.

Maths

Number and Algebra

Students will:

- Revise numbers to 100.
- Explore place value of numbers to 30.
- Solve simple addition and subtraction problems.

Measurement and Geometry

Students will:

- Name, recognise and classify two-dimensional shapes using obvious features.

Statistic and Probability

Students will:

- Identify outcomes of familiar events involving chance.
- Gather and organise data into graphs and interpret results.

Science

Spot the Difference: Students will learn about changes that are happening all around us. They will predict the changes that can happen to everyday materials and investigate the best way to manage things such as, food handling and cooking, construction and packaging. Students learn about how heating or cooling a food can change its properties and whether the change can be reversed or not.

Humanities and Social Sciences

In **Geography**, students will identify and describe the natural, managed and constructed features of places at a local scale. They will study the daily and seasonal weather patterns of their place and of other places. Students will also learn why places are important to people and what it means to care for a place.

Technologies

Students will make use of both the class iPads and the computer lab to enhance their learning in the areas of Literacy, Numeracy, Religion and Social Sciences.

Health and Physical Education

Health: Students will learn about actions and strategies that keep them healthy and safe. They will also learn about the benefits of a healthy and active life style. Students will participate in a program called Bounce Back, which is a positive approach to wellbeing, resilience and social-emotional learning.

Physical Education: Students will perform fundamental movement skills including throwing and catching, running and jumping. They will explore movement individually and in groups, with and without equipment. Students will also be involved in daily fitness sessions until 9:30am most days.

The Arts

Visual Arts: Students will understand that different materials, techniques and processes can be used to create artworks about vases.

Music: Students will explore sounds as they make music using tuned and untuned percussion instruments and voice. They will identify and develop an understanding of simple elements of rhythm and pitch when singing and playing a variety of songs.

Indonesian

In **Indonesian**, students will use songs, role-plays and visual materials to explore using Indonesian to introduce themselves. They will give a description of themselves to others and learn to recognise and respond to simple questions.

General Information

	M	T	W	TH	F
Sport Days		Year 1			Year 1
Library Day				1 Vienna & 1 Hague	
Indonesian			1 Vienna & 1 Hague		
Music				1 Vienna & 1 Hague	

Assembly	
Liturgy	Rosary Community Family Mass, 23 rd February 10:00am @ Holy Rosary Church Ash Wednesday Mass, 26 th February 10:00am @ Holy Rosary Church Year 1 Prayer Celebration, 12 th March 10:00am @ ACU Chapel
Excursions	TBA
Important Dates	Gelato Day, Tues 25 th February School Photos, Thursday 19 th March School Disco, Friday 27 th March Parent / Teacher Learning Conversation - Mon 6 th and Tues 7 th April
Allergies	A reminder that no nut products are to be brought into school.
Attendance	When a child has been away from school a note detailing the date/s when they were absent should be sent the day they return. Absences may also be notified by using the SZapp or sending an email to office.rosaryps@cg.catholic.edu.au.

