

Year 4 Learning Overview

Term 3 Weeks 6 - 10



Religious Education

We will be exploring the
'Penance' unit of work.



Maths

We will be covering the following
topics in Mathematics:
Division, multiplication, inverse
operations, mixed numerals,
improper fractions, measuring
length and time.

Literacy



Reading: The students will read and
explore diary entries that link to our
learning in HASS.

Writing: The students will be learning
how to structure and write diary entries.
They will also explore poetry and how to
write a range of poems.



Design & Technologies

Students will design an innovative solution
with use of a Sphero robot to help solve a
problem identified at Beach School.

HASS

In History, we will explore stories
of the First Fleet, including
reasons for the journey, who
travelled to Australia, and their
experiences following arrival.



Health

In Keeping Safe, we will be learning about
secrets, threats, bribes and tricks in relation
to abuse.

In Friendology, we will be learning about
seeing from different perspectives,
assuming the best and friendship gardens.



Home Learning

Homework is given out on **Mondays** and is also due on a **Monday (every fortnight)**.

Homework will take the form of a grid with a list of activities for the students to complete. A parent or guardian will need to sign the students' grids to verify that they are reading at home.

Music Mrs Vlam

This term in Music, students will explore the 2026 Book Week theme, A Symphony of Stories, using books as the inspiration for singing, playing instruments, listening, moving, creating and responding to music. During the second half of the term, classes will begin preparing for our Musica Viva incursion, Music Around the World, which will take place early in Term 4.

Science Mrs Alexander

This term, your child will discover the hidden connections of nature! In our Biological Science unit, we will dive into the fascinating world of ecosystems – exploring how producers, consumers and decomposers work together to keep environments thriving. By creating and exploring food chains, students will uncover the journey of energy through ecosystems and discover how every living thing has an important role to play.

Important Dates

- **Monday 31st August** - 4B Prayer assembly
- **Wednesday 2nd September** - Father's Day stall
- **Friday 4th September** - Father's Day breakfast
- **Monday 7th September** - 4G Prayer assembly
- **Monday 7th to 11th September** - 3 Way Meetings
- **Monday 14th September** - 4W Prayer assembly
- **Wednesday 23rd September** - House Day and whole school mass



Art Mrs Tangifua

This term, students in Year 4 will create a vibrant mixed media artwork, inspired by the work of artist Sandrine Pelissier. Students will explore her use of bold colours, patterns and imaginative line work. They will experiment with a range of drawing and painting techniques, using both watercolour and acrylic paint, as well as pastel and fineliner to create their own unique artworks that combine realistic subjects with creative patterns and colour choices.

Physical Education Miss Chessell

This term in Physical Education, students will consolidate and extend their fundamental movement skills through Volleyball, focusing on control, accuracy, movement, and teamwork. Students will apply simple attacking and defensive strategies while demonstrating sportsmanship and respect for others. Later this term, students will prepare for the Athletics Carnival.