

MAJURA PRIMARY SCHOOL Year 5 TERM 4 OVERVIEW 2023

WELCOME TO TERM 4

We are so pleased to welcome your child/ren to term 4. The Year 5s will be assisting with the Year 6 graduation and disco this term. We will also be hosting our assembly in week 9.

ENGLISH

The English activities covered this term will include:

- spelling, punctuation, and vocabulary development through a variety of writing tasks and the Soundwaves spelling program
- informative writing pieces on historical figures learned about during our HASS unit
- reading and paraphrasing information
- speaking and listening skills through presentations in HASS.

MATHEMATICS

Mathematics topics this term will include:

- studying the features of 2D shapes and 3D objects
- conducting experiments with chance and probability
- using the four operations in problem solving
- learning about factors and multiples
- learning to create and interpret timelines

HEALTH

Social Emotional Learning - Students will be focusing on topics from Friendly Schools Plus which are directly related to student needs this term, starting with friendships, resilience, and self-management.

As a part of our social and emotional learning this term, we will also be learning about puberty. A note will be going home with more information.

YEAR 5 TEACHERS

Sugar Cubes

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SPECIALISTS

Music:

Students will continue to explore the use of rhythmic, pitch and form symbols in the music they perform and two- and three-part harmony.

Visual Arts:

This term in specialist Arts lessons, students will be participating in Visual Arts. They will work individually to produce their own art piece using skills and techniques developed during class. Through discussion and collaboration students will explore ideas and see modelled techniques, troubleshooting any challenges to design creative solutions in production of their work.

HASS and SCIENCE

HASS – *Influential People in Society:* Students will explain the causes of the establishment of British colonies in Australia after 1800. They will explain the roles of significant individuals or groups in the development of an Australian colony and the impact of those developments.

Science – *The Solar System:* Students will describe the key features of our solar system. They will follow instructions to pose questions for investigations and predict the effect of changing variables when planning an investigation.



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SPECIALIST TIMETABLE					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Music	Fonio			Durum	
	Sugar Cubes			Barnyard	
Art				Sugar Cubes	
				Durum	
				Fonio	
				Barnyard	
Sustainability	Barnyard			Fonio	Durum
				Sugar Cubes	Barnyard
Library		Sugar Cubes	Barnyard		Fonio
			Durum		
French		Sugar Cubes	Fonio		
		Durum	Barnyard		