ENGLISH

In English, students will read a range of more complex narrative texts independently for longer periods. They will also focus on reading, viewing, writing and creating a range of informative texts and will analyse the author's purpose and perspective. Students will develop the techniques to present factual reports, explanations and procedures to inform the reader in a range of formats. They will engage in many opportunities to develop their speaking and listening skills in formal and informal settings.



YEAR 6 2020 TERM 3 OVERVIEW

PDHPE

Students will explore emotions and how these affect their decisions, behaviours and relationships through a study of the film Inside Out. They will develop an understanding of the characteristics of respectful relationships through a study of the novel Wonder by R J Palacio. Students will practise positive behaviours to enhance relationships and learn strategies to deal with conflict and bullying. In PE and sport lessons, students will focus on fundamental movement skills and work collaboratively to design activities to develop these skills.



CREATIVE ARTS

Students will develop their skills in drama. They will analyse the elements of drama and explore play scripts. Students will work collaboratively to develop, write and plan a dramatic performance based on the theme of empathy, inclusion and respect. Through engagement in these performances they will explore, discuss and implement the elements of drama. Students will develop and sustain a character for an audience and analyse how their own performances can be improved, through the appreciation of the performances of others.

MATHEMATICS

Students will increase their understanding of time and the ways in which it is represented in timetables and timelines. They will investigate the measurement of volume and apply their knowledge of whole number to solve problems involving chance. Students will extend their understanding of fractions and decimals and complete addition and subtraction in these forms. Mathematics lessons will

include the development of mathematical language, reasoning and problem-solving strategies across all topics.



GEOGRAPHY

Students will explore the countries of the Asia region and their connections to Australia. They will learn about the diversity of the world's people, including the indigenous peoples of other countries. Students will explore and reflect upon similarities and differences and the importance of intercultural understanding. While studying these topics students will develop their inquiry skills and learn to communicate geographical information using maps, data representations and informative texts.





SCIENCE

This term, students will investigate the role of forces in the physical world. They will make and justify predictions about natural phenomena and engage in experiments to test their predictions and draw conclusions. Students will develop their understanding of contact and non-contact forces and how these are used our daily lives. They will investigate ways that energy is transferred and utilised in the world around us and communicate their explanations in multimodal forms using appropriate scientific terminology.