



Community Connections - Year 4

OUR SCHOOL VISION: We inspire individuals to flourish, embrace challenges and make a positive difference to our world.

Unit of Inquiry

Where we are in Place and Time

Central Idea:

Exploration and discoveries change our understanding of the world.

Lines of Inquiry:

CONNECTION: An inquiry into the diverse cultures and connections of First Nation australians prior to 1788.

CAUSATION: An inquiry into causes and consequences of colonisation.

PERSPECTIVE: An inquiry into the how exploration overtime impacts knowledge and perspectives.

How you can help at home?

Discuss with your child:

What were the reasons Britain sent convicts to Australia?

What could have been the challenges the First Fleet faced during the journey?

What could have been the first interactions between the indigenous people and First Fleet people?

Literacy:

- Continuing our focus on Phonics and the English language and spelling conventions
- Historical recount narratives.

How you can help at home?

Increase their reading repertoire! The more exposure that our children have to rich texts, the greater their vocabulary can become! Ask questions after they have read a book, to check their ability to comprehend what they are reading.

Numeracy:

- Financial maths/money
- Measurements, Length, Mass and Capacity
- Perimeter and Area

How you can help at home?

Look for opportunities to use mathematics skills in daily life. When shopping, playing games, analysing sport, reading the time and calculating how long things will take.

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Specialist lessons:

Class	4SW	4BR	4JT
Japanese	Wednesday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Library	Wednesday	Friday	Friday
Visual Arts	Tuesday	Tuesday	In class
Music	Tuesday	Wednesday	Tuesday
PE	In class	Wednesday	Wednesday

Important Dates:

- Big Sing Choir - 29th July
- NAIDOC day- 31st July
- Year 3 and 4 Touch Footy- 4th August
- Parents and teacher meeting - 27th -30th July
- National science week - week 5
- Book Week- Week 5 - 21st August (Parade)
- Wear It Purple day - 28th August
- Father's Day Breakfast- 4th September
- R U OK day- 10th September
- Last Day of Term 3 - 25th September (Friday)