



Early Stage One Overview of Learning Term 1 2021

Maths Overview		English Units	Phonics and High Frequency Words	
Whole Number	Major concepts covered - Characters - Starting school - Belonging - Nursery Rhymes Texts covered First Day (Andrew Daddo) Possum Goes to School (Melanie Carter) Mr McGee (Pamela Allen)	Speaking and Listening Interacting with and listening to peers and adults in classroom situations. Sharing stories or an item from home with the class for show and tell.	Phonics Ss, Aa, Tt, Pp, Ii Nn, Mm, Dd, Gg, Oo	High Frequency Words is, the, and, for
Length				
Addition and Subtraction	Reading and viewing Enjoy stories read and viewed. Respond to stories read and viewed. Connecting characters and texts to familiar experiences. Daily guided reading focusing on consolidating early reading behaviours and building phonics and sight word knowledge.	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Cc, Kk, Ee, Uu, Rr Hh, Bb, Ff, Ll, Jj	a, on, I, am
Position				went, to, this, can
Two-Dimensional Space	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Cc, Kk, Ee, Uu, Rr Hh, Bb, Ff, Ll, Jj	we, are, like, my
Multiplication and Division				in, see, at, go
Area	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Cc, Kk, Ee, Uu, Rr Hh, Bb, Ff, Ll, Jj	look, it, mum, dad
Time				us, here, an, up
Patterns and Algebra	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Writing and Composing Pencil grip, cutting, tracing and letter orientation. Reconstruct simple sentences. Copy simple sentences. Beginning to write simple sentences.	Cc, Kk, Ee, Uu, Rr Hh, Bb, Ff, Ll, Jj	play, looking, playing, big
Revision				Revision / Catch up
History & Geography	We will cover <i>Geography</i> this semester and <i>History</i> next semester. In the unit <i>Places</i> students will identify familiar areas and explore why some places are special or important to people and how they can care for them. They will learn to recognise that places can be represented on maps.			
Science & Technology	We will explore the unit "On the Move" which is a series of collaborative inquiry-based learning activities investigating push and pull forces used to move objects including sliding, bouncing and spinning. We will explore how digital technologies are used safely to communicate in everyday life. We will name and use simple functions of familiar digital technologies to create multimodal texts.			
CAPA	We are learning ways to express ourselves when we listen to and move to music and when we view and create works of art.			
PDHPE	This term in fitness and sport we are concentrating on dance and fundamental movement skills. We are also learning about what we need in our lives to keep us safe and healthy.			

**Please note - this is a guide only. Assessment is ongoing and may take many forms including observation.