**Maths**
- Number operations
- Problem solving
- Time
- Measurement
- Area & Perimeter
- Chance & Data
- Angles and lines
Along with introducing new strategies and concepts, previously taught concepts will be consolidated throughout the term.

**Literacy**
- Handwriting - NSW Foundation print

**Reading & Writing**
- Silent Reading and Guided Reading
- Scaffolding Literacy
- Writer’s Notebook
- Narrative
- Procedural texts
- Punctuation / grammar

**Spelling**
- Soundwaves
- Spelling rules

**Speaking and Listening**
- Taking turns to speak and listen to others
- Contributing to class discussions
- Developing confidence when presenting to larger groups

**Information Communication Technology**
- Mathletics
- IPads, Chromebooks & desktop computers
- Google Apps for Education & Microsoft Office
- Library research skills and projects

**Library**
- Non-fiction text conventions, reading conventions, Book Week activities & library skills

**Year 2 & 3, Blue Unit**

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**P.E. & Health**
**Year 2** - Gross motor
- Water Safety
**Year 3** - Fundamental skills
- Emotional wellbeing

**LOTE - Japanese**
Focus will be on language for the classroom (the names of common objects, asking to ask to borrow these items and describing them using Japanese language)

Please note: This is used as a guide only.

**Geography**
Identifying and locating significant geographical features in our local area. Discussing how an individual’s perception of a place influences their views about protecting this place.

**History**
Students will be undertaking a personal project researching a significant site of their choice with a focus on:
**Year 2** - The history of a significant person, building, site or part of the natural environment, and its importance today.
**Year 3** - Change and continuity over time in the local community & the role that people of diverse backgrounds have played in our local history.

**Science**
**Year 2** - Living things grow, change and have offspring similar to themselves; Different materials can be combined for particular purposes.
**Year 3** - A materials change of state can be caused by adding or removing heat; Heat can be produced in many ways and can move from one object to another.

**The Arts**
**Visual arts** - Painting/drawing & Media Arts with a focus on using different mediums and techniques
**Performing arts** - Dance, drama and music