

# Ferny Hills State School Curriculum Overview

# Year 4 Term 3, 2025

# English

## Listening & Speaking

 Present an oral argument to a class audience about an action that can be take to enhance the sustainable use and management of renewable and non-renewable resources in the school.

## Reading & Viewing

- Read, view and comprehend texts on sustainable management of renewable and non-renewable resources
- identify the subjective language of opinion and feeling, and the objective language of factual reporting.

## Writing & Creating

• Explore use of persuasive features, topic-specific and descriptive vocabulary, rhetorical devices and complex sentences to create a persuasive argument.

## Structured Literacy

 Participate in explicit daily lessons to develop handwriting, spelling, dictation, and vocabulary.

# The Arts - Media Arts

#### Students will:

• Create a poster promoting sustainable action in the school

# Science

#### Students will:

• identify the roles of organisms in a habitat and construct food chains.

## Health & Physical Education Movement

#### Students will:

- refine the fundamental movement skills of throwing and catching.
- develop an understanding of net game movement concepts and strategies.
- apply strategies for working cooperatively and apply rules fairly.

#### JULY: 24th NAIDOC Week Celebrations.

AUGUST: 6th ICAS Digi Tech & Writing. 7-8th NWD T&F Event. 11th EKKA Public Holiday. 13th ICAS English. 22nd Book Week Parade. 27th ICAS Maths.

**SEPTEMBER**: 5th Student Free Day. 11th Parent Teacher Interview, **9th Last Day of Term. Term 4 Begins** Tuesday 7th October.

# Maths

#### Number

- Draw on proficiency with number facts, fractions and decimals to deepen an appreciation of how numbers work together
- Choose and use efficient strategies when modelling practical problems, communicating solutions within the context (for example: with a focus on decimals and everyday situations).

## Measurement and Space

- Use scaled instruments and appropriate units to measure length, mass, capacity and temperature
- Become aware of the importance of context and purpose when making judgements (for example: reflect on the reasonableness of measurements, the results of calculations and how they choose to represent the mathematics).

### Geometry

- Recognise approximate shapes and objects in the environment and represent or recreate these shapes and objects using physical and virtual materials
- Measure and approximate perimeters and areas

## Structured Numeracy

 Participate in explicit daily lessons to develop fluency, reasoning, problem-solving skills, flexible thinking and a positive disposition towards Maths.

# Humanities & Social Sciences

#### Students will:

 explore sustainable use and management of renewable and non-renewable resources, including the custodial responsibility First Nations Australians have for Country/Place

# The Arts - Music

#### Students will:

- play glockenspiel/xylophone.
- read and write using the musical staff.
- perform both individually and in a group this semester.
- explore Mozart's Twinkle, Twinkle and how he took his main theme and create different piece of music by making small variations.