



Ferry Hills State School

Curriculum Overview

Prep Year
Term 4, 2025

English

Reading & Viewing

- Read, view and comprehend texts, making connections between characters, settings and events, and to personal experiences.
- Identify the language features of texts including connections between print and images.

Writing & Creating

- Create short written texts, including retelling stories and key ideas.
- Use words and phrases from learning and texts.
- Form letters, spell most consonant–vowel–consonant words and experiment with capital letters and full stops. (monitored only)

Structured Literacy

- Participate in explicit daily lessons to develop phonemic awareness, oral language, word decoding (reading), handwriting, and vocabulary.

The Arts - Music

Students will:

- Explore beat, and in-tune singing and rhythm.
- Explore comparatives in music such as fast/slow, song/rhyme, high/low and loud/soft.
- Explore Art music and active listening.

Health & Physical Education

Students will:

- Learn how to seek, give or deny permission respectfully, name body parts and rehearse help-seeking strategies that help keep them safe.

Maths

Number

- Make connections between number names, numerals, positions in the sequence of numbers from zero to at least 20.
- Compare the size of collections to at least 20.
- Partition and combine collections up to 10 in different ways, representing these with numbers.

Structured Numeracy

- Participate in explicit daily lessons to develop number sense and a positive disposition towards Maths.

Humanities & Social Sciences

Students will:

- Learn about places which are special and how to care for them.
- Describe and observe the features of familiar places and recognise that places can be represented on pictorial maps and models.

Science

Students will:

- Learn that objects are made of materials that have observable properties.

Please remember...

Printed decodable texts are sent home each week. Please read them daily with your child to develop fluency.

Additional decodable texts for at home reading are available through DRA online. If you do not have the log in details, please contact your child's teacher.