



Ferry Hills State School

Curriculum Overview

Year 2
Term 3, 2026

English

Listening & Speaking

- Students orally express a preference for a place and explore how persuasive language is used to express opinions

Reading & Viewing

- Students engage with a range of imaginative texts about places, which provide stimulus for using language to express opinions and their supporting reasons

Writing & Creating

- Students create a written preference for a place, giving supporting reasons and using persuasive language

Structured Literacy

- Students participate in explicit daily lessons to develop handwriting, word decoding (reading), word encoding (spelling), dictation and vocabulary.

Science

Students will:

- demonstrate how different sounds can be produced and describe the effect of sound energy on objects.
- pose questions to explore observations and make predictions based on experience

Humanities & Social Sciences

Students will:

- Explore how technological developments changed people's lives at home and in the way they worked, travelled and communicated.

The Arts- Dance

Students will:

- Explore cultural dances
- Develop fundamental movement skills
- Create their own sequences

Maths

Number:

- Students order and represent numbers to at least 1000
- Students describe and continue patterns that increase and decrease additively by a constant amount and identify missing elements in the pattern
- Students recall and demonstrate proficiency with addition and subtraction facts within 20 and multiplication facts for twos

Measurement and Space

- Students use uniform informal units to measure and compare shapes and objects

The Arts - Music

Students will:

- explore the elements of music; dynamics, rhythm, pitch, beat and tempo.
- listen to and discuss music from a different era and how the musical elements can surprise the audience.
- compose for claves (clapping sticks) and perform their compositions individually for their class.
- play untuned percussion instruments along with Haydn's Surprise Symphony

Health & Physical Education

Movement

Students will:

- Develop fundamental movement skills in a range of physical activities.
- Investigate and explore making healthy choices.

Please remember...

- Tuesday 21st July- Art Show & Twilight Concert
- Monday 10th August – Pine Rivers Show Holiday
- Friday 21st August – Book Week Parade
- Friday 4th September – Student Free Day (Staff Professional Development)