



# Ferry Hills State School

## Curriculum Overview

Year 4  
Term 1, 2024

### English

#### Listening & Speaking

- Share ideas about stories in literary discussions

#### Reading & Viewing

- Engage with fiction and non-fiction texts on celebrations and commemorations in different countries.

#### Writing & Creating

- Write a persuasive text for a parent audience

#### Structured Literacy

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

### Maths

#### Number

- Place value to tenths and hundredths in decimal form and to multiply natural numbers by multiples of 10, fractions on a number line

#### Space & Statistics

- Create and interpret grid references.
- Identify symmetry and create symmetrical patterns.
- Create data displays using surveys and digital tools, assess suitability and discuss

#### 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:

- identify the importance of different celebrations and commemorations for different groups.
- share understandings of a celebration with a familiar audience.

### Science

#### Students will:

- identify sources of heat energy and examples of heat transfer and explain changes in the temperature of objects.

### Health & Physical Education

#### Movement

- Refine striking and fielding skills in Kanga Cricket
- Apply skills, concepts and strategies to solve movement challenges
- Apply strategies for working cooperatively and apply rules fairly

#### Health

- Explore the impact of positive social interaction on self-identity.
- Communicate respectfully with friends to resolve conflict and challenging issues.
- Investigate strategies to establish and maintain respectful friendships.

### The Arts - Music

#### Students will:

- Read music on a staff
- Read and write pitch and rhythm
- perform as a whole class and as individuals. compose an 8 beat melody for the xylophone.

### The Arts – Media Arts

#### Students will:

- Create a persuasive poster advertising the class cultural expo.