

2023 Term 2 Curriculum in Year 1

at Highland Reserve State School



English

Students will listen to, read and experience a range of texts, focusing on features of plot, character and setting. They will continue to develop their reading skills, focusing on fluency and recognising literal and implied meaning. Students will write a short character description, write about how a character develops in the story, and give a personal preference in relation to the character.

Maths

Students will continue to explore numbers up to 100. They will learn about modelling one and two-digit numbers and number relationships. Students will begin to solve simple addition problems using a range of strategies. They will investigate and describe the features of 2D and 2D shapes. Students will also investigate halves as one of two equal parts of a whole.

Science

Students will explore sound and light. They will create an instrument and make predictions about how sound could be changed. They will record their observations and draw conclusions. Students will explore sources of light and explain how light can be altered.

Visual Arts

Students will explore how changes in facial features, style and form communicate emotion in artworks. They will learn the visual language of portraiture and self-portraiture in artworks by a range of artists, including Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander artists and used this develop their own artworks.

Students will also participate in the following specialist lessons:

Humanities and Social Sciences

with Mrs Jansberg or
Mrs Taylor

Health and Physical Education

with Mr Aldridge or
Mr Traucnieks

Music

with Mr Howland or
Mrs Barker