



# Down on the farm

**Year Level:** One/Two

**Date:** Term 3, 2021

**Teaching Staff:** Miss Britanii Norris

## Literacy Activities: Daily

### Writing

- Poetry
- Procedural
- Narratives
- Using vowel digraphs in spelling words
- Handwriting – correct formation of letters and starting point

### Reading

- Reading strategies – The CAFÉ Menu – focus on Comprehension, Fluency & Extend Vocabulary
- Grammar – nouns, verbs and adjectives
- Guided reading
- Decoding reading strategies
- Reading to self, reading to a partner and listening to others read.

### Spelling

- High frequency words
- SMART spelling

### Oral Language

- Being active listeners
- Using our manners
- Contributing to conversations

## Maths Activities – Daily

### Number & Algebra

- Pulling apart and putting back together 3 digit numbers to identify how many 100s, 10s & 1s
- Subtraction and Division
- Money
- Fractions

### Measurement & Geometry

- Days, Months and the Seasons
- Analogue clocks – o'clock and half past
- Digital Clocks – o'clock and half past

### Statistics and Probability

- Chance – taking turns, being a fair player, Identifying the outcome using likely, unlikely, will happen, won't happen

## Discovery Curriculum – Tuesday and Wednesday

The students will learn how living things change and reproduce. The students observe the patterns of growth and change in living things, and describe patterns and make predictions. Students will participate in the living egg program and local excursions to local farms in the Harcourt area.

## Health and PE – Tuesday and Thursday

- Fundamental Motor Skills –through tabloid sports
- Hockey, Table Tennis, Tennis and Cricket
- Road safety Program – last two weeks of term. Get your scooter and helmet ready to ride!

## French – Thursday

This term 1/2 will continue to learn the vocabulary and phrases necessary for their play 'Les Trois Petits Cochons'. We will continue to study the play through reading as a group and individually. 1/2 will begin to use these simple phrases and vocabulary in the classroom during guided activities and work towards using them spontaneously when answering questions and working in table groups.

## Music – Monday

Students are learning 2 song and dance routines to perform early next term at our bi-annual concert. The theme for the concert is "STEP BACK IN TIME" where students will get a taste of music throughout the past 80 or so years. During this unit of work, students will be further developing their sense of beat and rhythm as they move and respond to the music, further develop their vocal abilities, memorise songs and routines, learn about the elements of dance, develop expressive skills for their performance and learn how to become a team that feels safe together so they can really give their best performance for you.

## Art – Wednesday

In the art room this term the students will be exploring drawing and focussing on the Art Elements and Principles of Line, Shape, Space, Movement and Pattern. We will be incorporating many drawing techniques and processes including the use of different media, learning about the different types of lines and how we can create shape along with guided drawing lessons.

## Homework and contacting the teacher

- Reading and recording home reading nights four times a week and handing in reading diary on your child's reading day.
- Weekly spelling words students will be tested on these words every Friday. Homework due every Friday.
- Email: [Britanii.Norris@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:Britanii.Norris@edumail.vic.gov.au) or 54742266 to arrange a meeting.