

The Arts Term 1, 2020

Hi everyone and welcome back to school!

I am very excited for this year, as we will be working in a newly renovated art room! It looks absolutely wonderful and is the perfect space for creativity and focus.

Just a reminder, students need to bring their art smocks to school. Art smocks protect our clothing from all the messy fun we have in art. I look forward to getting back into the creative magic and wish everyone a wonderful term!

Cheers,

Miss Emily Viney

Visual Arts

Grade Prep - 3: Students will be exploring a range of art materials and techniques, working on their own individual expression. Students will be engaging in a unit based on illustrators, learning about their techniques and how to recreate their own versions.

Grade 4 – 6: Students will be working on developing their artistic skills to develop really high quality work. This term, students will engage in a range of projects, such as 'The traveling Midnight Alpaca', and a 'Splattered Painted Wolf'. These projects will take several weeks to complete, as students learn about a new process of making art.

Performing Arts

- **Grade Prep:** Students will enjoy singing songs, exploring music and movement, and have some fun playing percussion instruments; exploring rhythm and beat.
- **Grade 1 3:** Students will begin a unit on the fundamental elements of music. They will get to play instruments, learn songs and dance routines. Students will also develop their understanding between mindfulness, music and yoga.
- **Grade 4 6**: Students will be looking at music parodies with the intention of writing their own. Students will create a music video in small groups to accompany their newly written parodies.