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Year 7 Term 2 Curriculum Overview 2019

Subject/Teachers	Units
Religious Education 7 Blue - Mrs Kelleher 7 Green - Miss Issa 7 Orange - Miss Cusack 7 Red - Mrs Sanchez	Unit Title: Sacred Scriptures Unit Overview: In this unit, students explore the great Christian story that is the Bible. They come to recognise and understand the Bible as the sacred text which reveals God's loving relationship with all of humanity. Students will also explore the structure of the Bible along with some of its principal themes and they will become confident users of the Bible as they explore a range of scripture passages.
English 7 Blue - Mrs Kelleher 7 Green - Miss Issa 7 Orange - Mr Chapman 7 Red - Mrs Sanchez	Unit Title: Introducing Sir William Shakespeare & Drama Unit Overview: In this unit, students will be introduced to the greatest playwright of all time. In looking at one of his works, students will develop an understanding and appreciation of the genre of tragedy as well as the ideas, characters and stylistic features of the Shakespearean drama.
Mathematics 7 Blue - Miss Banks 7 Green - Miss Linkenbagh 7 Orange - Mrs Hughes 7 Red - Mr Arzapitian	Unit Title: Properties of Geometrical Figures, Linear Relationships, Fractions, Length, Perimeter and Area. Unit Overview: Throughout Term 2, students will further develop their understanding of the properties of geometrical figures, which will build on their angles unit from Term One. They will also be introduced to number patterns. These will be extended to completing a table of values which can be used to plot a straight line on a Cartesian Number Plane. The four operations relating to fractions and how to apply fractions to problem solving will also be explored. Conversions between units of length, perimeter and area concepts will be applied to problem solving situations in the real world.
Science 7 Blue - Miss Banks 7 Green - Miss Linkenbagh 7 Orange - Ms Kolar 7 Red - Miss Banks	Unit Title: Ready Steady Cookout Unit Overview: During this term, students will be learning about science in the kitchen. Students will learn about the periodic table, as well as concepts such as conduction and convection, and will get the opportunity to use the scientific method to investigate a variety of problems. Students will work in groups to use this knowledge to design and create a solar oven.
HSIE 7 Blue - Miss Moore 7 Green - Ms Holmes 7 Orange - Mr Chapman 7 Red - Ms Holmes	Unit Title: The Mediterranean World: Egypt Unit Overview: Throughout this unit, students will learn about The Pharaoh Ramses II and his leadership of Ancient Egypt. Its society was one of the greatest civilisations of the Ancient world. It was an important political, economic and cultural power and, for a time, the most important power in the Mediterranean and western Asian world. Students will build on their understanding of history and archaeology during this investigation into the Ancient world.
	Unit Title: The Asian World: China Unit Overview: Students will learn about Emperor Qin Shi Huang Di and the unification of China. This unit will explore the physical environment of ancient China and its influence on its people. They will also learn about key groups and individuals in Ancient China, specifically Chinese dynasties and their impact on the people of the time. They will learn to understand the social structure and government in Ancient China, as well as their religious beliefs and customs.







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PDHPE 7 Blue - Mr Zakris 7 Green - Mr Zakris 7 Orange - Mrs Kells 7 Red - Mr Arzapitian	Unit Title - PDH: An Apple A Day Unit Overview: Students explore the dietary habits of young people in relation to the nutritional guidelines. They investigate the social and cultural influences on food choices and assess nutritional information including a critical analysis of media messages and food labelling. Students develop planning skills as they design a healthy meal plan.
	Unit Title - PE: Sport and Culture Unit Overview: Students explore the interrelationship between health and physical activity in maintaining a healthy, safe and active life through cultural and historical aspects in sport. They will have the opportunity to participate in cultural appropriate activities and have learning experiences that integrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander games and historical games that have developed over time.
	Course requirements: - Hat, drink bottle for all PE Lessons, medical requirements for physical activity eg. Asthma Puffer etc
Visual Arts 7 Orange - Miss Cusack 7 Red - Miss Cusack	Unit Title: Creatures of the Air Unit Overview: Through the technique of Papier Mache' and sculpture building, students will use previously taught art skills to experiment with different materials and learn how to apply different techniques to achieve different textures. Through the study of artist Lucy Culliton in particular and other artists, students will then apply taught skills and concepts to make their own Creature of the Air sculpture.
Music 7 Blue - Miss Bugge 7 Green - Miss Bugge	Unit Title: Instruments of the Orchestra Unit Overview: Students will learn about the four instrument families of the orchestra (strings, woodwind, brass and percussion). Students will develop musical literacy through the completion of a variety of aural and composition tasks. Course Requirements:
	- Portfolio – provided by College
Technologies 7 Blue - Mrs Lyons 7 Green - Mrs Lyons 7 Orange - Mrs Sulentic 7 Red - Mrs Sulentic	Unit Title: Digital Technologies - Space X Unit Overview: The unit encourages students to develop an empowered attitude towards digital technologies, use abstractions to represent and decompose real-world problems, and implement and evaluate digital solutions. Students have the opportunity to learn basic programming language to produce a digital solution for a real world problem, exploring the idea of creating a robot for NASA that will be used to communicate with Aliens who have contacted earth.
	Course requirements: - Laptop - Digital folio & booklet - MBots can only be used in school.



