# **Aspley East State School**

# Year 4 Curriculum Overview - Term 4, 2024

## English

In this unit, students will explore film as a form of imaginative text, focusing on how characters, events and themes are developed to engage the audience. They will write a movie review, summarising key aspects of the film, sharing their opinions with supporting reasons and recommending the film to a specific audience. Students will develop skills in organising their ideas, using descriptive language and structuring their review to effectively communicate their thoughts.

#### **Mathematics**

In Mathematics, students will solve simple purchasing problems and identify strategies for finding unknown quantities in number sentences. They will create symmetrical shapes and patterns. Additionally, students will make connections between fraction and decimal notations up to two decimal places and continue recalling multiplication facts up to 10 x 10 and related division facts.

# Science

Students will explore natural processes and human activity that cause weathering and erosion of Earth's surface. Students will relate this to their local area, make observations and predict consequences of future occurrences and human activity.

#### **Humanities and Social Sciences**

During this unit, students will examine the purpose of laws and learn to distinguish between rules and laws. They will explore the diversity of various groups within their local community. Additionally, students will consider how personal identity is shaped by aspects of culture and the groups to which they belong."

#### The Arts

Students will plan and make media artworks that use story principles, time, space and technologies to express ideas. They will describe how and why they used images, sound and text.

# **Design Technologies**

Students will explore the impact of forces and material properties on product and system functionality. By utilising everyday items, they will create a pinball machine. Additionally, students will enhance their digital citizenship, showcasing respectful and responsible online interactions.



King's Birthday - Mon 7/10
A Factor Final - Fri 11/10
World Teachers' Day - Fri 25/10
Life Education - 25/11 - 6/12
School Disco - Fri 1/11
Camp Quality Fundraiser - Fri 1/11
P&C Car Boot Sale - Sat 16/11 - Sun 17/11
Showcase Night - Thurs 21/11
Principal's Morning Tea - Thurs 28/11
Swimming Carnival - Fri 6/12
Break-up Day - Thurs 12/12
Reports emailed home - Fri 13/12

### Health and Physical Education

In Health, students will interpret health messages in product advertisements. They will apply decision-making skills in relation to a health message for a product. In Physical Education, students will create and perform movement sequences using fundamental movement skills. They will also apply skills, concepts and strategies to solve movement challenges whilst working cooperatively and following rules fairly.

## Home Learning

Students are encouraged to read at home for at least 15 minutes daily, practise weekly spelling words and consolidate their recall and understanding of multiplication tables. Apps such as IXL, Reading Eggs and Sora can support their learning.

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