SCIENCE
Our topic for science this term is ‘Watch it Grow’. Students will explore processes of growth, change, reproduction and death that apply to all animals. They will observe mealworms over the term and compare their growth under different conditions.

ENGLISH
This term, students will be learning to write descriptions, procedures, information reports and narratives in the form of scripts. Our writing will be linked to our HSIE unit of work.

HUMAN SOCIETY & ITS ENVIRONMENT
This term, we will be looking at Vietnam for our HSIE topic. Students will be learning about the geography of the country, traditional clothing and food as well as researching school and family life. We will be planting our own Vietnamese garden and harvesting our herbs and plants later in the term to make some traditional Vietnamese dishes.

CREATIVE ARTS
This term, Stage 1 will be commencing an integrated arts unit of work largely based on Anthony Brown’s book ‘Voices in the Park’. Students will be investigating dramatic conventions such as improvisation and freeze frames. Soundscapes and the creation of mood and emotion will be looked at in relation to the music, and stylised aspects of Surrealism will be explored in art. A choreographed dance will also be developed near the end of the unit.

HOMEWORK and HOME READING
Please continue to encourage your child to read at home each night. Home readers are changed daily (or when the student has finished the book). Homework will be handed out in Week 2 and can be returned each Monday.

Blue Gum
Monday – Got Game, Library, Sport
Wednesday – Art

Lilli Pilli
Monday – Library, Got Game
Wednesday – Sport
*Art will be taken in class time

Grevillea
Monday – Sport, Got Game, Art
Friday – Library

Bottle Brush
Monday – Art, Library, Got Game
Friday – Sport

Hibiscus
Monday – Art, Sport, Got Game
Friday – Library

All set for a term of great learning!