Key Learning Areas

Writing

This term, Year 4 will study a variety of factual and literary text types. Students will investigate more deeply some of the grammatical and structural features of written language in order to further enhance their writing.

Science

The Year 4 science topic for term 1 is titled “Material World”. As part of this unit, students will learn about the properties and uses of various natural and synthetic materials. Students will also have the opportunity to conduct a fair test in order to examine the time it takes for different materials to decompose.

HSIE

In HSIE, students will learn about different communities within the world and the local area. Students will define key terms and identify some of the different communities that they belong to.

Computers

In the computer room, Year 4 students will learn how to digitally manipulate images using GIMP software. Students will also learn to use Microsoft Excel to effectively record and analyse data.

CAPA

This term, Year 4 students who are not part of the senior band will participate in weekly music lessons. During these lessons, students will learn about basic musical notation and have opportunities to invent and record their own rhythms.

To help with our science experiments this term, we would appreciate any clean, empty cans. Before sending materials to school, please ensure that there are no sharp edges. Thanks!