



YEAR 6

TERM 3 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

ENGLISH

In Tale of Time and Ties, students will explore contemporary texts featuring flashbacks, time shifts and non-stereotypical characters, analysing how authors use language, literary devices and visual features to shape meaning and develop characters and relationships.

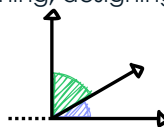
Drawing on these ideas, students will plan, draft and publish their own imaginative narrative featuring a flashback or shift in time and a unique central character. Using engaging language, effective narrative structure and multimodal elements such as illustrations or digital artwork, students will create stories that entertain, evoke emotion and explore the connections that shape our lives.



MATHEMATICS

In this unit, students will apply their mathematical understanding through a series of Minecraft-inspired challenges. They will use decimals, metric conversions, coordinates across the four quadrants of the Cartesian plane, area, angles and 3D objects to solve authentic building problems.

Students will calculate materials, plan layouts and design the ultimate Minecraft city. Through creative, real-world problem solving, they will build confidence and accuracy while discovering how mathematics is essential for planning, designing and constructing.



HASS

Students will explore the diverse environments, cultures and histories of Australia, America, Europe and Asia, investigating how people, places and environments are interconnected across time and place.

Through analysing sources, interpreting maps and data, and developing solutions to real-world environmental challenges, they will build their geographical and historical understanding while becoming informed, responsible global citizens committed to creating a more sustainable future.



SCIENCE

Students will investigate the fascinating world of volcanoes and other natural hazards, exploring how these events shape Earth's surface and impact living things. Through hands-on investigations and research, they will develop an understanding of natural disasters and discover how science helps communities prepare for and respond to these powerful events.



MUSIC

Students will explore how modern Indigenous artists express cultural identity, storytelling and connection through music. They will investigate key artists, songs and instruments, including voice, guitar and didgeridoo, while developing their understanding of musical elements. The unit culminates in students creating and performing an original piece of music.

DRAMA

Students are creating performance for a younger audience of classic children's stories while exploring and explaining the elements of drama and performing.

HPE

Students will develop basketball skills while identifying the health-related fitness components that support active lifestyles and overall wellbeing. They will also build positive relationship skills by using appropriate emotional responses and 'I' language to resolve conflict and communicate respectfully with others.

