



Learning Objectives

The Kindy to Year 6 Western Australian curriculum provides a coherent and comprehensive set of prescribed content and achievement standards which Warluwurru Catholic School uses to plan learning programs, assessments and how we report to parents. The Western Australian curriculum encompasses ACARA's Australian curriculum for English, Mathematics, Science and History. Warluwurru also has a comprehensive Religious Education program that has been endorsed by the Bishop of Broome and Catholic education of Western Australia.

Classroom

Junior Primary (K-1)

Teacher: Miss Andrea & Miss Marketa
Aboriginal Teachers Assistant: Miss Sharazz

Semester 2

2017

Program Overviews

English: This Semester Junior Primary will continue with the Direct Instruction, incorporating Reading, Language and Spelling. Junior Primary will also be working towards reading sight words and practicing their handwriting.

Mathematics: In Mathematics the Junior Primary class will learn about measurement: *Length and Width, Location and Mass*.

We will be comparing and measuring length and width looking at how tall or short or wide an object is. We will learn about Location: describing and position and movement using position words.

We will also be looking at mass by making comparisons to decide which is longer, heavier or holds more, and explain reasoning in everyday language.

Religious Education: We will be participating in the units: *To Love by Working* (Vocation-Prayer) and *We Belong* (Community- Baptism).

Love by Working explores how people work by caring for self, others and creation. We will explore the ways Jesus worked and how he came to help people to work and praise God through prayer.

We Belong will focus on the sense of belonging and wonder about God who created people to belong to families and groups. It also gives special attention to the way God loves each person.

Science:

In Science the Junior Primary will learn about *Energy and Change: Push-pull power*. This unit provides an opportunity for students to explore pushes and pulls. Through investigation, students will be able to identify and describe a push or pull acting on an object in a familiar context.

HASS:

This term we will be learning about Geography: places and spaces. The students will have opportunities to identify and describe natural, managed and constructed features of places at a local scale. Students will be encouraged to use everyday language to describe direction and location and represent the location of different local places and their features on a pictorial map.

Visual Art:

Teacher: Miss Deb

Warlawurru Catholic School is celebrating its 30 year Anniversary of when the school was first established. Our Art Program is embracing this celebration by painting a mural, which will outline a story of the schools historical journey. Both staff and students will be involved in designing and painting the mural.

Reading Recovery:

Teacher: Miss Deb

At Warlawurru Catholic School we provide a Reading Recovery program for grade one students. During the twenty weeks of this intensive program, five students are required to attend a thirty-minute Reading Recovery lesson every day. The learning goal for this program is for students to develop a comprehensive range of reading strategies which will assist them to become competent readers in the future.