



ST. ALBANS EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Curriculum Newsletter—Term 2, 2018



SAEPS inspires to cooperate with not only students but their guardians as well and seek to form open lines of communication to strengthen the growth of students



SAEPS sees learning as a shared responsibility and students are encouraged to learn through all aspects of their lives in and out of the classroom



SAEPS encourages all members of the community to respect all cultures, genders and life choices.



SAEPS places a high importance on creating students that take responsibility for their own actions

Reading

- Using comprehension strategies such as inference, Cohesive Ties, Evaluation, Making Connections to interpret and analyse information
- Reading a range of texts such as persuasive, informative and imaginative .
- Naplan preparation.

Writing

- Special focus on the Writer's Notebook and its importance in the writing process.
- Writing a range of texts from different genres such as narratives, informative and persuasive.
- Focus on the writing process such as planning, drafting and publishing.
- Looking a range of text structures and their features.

Speaking and Listening

- Developing the ability to ask relevant questions to clarify content.
- Developing and explaining a point of view about a text.
- Sharing of work with peers during sharetime

Number and Algebra

- Fractions, decimals, percentages— find patterns, equivalence, addition and subtraction
- Explore the use of brackets and order of operations to write number sentence.

Measurement and Geometry

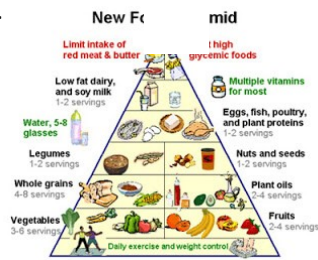
- Choosing appropriate units of measurement for length, area, volume and mass.
- Naplan Preparation

Parent Helpers

We would love some parent helpers in our rooms! Please let your child's teacher know if you are available to come in and help us!

Inquiry—Health and Well Being

We are exploring being healthy (physical, emotional and social aspects of health).



IT'S NOT OKAY TO BE AWAY

If your child is away for any reason, it is important that you send an absence notice with them when they return to school.

Important Dates

Interschool Sports

Grade 6

Friday 4th May —continuing every Friday until 22 June 2018

Anzac day 25 April

Grade 6 Taster Day 3 May

Whole school curriculum day Friday 4th May

Naplan testing 15 to 17 May

Puberty incursion

Potential times and dates:

Year 5 starting from Monday the 21st of May for 3 consecutive weeks.

11:45am to 1:15pm

Year 6's starting Wednesday the 23rd of May for 3 consecutive weeks

9:15am - 10:45am sessions

Teachers

Room 20 Joy Moodley

Room 21 Galen Lin

Room 23 Briony Gorst

Room 24 Peter Zaitzev

	PE	STEM	Visual Art	LoTE/Library
Room 20	Thurs	Tues	Weds	Tues
Room 21	Weds	Weds	Thurs	Tues
Room 23	Mon	Weds	Thurs	Tues
Room 24	Weds	Tues	Weds	Tues

Homework

Homework will be assigned as required by your child's teacher.



Water Bottle & Brain Food

It is important for you child to bring some fruit and water to school everyday to help with a healthy and growing mind. This can include things like an apple, banana, pear, carrot, celery, cucumber or cheese. All classes have a fruit break during the first 2 hours of the day

