Welcome to Term Two! Already our students are appreciating the daily challenge of Year Three. We have been working hard this term, predominantly focusing on extending our literacy and numeracy skills both in preparation for NAPLAN and of course the up and coming Year Three assessment tasks.

Curriculum focus for Term Two

**English** - examining characters in texts and analysing and creating dialogue.

**Math** – continuing addition, subtraction, multiplication and subtraction facts, angles, calculating change for purchases and fractions.

**Science** - investigating shadows and the movement of earth and moon.

**Geography** - examining the importance of place and using maps to compare locations.

We also have a dance unit this term!

**Dance** - performing a movement sequence in small groups to represent one of the four elements; earth, wind, water or fire.

**Homework**
The homework booklet for this term is hopefully self-explanatory but please see me if you have any questions. Remember that daily reading is an essential habit to ensure later success.

Any questions?

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**NAPLAN**
Our aim is to prepare students so that they can handle the organization and procedures of a test situation as well as ‘how’ to respond to the materials and questions themselves. This is important learning, whether or not the tests are taken. Being calm and mindful before and during any assessment is a life skill to be encouraged.

(see separate note for further information)