		YEAR 4 - Term	4 Overview			
	ENGLISH	MATHEMATICS	SCIENCE/GEOGRAPHY	С	APA	PDHPE
WEEK 1	Spelling: Homophones Writing/Grammar: Persuasive Poetry: Bush ballads Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency Speaking and Listening (S&L): Class discussions, group work	Length: Using scaled instruments to measure and compare lengths.	Geography: identify special features of Australia	Visual Art: Sarrita King - Landscapes	sing and play pieces of music from around the world on tuned and untuned	Child Protection Standing Up for Myself and the Rights of Others PD/H: Personal Safety, Road and Bike Safety, Sun Safety.
WEEK 2	Spelling: Homonyms/Homographs Writing/Grammar: Persuasive Poetry: Shape poems Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L: Class discussions, group work	Data: Constructing suitable data displays from given or collected data; including tables, column graphs and picture graphs where one picture can represent many data values. Chance: Describing possible everyday events and ordering their chances of occurring.	Science: Heat, light, energy and forces	Visual Art: Sarrita King - Landscapes	instruments. They will have	PE: Fundamental Movement Skills with a focus on PPSSA sports.
WEEK 3	Spelling: Compound words Writing/Grammar: Explanation Poetry: Haiku Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L:Class discussions, group work	Volume & Capacity: Using mathematical skills to measure and compare masses from a variety of objects using grams and kilograms.	Geography: using grid maps to locate natural features within Australia Science: Fizzics incursion	Visual Art: Perspective drawing		
WEEK 4	Spelling: Compound words Writing/Grammar: Explanation Poetry: Limericks Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups,	Tessellation: Making and describing patterns that use reflections, translations and rotations. Symmetry: Identifying shapes with symmetry.	Science: Heat, light, energy and forces	Visual Art: M.C. Escher - Tesselation		

comprehension, fluency

S&L: Class discussions, group work

WEEK 5	Spelling: Contractions Writing/Grammar: Imaginative Poetry: Slam poetry Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L: Class discussions, group work	Assessment and revision	Geography: Why I love Australia	Visual Art: Kate Hudson - Printing		
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WEEK 6	Spelling: Contractions Writing/Grammar: Imaginative Poetry: Odes Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L: Class discussions, group work	Addition and subtraction: Applying place value to partition, rearrange and regroup numbers to at least tens of thousands to assist calculations and solve problems.	Science: Heat, light, energy and forces	Visual Art: Printing - Kate Hudson	and untuned percussion instruments. They will have the opportunity to compose simple accompanime nts to those pieces, and continue to develop their skills in the reading and writing of traditional music notation in treble and	
WEEK 7	Spelling: Silent 'b' Writing/Grammar: Imaginative Poetry: Acrostic Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L: Class discussions, group work	Time: Reading and interpreting simple timetables, timelines and calendars.	Geography: Why I love Australia	Visual Art: Weaving - God's Eyes		
WEEK 8	Spelling: Silent 'k' Writing/Grammar: Imaginative Poetry: Sonet Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency S&L: Class discussions, group work	Consolidation & revision: Participating in a variety of practical activities to revise and consolidate mathematical concepts learnt this year. e.g. Lego mathematics, designing a "dream room" and calculating the cost of furnishing it, etc.	Science: Heat, light, energy and forces	Visual Art: Abstract Expressionism - Jackson Pollack & Splatter painting		
WEEK 9	Spelling: ph Writing/Grammar: Teacher choice Handwriting: Cursive formation Reading: Literacy groups, comprehension, fluency	Consolidation & revision: Participating in a variety of practical activities to revise and consolidate mathematical concepts learnt this year. e.g. Lego mathematics,	Geography: Australia - You've Got Talent!	Visual Art: Warm and Cool Colours - Sun and Moon		

	S&L: Class discussions, group work	designing a "dream room" and calculating the cost of furnishing it, etc.	artwork	
WEEK 10	Spelling: Revision	Consolidation & revision:	Visual Art:	
	Writing/Grammar: Teacher choice		Christmas	
	Handwriting: Cursive formation		Tree	
	Reading: Literacy groups,		Perspective	
	comprehension, fluency		Artwork, Faux	
	S&L: Class discussions, group work		stained glass	