

Kindy at St. Pius X

Term Two

In Term Two we will be exploring Nursery Rhymes, and the concepts 'Me' and 'My family'.

In Literacy we will continue to explore syllables, the formation and letters in our name and the children will be introduced to the alphabet one letter at a time. The children will learn the letters of the alphabet through a 'hands on' approach, that includes games, storytelling and constructing the alphabet. We will continue with the news telling format- 'Mystery Bag' until each child has had a second go at presenting. This is a small part of our Oral Language program.

In Numeracy we will begin to explore patterns, count using one to one correspondence, and continue to represent collections to ten. We will explore numbers using our 'Number of the Day' chart which introduces the concepts of tallying and representing numbers in 'ten frames'.

For Science we will have a special visit from the team at Sci-Tech. The Kindy children will take part in the Move it! Physical Sciences Show and Workshop. Here the children will get a chance to play with toys and experience all sorts of amazing science experiments. It's a fun and lively show, mixing explanation with interactive demonstrations to showcase different scientific processes. And just how relevant science is to everyday life.

In Religion we will explore the unit on 'God's Family' and start the new unit 'I am Special.' The children will take part in daily prayers and we hope to visit the school parish and meet Father Patrick.

The Fine Motor program, this term, includes beading, threading, tracing, and sensory experiences to promote hand/finger movement. The Students will engage in a pre-writing program to develop their writing skills using Peggy Lego cues and gross motor activities. As well as a Scissor skills program that has a variety of activities which include cutting to allow children to practice and master the skill.

Kindergarten Teacher

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