OVERVIEW – TERM 2 – 2016 Foundation

LITERACY

Reading
Shared/modelled Reading
Directionality
One to one correspondence
Reading high frequency words
Punctuation marks
Initial Sounds and final sound
Alphabet- letter names & sounds
Upper and lower case letters
Rhyming words
Syllables

Writing
Attempting to hear and record sounds in words
Picture plan
Directionality
Punctuation-upper/lower case letters and full stops

Listening & Speaking
Nursery Rhymes
Chants
Taking Turns
Games
Songs
Show and Tell

Handwriting
Correct letter formation
Correct posture and pencil grip
Correct numeral formation – 1 to 20

NUMERACY

Number and Algebra
Counting to and from 20 starting from different numbers
Sequence numbers
Compare, order and make correspondences between collection e.g. more and less
Writing numerals correctly
Connect number names, numerals and quantities to 10 and beyond
Patterns
Subitising
Ordinal number 1st-5th, then 10th

Measurement and Geometry
2D shapes – sort and describe
Days of the week
Today, tomorrow and yesterday
Ordering events – morning, afternoon and evening
Length – comparing and ordering informally
Location – positional language

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Unit: Jesus is Alive! Alleluia!
In this unit students learn about Jesus Christ's passion, death and resurrection and the sending of Jesus Christ's Spirit through New Testament stories which explore these events and experiences.

Unit: God's Great Family
In God's Great Family students learn about belonging to family and to the People of God. They explore the story of Abraham and Sarah as a story of promise and trust, and formative to our identity as the People of God. They also learn about some of the people in Jesus Christ's family and some of the gospel stories concerned with His childhood.

SCIENCE INQUIRY

What's in the egg?
Students will be exploring the changes that occur in the life cycles of a variety of oviparous animals.
During the unit students will have a hands-on experience of hatching and caring for chicks. They will question, wonder, observe and record information.