



ST. ALBANS EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Curriculum Newsletter—Term 3, 2018



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



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



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 summarising, synthesising, text structure, analysing and critiquing
- Reading a range of texts such as persuasive, informative and poetry.
- Completing Victorian Premiers Reading Challenge — each student is to have read a minimum of 15 books

Writing

- Continued focus on the Writer's Notebook and its importance in the writing process.
- Writing a range of texts from different genres such as informative and poetry.
- 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

Measurement and Geometry

- Choosing appropriate units of measurement for length, area, volume and mass.
- Shape - looking at 2D and 3D objects

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—Biological Science

We are exploring how animals and plants adapt to their environment, focusing on desert survival.



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



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

3— 6 Athletics Sports Day

Friday 3rd of August 2018

St Albans Secondary College

MAC Production 'Seussical the Musical'

Tuesday 7th of August 2018

Leaving school at 12:30pm, back approximately 3:00pm

Footsteps

Every Monday of Term 3 at 11:30am

Anglesea Camp

Monday 27th August— Wednesday 29th August

Places still available

Teachers

Room 20 Joy Moodley

Room 21 Galen Lin

Room 23 Briony Gorst

Room 24 Peter Zaitzev

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