



ST. ALBANS EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Curriculum Newsletter—Term 4, 2018



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



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



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

- Understand different types of words when reading and the narrative structure.
- Making connections with what they are reading and their own experiences, events in other texts and the world in general.
- Making predictions and inferring meanings from real life experiences to understand texts.
- Reading a texts such as narratives and non fiction.

Writing

- Writing a range of texts from different genres such as narratives, and information texts.
- Focus on the writing process such as planning, drafting and publishing.
- Using appropriate paragraphing, comma's, talking marks and other effective punctuation.

Speaking and Listening

- Developing and explaining a point of view about a text.
- Sharing of work with peers during share time.
- Conducting presentations to their class and the whole school community.

Number and Algebra

- Instantly recalling times tables.
- Mental calculation of addition and subtraction problems.

Measurement and Geometry

- Identifying and classifying angles.
- Understanding and calculating supplementary and complementary angles by deductive reasoning.
- Reading map coordinates to determine locations.

Statistics and Probability

- Conducting experiments to predict the likelihood 'chance' of events occurring .

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—Earth's Place in Space

Earth, Solar System and Weather (Earth, Wind & Fire)

- We are exploring is part of a system of planets orbiting around a star (the Sun)
- Sudden geological changes or extreme weather conditions can affect Earth's surface.



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

Swimming weeks 3 and 4 –Monday to Friday

Grade 6 Passport to Success Program weeks 2—7

Grade 6 Big Day In Monday 29th October 2018

12.15 to 3.15 pm

Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony Tuesday,

18 December 2018

Teachers

Room 20 Joy Moodley

Room 21 Galen Lin

Room 23 Briony Gorst

Room 24 Peter Zaitzev

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