



# TERM 1 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - YEAR 5 2025 -



## ENGLISH

### Exploring Character Relationships – Short Story

During this unit of work students will read and analyse a number of short stories written predominately by Australian authors. Students create a short imaginative text which explores character relationships.

## SCIENCE

### Living Things

In this unit, students analyse how the form of living things enables them to function in their environments. Use environmental data when suggesting explanations for difference in structural features of creatures. Communicate ideas using multimodal texts.

## HASS

### People and Environment

In this unit students investigate the characteristics of places and use evidence to draw conclusions about a preferred place to live.

## UCSC AIP PRIORITIES 2025

- A positive culture for learning
- Effectively implement Quality Schooling for All to provide Multi-tiered Student Support
- Deliver high quality curriculum through moderation cycles

**Vision:** *Quality Schooling for All*

**Motto:** *Learning Pathways to the Future*

## SPECIALIST LESSONS

- HPE
- Music
- Dance
- Language (Japanese)
- Digital Technologies

## MATHEMATICS

### Number, Space, Statistics

Students further develop proficiency and positive dispositions towards mathematics and its use as they:

- use a range of physical and virtual materials and apply understanding of relationships to convert between forms of numbers, units and spatial representations especially with fractions and decimals
- use materials, diagrams or arrays to become efficient with multiplication facts
- locate and move positions within a grid coordinate system to pinpoint specific locations
- recognise what stays the same and what changes when shapes undergo transformations
- use physical materials and dynamic geometric software to perform transformations

## SPECIAL EVENTS

- School Term: January 28 – April 4
- School Photos – March 5 & 6
- NAPLAN – March 12 - 14
- P – 12 Cross Country – March 27
- P – 6 Indigenous Story Telling – March 28
- PBL Rewards Day – April 3

## UCSC CLASS SOUNDS

- Welcome Music – 8:35 am
- School Commences – 8:40 am
- First break play time – 10:40 – 11:00 am
- First break eating time – 11:00 – 11:20 am
- Second break play time – 1:20 – 1:40 pm
- Second break eating time – 1:40 – 1:50 pm
- End of day – 2:40 pm