| **Literacy** | Students will participate in a variety of reading, writing, talking and listening opportunities, including modelled, shared, independent and guided reading and writing, big books, sight words, phonics, writing simple sentences and stories, handwriting and digital technologies and news groups. |
| **Mathematics** | Mathematics will involve a variety of hands-on, interactive, whole class, group and independent activities using concrete materials involving warm-ups, open-ended rich learning tasks and reflection time. The areas covered this term are:  
- Number: Investigating Whole Numbers; Numbers before and after; Addition and Subtraction  
- Patterns and Algebra  
- 2D and 3D shapes |
| **Religion** | Kindergarten will cover 2 units this term.  
*Mary (School Based Unit)- Students will gain an understanding that Mary is a special person, that Mary had special gifts, that God loved Mary in a special way and that she is the Mother of Jesus.  
*1KC4- God is Our Creator: Students will explore the wonders of God’s creation. They will be invited to recognise, enjoy and celebrate aspects of the natural world. |
| **Science** | This Term Kindergarten will be investigating two science units:-  
1. “How does it move?”- Students will discover that objects move in different ways; objects have different shapes and that objects move in different ways depending on their shape.  
2. ‘What’s it made of?’- Students will develop, explore and investigate that objects are made of materials that have observable properties. |
| **Creative & Practical Arts** | Kindergarten Creative Arts program is integrated with English and Religion. Drama will be integrated in both our Literacy and Religion units. Specialist Music and Dance lessons with Mrs Karen Cauchi. Specialist Creative Arts Lessons with Mrs Narelle Boatfield. |
| **PD.H.PE** | Specialist PE lessons with Miss Monica Dann.  
Gross Motor- Students will participate in regular physical activity to develop their fundamental movement skills while playing with and sharing equipment with the assistance of the Year 6 students through rotational activities. |
| **Developmental Play** | Play is an essential component of children’s development. Developmental play is a structured play session in which children make their own choices about activities they would like to participate in. The play sessions allow the children to develop their understandings of language through talk, interact with individuals or small groups, share with each other, develop creativity and create and solve problems. |