

# Classroom News

Year 4 - Term 3 Week 2

## Important Dates

- Wed August 7 - St Mary MacKillop Feast Day Mass
- Wed August 14 - Feast of the Assumption of Mary Mass
- Thurs August 15-16 - Year 4-5 Bridgetown Camp
- August 19-23 - Swimming Lessons



Dear Parents,  
Welcome back to another exciting term. I hope you've had an enjoyable break. We have lots happening this term so we will be kept very busy here at school.

### MATHS

In Maths, these are the topics that will be covered:

**Area** - Estimate, measure and compare areas using square centimetres and square metres.

**Number Patterns** - Explore, complete and identify rules for number patterns and identify multiples of given numbers.

**Multiplication and Division Facts** - Use arrays and number charts to explore the connection between multiplication and division and learn related number facts.

**Symmetry** - Use transformations to investigate and create symmetrical patterns.

**Decimal Fractions** - Read, write and interpret numbers to hundredths, and convert between decimals and fractions.

**Multiplication Written Strategies** - Explore and choose appropriate written multiplication strategies such as extended and contracted multiplication to solve problems involving one - and two-digit numbers.



### **English -**

In English, we are focusing on writing procedures and reviews. We will be writing instructions on how to operate a flying object of their choice.

### **Art-**

In our Art lessons, we will be exploring the use of colour, shape and technique to create our own designs based on influences of an artist.

### **Health-**

In Health we will be learning about respect and empathy, and how we can value each others differences.

### **Digital Technologies-**

In Digital Technologies we will continue our work on coding. We are going to look at how computers use coding to work, and learn how to code ourselves.

### **Civics & Citizenship -**

During Civics & Citizenship lessons, we will be analysing the difference between rules and laws. We will look at our own rules and laws and what happens if we don't follow these.

### **Religious Education**

Throughout Religious Education we will be looking into the forces of nature, and how they have been created by God. We will be looking at the ways in which the Bible can help us to live as God wants. We will look into some stories in the Bible and discover the teachings within that story.