

JAPANESE OVERVIEWS TERM 3 2024.

This term Bunn Sensei is taking some well earned Long service leave so we are fortunate to have Read Sensei teaching our students for 3 weeks and we will have Ms Rebecca Beresford and Ms Orla Maloney to support our Japanese program and keep it going in Bunn Sensei's absence. We look forward to welcoming Bunn Sensei back mid way through this term.

PREP.

In Prep this term, the students will learn many songs and stories to enhance their language development. They will explore numbers and animals and continue learning colors in Japanese. Additionally, they will create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR ONE.

In Year One this term, students will learn about Japanese greetings, songs, and stories from Japanese culture. They will explore the Tanabata festival and the hiragana alphabet. The term will continue with an exploration of sea creatures in Japanese. Additionally, they will create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR TWO.

In Year Two this term, students will explore feelings and greetings, and learn about food and songs in Japanese. They will continue to learn how to say the months of the year and days of the week in Japanese. Additionally, they will learn more Hiragana and hear traditional Japanese folktales. They will also create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR THREE.

In Year Three this term, students will learn about the Japanese Tanabata festival and create collages of Japan. They will learn how to introduce themselves in Japanese through the topic 'All about me.' Additionally, they will continue to explore origami and study aspects of Japanese culture such as sumo wrestling. They will also create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR FOUR.

In Year Four this term, students will learn about expressing feelings in Japanese and explore using puppets. They will continue practicing Kanji and Hiragana. Additionally, they will create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR FIVE.

In Year Five this term, students will learn about the four verbs "nomimasu," "tabemasu," "mimasu," and "kikimasu." They will practice their Japanese writing using Hiragana. Additionally, they will create books and design a mascot for the Olympic Games. They will also create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

YEAR SIX.

In Year Six this term, students will create self-profiles introducing themselves in Japanese and learn some Japanese question words. They will create a slideshow for an imaginary project on visiting Japan. Additionally, they will explore the famous story of Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes and its significance. They will also create Father's Day cards in Japanese.

