

BLACKWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL 2022 PROGRAMME OF INQUIRY (YEAR B)



As a school with composite classes, Blackwood Primary School operates its Programme of Inquiry through the rotation of an A and B year to ensure we meet out accountability to the International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme and the Australian Curriculum Achievement Standards.

Whilst we endeavour to embedded all areas of the Australian Curriculum in our Programme of Inquiry, any omitted content is taught through stand-alone units.

	WHO WE ARE	WHERE WE ARE IN PLACE AND TIME	HOW WE EXPRESS OURSELVES	HOW THE WORLD WORKS	HOW WE ORGANISE OURSELVES	SHARING THE PLANET
Rec/ Year 1	We are responsible for caring for ourselves and others Responsibility, Perspective, Causation Caring, Principled, Balanced Heath & PE, HASS, English	People live in and belong to places that have distinctive features Form, Function, Responsibility Reflective, Inquirers Geography, Maths	People can express their thoughts, feelings and ideas through performances Form, Perspective, Connection Risk-takers, Reflective, Open-mined The Arts, Health & PE, English		People can take on different roles to support a community Function, Change, Responsibility Thinkers, Knowledgeable, Communicators Maths, Literacy	
Year 1/2	People make choices that influence their ability to live a well-balanced and healthy life Responsibility, Causation Balanced, Reflective, Caring Health & PE, Maths	Our own, and others', families can change and can be influenced by significant events Change, Connection, Perspective Reflective, Caring, Communicators HASS (History), Maths	People can express themselves in a variety of ways. Form, Perspective, Causation Open-minded, Risk-takers, Communicators Health & PE, The Arts, English	Materials can be used and changed for a variety of purposes Function, Change, Responsibility Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Thinkers Science, English	Goods can go through several stages of production to meet the needs of people Change, Connection, Responsibility Knowledgeable, Communicators, Principled Technologies (Design), English	People connect to, and care for, different places for a variety of reasons Connection, Causation, Function Caring, Inquirers, Knowledgeable HASS (Geography), Maths
Year 2/3	Relationships connect people to one another Connection, Responsibility, Causation Caring, Communicators, Reflective Health & PE, English, CPC	The location and features of places can be represented on maps, and may change over time Change, Connection, Perspective Open-minded, Inquirers, Knowledgeable HASS (Geography), Maths	Imagination is a powerful tool for extending our ability to think, create and express ourselves, Function, Perspective, Form, Risk-takers, Open-Minded, Balanced The Arts, English, Maths	Heat can be produced in many ways and can move from one object to another Form, Function, Change Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Thinkers Science, Maths, Design	Communities create systems to meet the needs of people Connection, Function, Causation Communicators, Principled Maths, Digital & Design Technologies, HASS (History)	Making decisions democratically can help maintain a harmonious community Perspective, Responsibility, Connection Principled, Caring, Communicators HASS (C&C), English, P.E.
Year 3/4 & 4	Celebrations and rituals help to keep a culture alive, Responsibility, Causation, Connection, Perspective Open-minded, Balanced, Reflective HASS (Geography, History), English, Maths	Learning about Indigenous cultures helps us to understand history and its significance Connection, Change, Perspective Reflective, Open-minded, Inquirers HASS (History, Geography), English	People use a range of signs, symbols and methods to communicate Form, Causation, Function Knowledgeable, Thinkers, Communicators The Arts, English, Japanese, Maths	People apply their understanding of materials to solve problems Function, Form, Causation Knowledgeable, Thinkers, Communicators Science, Technologies (Design), Maths	Communities develop systems to keep people safe Connection, Causation, Responsibility Thinkers, Caring, Principled Health & PE, CPC, Japanese, English (Persuasive)	Earth's resources are valuable and should be conserved for use by others Change, Connection, Responsibility Principled, Reflective, Knowledgeable Science, Maths, Design
Year 5/6	Our wellbeing can be supported through the safe use of digital technologies Function, Responsibility, Connection Principled, Reflective, Communicators CPC, HASS (Civics & Citizenship), English, Digital Tech	Migration is a response to human circumstances and challenges Causation, Change, Perspective Caring, Open-minded, Knowledgeable HASS (History, Geography), Maths, English	Art is an expression of self and of the world around us Connection, Perspective, Function, Form Communicators, Reflective, Risk-takers The Arts, English	Science influences and informs our everyday lives Form, Causation, Change Inquirers, Thinkers Science, PE	Economic activity relies on systems of production, exchange and consumption of goods and services. Function, Responsibility, Connection Communicators, Knowledgeable HASS (Economics & Business), Mathematics Science, English, Mathematics	Humans can make choices and take action that impact our everyday lives Connection, Change, Responsibility, Causation Thinkers, Inquirers, Principled, Knowledgeable The Arts, HASS, English, Maths