

2011-12 Language Calendar

	M	T	W	T	F	S	S		Unit	Strand/Topic	Link to Unit of Inquiry			
August	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	Who we are We Can Work It Out	Purpose – to recount Written – Diary, retells, biography Spoken – Conversation Visual – Picture book, photographs	Retelling personal experience/ Journal Alphabetical order Dictionaries			
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	0						
September	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	5						
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	5						
	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	5						
October	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	5				How we organize ourselves Systems	Purpose – to instruct, explain and inquire Written – Maps, survey, questionnaire and interview Spoken – Oral directions, interview Visual – Road signs	Survey, questionnaire and interview (inquire) Directions and maps (instruct) Explanations (explain)
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	4						
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	5						
November	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	4						
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	4						
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	5						
December	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	0						
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	5						
	31	1	2	3	4	5	6	5						
January	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	5						
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	5						
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	5						
February	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	How The World Works Forces	Purpose – to explain and instruct Written – Explanation and experiment Spoken – Oral directions and explanations Visual – Diagrams	Explanation (Explain) Experiment (Instruct)			
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	5						
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	5						
March	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	0						
	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	0						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	0						
April	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	0				Sharing the planet Water	Purpose – to inquire, explain and persuade Written – Explanation, experiment, poetry Spoken – Interview, discussion Visual – Poster	Brochure (persuade)
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	5						
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	5						
May	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	4						
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4						
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	5						
June	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	5	Where We Are In Place And Time Journeys	Purpose – to entertain and persuade Written – Narratives Spoken – Story and debate Visual – Timeline and mind maps	Poem (entertain)			
	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	5						
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	5						
July	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	5						
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	5						
	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	0						
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- Teaching day
- Non teaching day
- Public holiday
- CPD/PD day

August	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		