Term 1 4M

English
Students will be studying the narrative ‘The Twits’ in English. Students will investigate how language features, images and vocabulary choices are used for different effects within a story to make it interesting to the reader. Students will also be learning to make inferences according to clues found in the text.

Health
Students will investigate the different types of health including social, emotional, physical and cognitive health and recognise factors that influence these.

Maths
- Number and Place Value
- Fractions and Decimals
- Time and measurement

Technology
Students will produce a stop-motion animation depicting the process and effect of water erosion on rocks or soils.

History
In this unit students will investigate the following questions:
• Why did the great journeys of exploration occur?
• Why did the Europeans settle in Australia?

Science
Students will have opportunities to explore how natural processes and human activity shape our surroundings. Students will develop an understanding of how rocks, soils and landscapes change over time through hands-on activities and in-

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Geography
In this unit, students build on their mental map of the world and their understanding of place with a focus on Africa and South America. Students will learn to identify and describe the relative location of places at a national scale and to complete maps using cartographic conventions. Students will interpret geographical information and data to identify different views on how the environments should be protected, and form conclusions.