St Bernadette's Primary School, Castle Hill Stage 1, Year 1 - Curriculum Overview - Term 1, 2021 Teachers: Kathy Watt/Sally Coppini 1B, Karyn Lee/Amy Macey 1G, Maddie Koeberler 1W STRENGTH THROUGH GENTLENESS				
General Information	English	Mathematics	Religious Education	
Dance Fever: Monday Sports uniform: Monday and Wednesday Library: Wednesday Canteen: Daily, order online-	 Students engage in daily writing and will create texts for a variety of informative, persuasive and imaginative purposes. Students will participate in independent, guided, shared /modelled reading daily. Students will participate in speaking and listening activities within groups to demonstrate emerging skills of meaningful interactions (giving and receiving clear messages with intent). 	Students will be engaged in open ended, rich mathematical tasks that will develop and extend each student's mathematical knowledge. Term 1 focus • 2D shapes • Addition and Subtraction • Measurement-Length • Whole NUmber • Place Value	 Jesus our Friend Jesus shares his love for us through our friends. We can show our love for Jesus by growing in our friendships. Jesus is my friend. Lent : Growing and Changing How can we have a change of heart during this season of Lent? Almsgiving Fasting Prayer 	
PDHPE		Homework		
As part of Personal Development and Health students this term will participate in lessons designed to develop their understanding of our school wide expectations, referred to as 'The Bernie Roo Way'. Students will be involved in a variety of learning activities that explore and explain our four overarching expectations: We are Respectful We are Resilient We are Safe We are Learners		 Homework due on Friday and given out on Friday PMeCollection (K-2) will continue in 2021, updated access will be provided by mid term. Premier's Reading Challenge: Monday March 1st 2021 and closes on Friday August 20th 2021. 		

Term 1 Highlights	Other KLA's	Communication		
 9th February-Safer Internet day 15th February English/Writing books to go home 17th February-Ash Wednesday 8th -12th March- Catholic Schools Week 15th March- Maths books to go home 29th March- Holy Week Thursday 1st April- Last Day of Term 1 *All subject to change due to Covid19 restrictions/ lifting of restriction 	 History Term 1 focus: How can we as a member of a family describe how family life has changed? Science & Technology Term 1 focus: What are the different forms of energy around us and how can we detect them? How are forces used for a purpose? PE Focus: Students will be exploring what enhances their health and wellbeing while participating in a variety of games. They will also be discussing the effect that physical activity has on their body, what makes it enjoyable and how to have positive and inclusive relationships with their peers. Mrs Blazevic Creative Arts Focus: Music- students will participate in Music lessons in preparation for Musica Viva Concert in Term 2. Mrs Evans Visual arts- students will make artworks about experiences of real and imaginary things. Also to explore characteristics of people around them and focus more on details (class teachers).	Please direct all emails to bernadettech@parra.catholic.edu.au Like and follow our Facebook page for regular updates- St Bernadette's Primary, Castle Hill Coming Soon- Compass Parent Portal School website- • Uniform order link available here www.stbernadetteschill.catholic.edu.au		

This year at St Bernadette's the students will be involved in a **wellbeing program** during their library lesson. We know that wellbeing is more than just being happy or having good health. It is a condition of 'flourishing', where children thrive in many aspects of their lives. A strong sense of wellbeing contributes to good mental health. *Our wellbeing lessons will look at different elements. It considers how we:* Wellbeing helps us:

- cultivate meaning and good relationships
- use our strengths
- contribute to a 'greater' cause
- find pleasure in losing ourselves in things we find challenging and enjoyable.

- stay resilient when times get tough
- build social supports
- emerge from our challenges even stronger, knowing we have the ability to cope.

During our lessons, the children will learn various strategies that will enhance their feelings of wellbeing. Mrs Coppini