

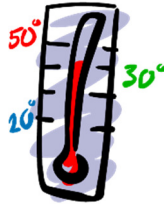




2019 Programme of Inquiry

Yr 3	Sharing the planet	Who we are	Where we are in place and time	How the world works	How we express ourselves	How we organise ourselves
Dates	Feb 11 – March 22	March 25 – May 17	May 20 – June 28	July 15 – Aug 30	Sept 2–Oct 25	Oct 28 – Dec 13
Central Idea	Earth's unique place in the solar system and its behaviour influence our daily lives.	Our lifestyle choices can have an impact on the effectiveness of the way human body systems function.	Exploration and settlement by non-indigenous people can have an impact on indigenous communities.	Weather and climate affect people in their environment.	Humans have developed systems to communicate with each other for a variety of functional and creative purposes.	Cities are organised to meet the needs of its inhabitants.
Lines of inquiry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ The earth's place in the solar system ❖ How the earth behaves within the solar system ❖ How a planet's behaviour in the solar system affects sustainability of life on it 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Human body systems, their purpose and how they work ❖ How the different lifestyle choices we make can affect the functioning of our body systems ❖ Our responsibilities in making lifestyle choices to promote the health of our body systems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Why Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people have a strong connection to country and place ❖ The Bunurong culture and daily lives of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people before the arrival of Europeans ❖ How the lives and the culture of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people were changed by European exploration and settlement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ The difference between weather and climate ❖ How tools are used to collect weather data ❖ Seasonal changes around the world ❖ How weather and climate affect living things 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Why humans need to communicate with each other ❖ How different forms of communication enable people to connect with each other for particular purposes ❖ How different communication systems work to fulfil their purposes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Characteristics of a city ❖ What people need and want in a city ❖ How cities are organised and interconnected 
Incursions/ Excursions	EXCURSION: Scienceworks February 26 th	INCURSION: Life Ed Van April 2 nd				EXCURSION: Eureka Skydeck Date TBA