

# Year 2 Term 2 Specialists Team Overview 2024

## Technologies with Matt

To begin the term we will be revising and practicing our ideation skills. Following this we will be focusing on Materials technologies.

### **Ideation**

An important part of design thinking is ideation. Ideation is the creative process of generating, developing, combining and refining ideas with a view to solving a problem.

### **Materials technologies**

Students will use systems and design thinking to understand a broad range of materials.

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## Italiano with Signora Selina

This term our unit of work is **Ecco la mia famiglia** (Here is my family). Our story is **Il Pappagallo e` scappato** (The parrot has escaped)

Students will:

- Write a Mother's day card in Italian using the language structure of a greeting card
- Respond to classroom routines and instructions using gestures, movement and modelled language
- Name family members and give descriptive information using simple sentence structures
- Recognise and reproduce the sounds, sound patterns and rhythm of Italian in speaking, reading and writing

## Physical Education with Joe

The Health and Physical Education program delivers 2 lessons a week for each Year 2 class.

In term 2 the HPE program will continue to work on fundamental movement skills (**FMS**) and **ball control** in particular with a major focus on **kicking skills** whilst demonstrating turn-taking and sharing of equipment.

At the start of Term 2 our Year 1 students will also be participating in our annual **Sports Day** held on Norwood Oval on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May (Week 1). This will involve students competing in various Tabloid Events and activities, focusing on maximum participation and enjoyment.

If you would like to contact me regarding your child's learning or have any questions, please contact me via email: [Joe.Kisiel522@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:Joe.Kisiel522@schools.sa.edu.au)

## Performing Arts with Anna

This term students will have a focus on Media Arts, using digital media to represent student voice.

This term we will:

- Investigate the elements of media
- Consider different view points of the story, who made it, why and how do they get their ideas across to an audience.
- Elaborating on character skills from drama to develop a short sequence through storyboarding and planning.
- Capture quality images and video to retell a story using media FX to enhance meaning and mood.

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