Welcome to The Arts for 2016. This year, The Arts will comprise of visual arts and performing arts in a weekly one hour session.

The Arts provide students with an ability to become confident and creative individuals.

The Arts strands consist of exploring and expressing ideas, practices of each arts discipline, presenting and performing and responding and interpreting.

Each term will consist of both and integration of all the art disciplines through a theme or topic as well as learning the skills and techniques of each arts discipline, which allow students to immerse themselves in each strand.

Throughout the year, students will be exposed to painting and drawing, collage, printing, construction, modelling and textiles, using a variety of tools, materials and mediums, as part of the visual arts program. Students will also explore and respond to artworks and artists of different styles, research their influences and apply that to their own work.

In the performing arts, students will explore drama, dance, music and performance. Students will learn about the elements of each performing arts discipline, how to apply them to work they create, and how it enhances their performance quality. Various themes, ideas, techniques and styles will be explored within each discipline. Students will use techniques such as improvisation and role play, communication through movement and sound, and also learning about the conventions of different theatre styles and different styles of dance.

Assessment will be ongoing throughout the learning experience and students will also have numerous opportunities to perform at assemblies and other special events.

Contact

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