

Indonesian Curriculum Newsletter Term 1, 2018

PREP: Throughout term 1, prep children will be introduced to the culture of Indonesia through videos and photographs. They will look at the location of Indonesia using a world map and practice greeting people according to the time of day.

E.g. Good morning = selamat pagi, good afternoon = selamat sore, goodnight = selamat tidur.



Children will explore colour pronunciation, using hands-on materials to support their understandings (play dough, paper, sand, etc).

GRADE 1 & 2: During term 1, children will use maps to understand that Indonesia is part of the continent Asia. They will further explore life in Indonesia using videos and visual images, making comparisons between life in Indonesia and their own experiences. Children will develop their vocabulary by expressing feelings in Bahasa Indonesia.

E.g. Happy = senang  , sad = sedih  , angry = marah .

They will be supported to play hands-on games, complete drawings and reflections, and, participate in role-plays.

GRADE 3: This term, children will be focusing on geography and culture, using an atlas to locate and label Indonesian islands. They will explore life in Indonesia by watching news reports (Behind the News: kids) and responding to what they see. Children will make comparisons between their own lives and life in Indonesia. They will engage in an animal investigation, using print and online information to research and report on a native Indonesian animal of their choice.

