

## 2017 ANI Programme of Inquiry

Transdisciplinary Theme Who We Are	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
An inquiry into the nature of the self, beliefs and values; personal, physical, mental, social and spiritual health; human relationships including families, friends, communities and cultures; rights and responsibilities; what it means to be human.	7	Awareness of change contributes to our understanding of ourselves	Change Reflection  Identity, Growth	Balanced Reflective	Confidence Respect	Self management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changes through puberty</li> <li>Respecting peoples' differences through changing relationships</li> <li>Biochemical changes within our body</li> </ul>
	8	<b>EXHIBITION</b>					

Transdisciplinary Theme Where We Are in Place and Time	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
An inquiry into orientation in place and time; personal histories; homes and journeys; the discoveries, explorations and migrations of humankind; the relationships between and the interconnectedness of individuals and civilisations, from the local and global perspectives	7	A multitude of events shape the world we live in	Connection Causation  Movement Impact History	Knowledgeable Thinkers	Curiosity Independence	Thinking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Significant individuals and events have changed the world we live in today</li> <li>Challenges, risks and ideas create opportunities</li> <li>Exploration leads to discovery</li> <li></li> </ul>
	8	Journeys and exploration connects humankind in a global community	Perspective Connection  Diversity Influence	Open minded Reflection	Respect Tolerance  Appreciation	Social Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Traditions, values and beliefs connect groups of people</li> <li>Personal identity in a multi-cultural society</li> <li>Contributions in the global community</li> </ul>

Transdisciplinary Theme How We Express Ourselves	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
An inquiry into the ways in which we discover and express ideas, feelings, nature, culture, beliefs and values; the ways in which we reflect on, extend and enjoy our creativity; our appreciation of the aesthetic	7	People use various forms of expression to provoke and create change	Form Change Perspective  Creativity Expression Opinion	Open minded Communicator	Creativity Empathy	Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creativity is used to reflect personal beliefs and perspectives</li> <li>The impact and role of the media</li> <li>Promoting change through the arts</li> </ul>
	8	People pass on and sustain ideas, culture and heritage	Form Perspective Reflection  Aesthetics Patterns	Open minded Communicator	Creativity Empathy	Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Perceptions are culturally influenced</li> <li>The role of the arts in cultures, place, time and nature</li> <li>Self-expression portrays diverse ideas and experiences</li> </ul>

Transdisciplinary Theme How the World Works	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
<b>An inquiry into the natural world and its laws; the interaction between the natural world (physical and biological) and human societies; how humans use their understanding of scientific principles; the impact of scientific and technological advances on society and on the environment</b>	7	All life is connected to the natural systems of the planet	Connection Function  Interaction Systems	Inquirer Knowledgeable	Commitment Enthusiasm	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cyclic nature of the planet</li> <li>• The interdependence of life forms</li> <li>• The effects and consequences of change</li> </ul>
	8	Scientific principles help us make sense of the world we live in	Function Change  Progress Transformation	Knowledgeable Thinkers	Commitment Enthusiasm	Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The behaviour and interaction of materials determines their use</li> <li>• Knowledge creates opportunities</li> <li>• Physical properties and characteristics of different matter</li> </ul>

Transdisciplinary Theme How We Organise Ourselves	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
<b>An inquiry into the interconnectedness of human-made systems and communities; the structure and function of organisations; societal decision-making; economic activities and their impact on humankind and the environment</b>	7	Our lives are organised by systems	Responsibility Function  Systems Organisation	Risk taker Principled	Cooperation Integrity	Social	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Systems that govern us</li> <li>• The decision making process</li> <li>• Treaties and agreements</li> </ul>
	8	The organisation of groups can impact mankind globally	Responsibility Connection Perspective  Ethics Equity Justice	Inquirer Principled	Co-operation Integrity	Thinking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The rights and responsibilities of leaders</li> <li>• Ethics of individual rights differ worldwide</li> <li>• The relationship between mankind and the environment</li> </ul>

Transdisciplinary Theme Sharing the Planet	Yr	Central Idea	Key Concepts Related Concepts	Learner Profiles	Attitudes	Skills	Lines of Inquiry
<b>An inquiry into rights and responsibilities in the struggle to share finite resources with other people and with other living things; communities and the relationships within and between them, access to equal opportunities; peace and conflict resolution</b>	7	Varying perspectives on finite resources can create conflict	Causation Responsibility  Scarcity Resolution	Caring Principled	Appreciation Tolerance	Social	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The value of resources in a competitive world</li> <li>• Management of finite resources</li> <li>• Conflicts over resources</li> </ul>
	8	Managing the balance between the human and natural world can create challenges	Causation Responsibility  Adaptation Interdependence	Caring Reflective	Appreciation Tolerance	Social	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indigenous perspectives influence the survival of native species</li> <li>• Species adapt to the changing environment</li> <li>• Human actions impact the world around us</li> </ul>