

STEM

During Term Two, the students in Years 1 and 2 will investigate and describe how people use Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics in their everyday lives.

Students will investigate a variety of different houses from around the world. Students will use commercial materials such as LEGO to construct a house. Following on from this, students will identify several man-made and natural materials and their properties. They will discuss which materials are used for house construction.

Students will follow the design process to construct a model of a house from a specific country around the world. As the students complete the house they will evaluate, improve and modify their construction. Students will use their STEM Journals to record observations using diagrams and labels. The theme for STEM lessons complements the Integrated Inquiry work being taught in classroom lessons.

