What’s Coming Up

Whole school Indigenous day – Tuesday 19th August
Daffodil day free dress – Friday 22nd August
The Patch ‘Showcase’ performance – Thursday 18th September

What we are learning in Literacy

This term, we will be focusing on information texts. This provides a great opportunity to borrow, read and explore non-fiction texts at home. In our writing workshops, we are also working towards completing the ‘publishing phase’ where students will produce their own narrative by creating a book as the finished product.

This week’s Spelling activity: Make a word search!

You will need:

- Word search sheet
- Grey lead and coloured pencils
- Your spelling words

- What to do:
  - Write your words in the box: ‘words to find’
  - Now write your words in the grid (horizontally, vertically or diagonally)
  - Fill in the rest of the grid with other letters
  - Give your word search to a family member and have fun!
What we are learning in Numeracy

For the next few weeks, our numeracy workshops will continue to concentrate on subtraction and will be introducing length as part of our unit on measurement. This week, students also built on their understanding of doubles. These strategies (which also include skip counting, basic number facts, counting on etc.) assist children in solving simple addition and subtraction problems. As part of our weekly rotations, students also participate in problem solving with Hayden.

Welcome!

We would like to extend a big warm welcome to Bec Nicholas, a qualified teacher who is currently undertaking an internship as part of her Masters studies. Bec will be working in Pauleen’s grade and is with us for an entire term; lucky us!

We would like to welcome the return of Kane Boyd, who has joined 1A 😊

We also welcome Ryland Stojsavljevic into 1A.

Donations

We would greatly appreciate donations of tissues and little gifts for our prize boxes. Thank you for your contributions! 😊

Timetable

There have been changes to our class timetable this Term. Karen and Megan have shifted their days teaching in the classroom. They are now as follows:

Karen: Monday – Wednesday
Megan: Thursday – Friday

For other modifications, please see our new timetable which is attached below!