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Week 7 - Term 2

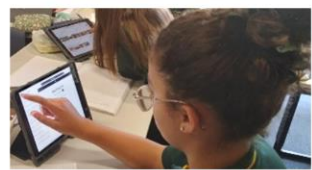
Dear Families,

Room 16 Update

The year 4/5's has had a very busy term so far. Week 7 has been particularly busy. This week we have welcomed our new pre-service teacher Adam Lane from Flinders University. Adam will be working in our class for a total of 3 weeks. As well as observing the class, Adam has been working with small groups in all areas of the curriculum.

Week 7 has also seen the start of our sharing/oral presentations. Over the next 3 weeks everyone in class will share something they are interested in; a passion they have or share somewhere they have been. The choices are endless. The students thoroughly enjoy sharing with the class whilst the rest of the class enjoy listening and asking questions. Students are free to present in any way they wish. Some have had power points, some have brought in amazing objects into show including a pet cat and a model of R2D2 made from Lego.

The class have also been very fortunate to have the use of the new iPads. This is an excellent resource for the class to have. This week we have been using the iPads along with atlases to complete work on biomes. We have been using the interactive website 'Bioviewer' to investigate the biomes, climates, locations of certain places around the world as well as the native animals found there. This is an exciting way to learn about biomes.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Governing Council Meeting - 20th June @ 7pm
- School Tour – Wednesday 22nd June @ 9am
- Canteen Meeting – Thursday 23rd June @ 1:45pm
- R-2 Water Safety – 27th June – 1st July
- Jam Band – Friday 8th July
- Casual Day Last day of term 2 – Friday 8th July



R-2 Water Safety Week 9

Water Safety for students in Reception to year 2 will go ahead in week 9. We require quite a number of volunteers to ensure child safety. If you would like to volunteer with Water Safety, please ensure your information is up to date with appropriate clearances. More information can be found at the front office. Please note that due to COVID, spectators will be allowed to attend but only authorised volunteers are able assist students.

Kind regards,
Paul and Jackie



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