

Grade 3

Hello Parents, we hope you enjoy our first newsletter for 2016. Students have been working really hard so far this term and this is a snapshot of what we have been doing including English, Science, Maths, Religious Education and SRC News.

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English

In writing, students are currently learning about persuasive writing. Students have talked about different places where we see persuasive texts and even created our own ads. We have been practising writing persuasive texts and looking at different points of view such as looking at the fairytale 'Three Little Pigs' from the wolf's point of view.



Tim, Dakota, Samara and Imogyn working hard in our English block.

Imogen, Noah and Rosie creating their Earth, Sun and Moon picture for Science.



Science

Students have been exploring Earth and Space sciences through looking at day and night and the relationships between the Sun, the Earth and the Moon. We have talked about the different sizes of the Sun, Earth and Moon and begun creating some artwork to show our knowledge of differences in size, distance, movement and facts.

Maths

Students have been learning about length and measurement. We have been practising using our ruler and also measuring tapes to measure different objects, even ourselves! Students measured everyone in the classroom to ascertain who was the tallest and shortest student in the class. Students have talked about different mathematical language we use in length and have been practising comparing and ordering.

We have also been looking at odd and even numbers and practising our addition and subtraction.



Lillyana and Isobel exploring measurement in Maths through measuring each other's height.

Religious Education

In Religion, we are learning about the Spirit of Jesus and the Spirit of Jesus in us. Students have started a jar (the SOJ jar) within the classroom so they can take notice of the Spirit of Jesus being shown around them through qualities such as helpfulness, kindness and WEST moments. Students have also been learning about Lent and St Patrick's day.



Imogen and Tayla being presented their SRC badges at the SRC assembly.

SRC News

We would like to say a huge congratulations to Imogen and Tayla for being voted as the SRC representatives for Grade 3. Fantastic job girls!

Jayda-Rose writing down a Spirit of Jesus (SOJ) moment for our SOJ jar.

