



Newling News

Quality Education in a Caring Environment

Term 1 Week 5

20th February 2023

Resilience

Focus Class of the Week


With the focus of the week being 'resilience', 3/4 Green are displaying resilience in the face of new challenges and working towards achieving new goals within their learning. Students continue to develop their mindsets, improving and honing their skills to persist in the face of all challenges, drawing on their strengths and experiences to find new solutions and approaches. In our classroom students have been encouraging one another to take risks and learn from mistakes while also acknowledging each other's strengths and accomplishments. By cultivating each other's growth mindset and building a strong support system for each other, students in 3/4 Green will continue to develop their resilience and achieve success in all areas of their lives as well as encouraging those around them to do the same.




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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents & Carers

I have been impressed with the number of visitors I've had, who have work to show me! Nothing worth doing is ever achieved without some hard work along the way, so it is great to see our children working hard. Teachers have also been working hard to come up with some exciting activities to keep the second half of Term 1 motivating and fun! Stay tuned, as there are some great surprises in store!

We have been talking this week about stranger danger in response to a concerning incident that occurred in another part of town. We have encouraged the children to "Say No, Go, Tell".

Say No - To anyone who approaches them that they don't know and asks them to do something they don't want to.

Go - To a nearby safe place.

Tell - A trusted adult as soon as possible.

Our children's safety is vital so please remind them of the importance of being aware and safe.

As we are focusing on attendance this term, it is vital that for students to learn to their potential, they must be at school regularly. Office staff will be contacting families who have not responded to text messages, to seek clarification about the reasons your child is away. It is a requirement that we are informed of the reasons, as we may be able to support re-attendance at school through simple strategies and adjustments.

A number of students have been dropped off at school before 8am. While it is great that our children are super keen to get to school, there is no supervision until 8:30. Children who arrive early are expected to sit under the COLA and wait for teacher supervision to commence.

Regards

Stephen Gadd

The Back to School NSW Voucher program now includes excursions.

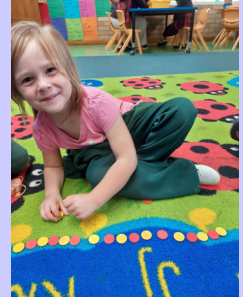


A broad range of excursions are eligible, including excursions, incursions, camps, and travel to and from sporting and other extra-curricular activities. The excursions can be scheduled for any time in 2023, but the vouchers payment must be made before 30 June 2023.

Kindy Koalas News

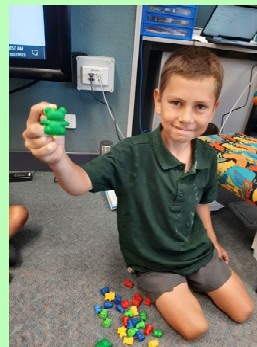
Kindergarten Koalas have been working very hard in class, focusing on writing the letters of the alphabet, beginning simple sentences, learning about different types of families, living and non-living things, patterns in maths, and that's just 'some' of our work! Our key charts are filling up quickly, so we are beginning to understand the keys to success. *The blank charts you see, have already been filled! Go Koalas!

A reminder we have a 'Healthy Harold' visit in week 6.



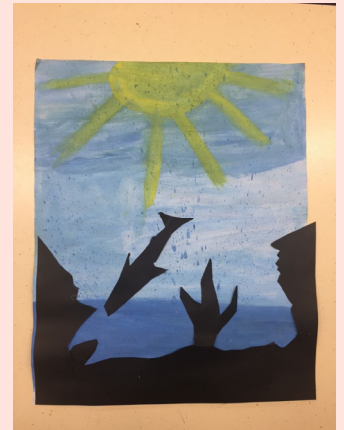
1/2 Green News

Over the past fortnight, our busy little bees in 1/2 Green have well and truly begun to settle into their new class. Each morning, we have been discussing what it means to be grateful for the positive things in our life and all our students are getting more and more excited to share their thoughts. In Literacy, we have just finished reading 'Fang Fang's Chinese New Year' by Sally Rippin which has been a fantastic opportunity to investigate Chinese culture. We even learned how to use chopsticks! 1/2 Green look forward to many more exciting learning opportunities as we progress through this term.



5/6 Green News

5/6 have all been studying the theme of Sustainability through the text 'Blueback', by Tim Winton. In 5/6 Green, with Mr Mac and Mrs Watts, not only have they been identifying and using Tier 3 describing words for their writing, but they have created some artworks, from the perspective of an ocean dwelling fish or creature.



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Canteen open Fridays ONLY

TERM 1, 2023 PRICE LIST

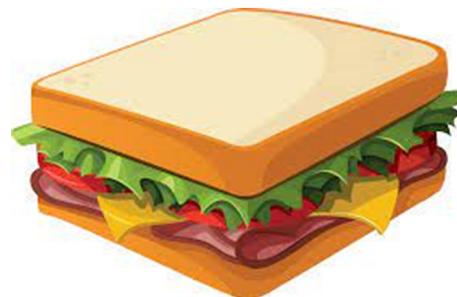
Please note that we have had to increase prices on some of our hot food items.

Sandwiches and hot food for recess or lunch must be ordered

SANDWICHES

Toasted Extra 50c

- Vegemite \$2.00
- Ham \$2.00
- Chicken \$2.00
- Honey \$2.00
- Egg \$2.50
- Chicken & Cheese \$2.50
- Ham & Cheese \$2.50
- Ham, Cheese & Tomato \$3.00
- Chicken, Cheese & Tomato \$3.00



HOT FOOD

- Hash Browns \$1.00 – RECESS only
- Sausage Roll \$3.50
- Pizza Rounder - Ham/Cheese \$2.50
- Meat Pie \$3.50 – LUNCH only
- Cheeseburger \$3.50 – LUNCH only
- Spaghetti Bolognese \$3.50 – LUNCH only
- Tomato Sauce 50c

DRINKS

- Juice Popper \$1.50
- Water \$1.50
- Milk – Chocolate/Strawberry \$1.50
- Milkshakes- \$2.00
(Chocolate/Strawberry/Caramel)



SNACKS

- Cake, Slice, Bars, Fruit cup \$1.00
- Fresh Fruit, Popcorn, Biscuits 50c

Selection of fruit and cakes/slices changes from week to week.

ICE CREAMS- Lunch only

- Variety of Ice Creams \$1.00
- Milk Ice Cups 50c
- Frozen Yoghurt \$1.00

(Children must return **Vouchers** to canteen for ice cream orders)



Life
EDUCATION

Life Education Van

All students are invited and highly encouraged to attend the Life Education Van next week!

Classes: Kinder –Year 6

When: Tuesday 28th February & Wednesday 1st March

Cost: \$5 per student.

HEALTHY
LUNCH
BOX
.COM.AU

Pick one food from each group

Breads & cereals



Water



Vegetables & salads



Fruit



Meat & alternatives



Dairy



Visit healthylunchbox.com.au for recipes & information you can trust.



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

6 days or less
absence per year
97% or above
VERY GOOD
THIS IS YOUR
TARGET

Between
7 and 19 days
absence per year
90% - 96%
BELOW
EXPECTATIONS

More
than 19 days
absence per year
Under 90%
POOR
ATTENDANCE

What sort of start is your child getting?

Just a little bit late doesn't seem much but.....

He/She is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is.....	and over 13 years of schooling that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly <u>Half a year</u>
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 mins per week	Over 2.5 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 year</u>
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 and a Half years</u>
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 Weeks per year	Over <u>2 and a Half years</u>

Did you know your child's best learning time is the start of the school day?

That's when every minute counts the most!!

EVERY DAY COUNTS!

Word of the
week!

Creative

Definition:

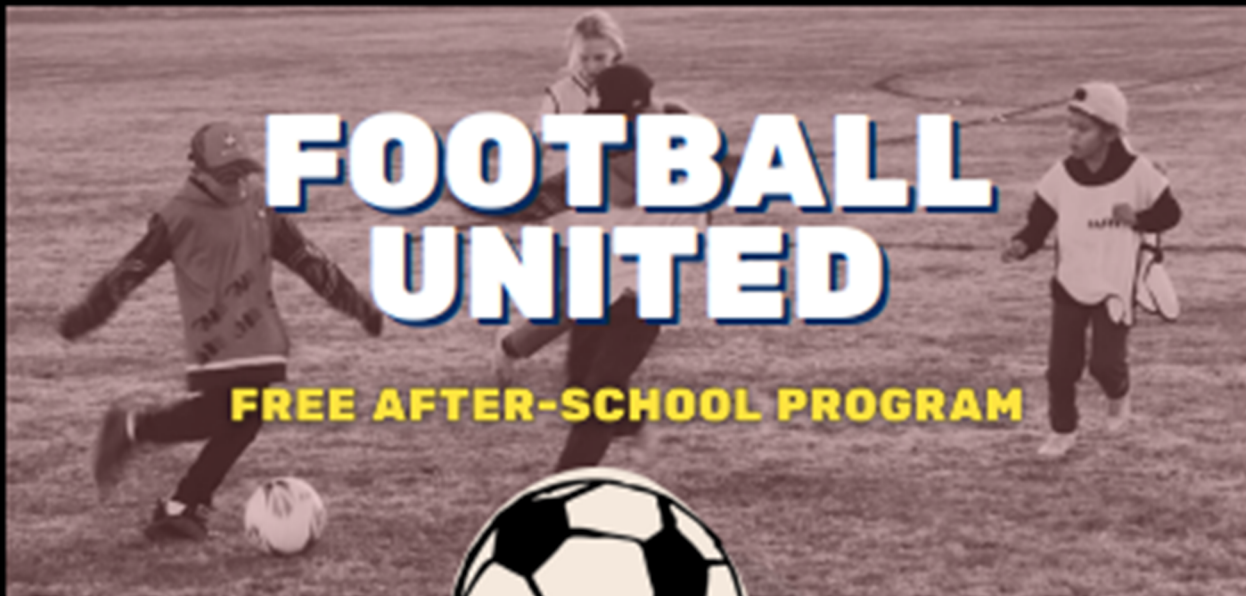
The use of the
imagination or original
ideas to create
something.

Synonyms

gifted
inventive
original

Antonyms

fruitless
uncreative
ungifted



FOOTBALL UNITED

FREE AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM



**EVERY
WEDNESDAY
15TH FEBRUARY -
5TH APRIL**

3.45PM - 5PM

**ROLOGAS
SPORTING
FIELDS**

OFF TAYLOR STREET

**FOR GIRLS & BOYS
AGED 8 - 12**

A football program for Primary School students that explores resilience, decision-making and values to make better choices in football and life

REGISTRATION
ESSENTIAL

SCAN QR CODE



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**Get Active
United**

ABSENTEE NOTE

(To be returned to school first day back after absence)

Student's name-_____ Class-_____

Date of Absences-_____

Reason for Absence-_____

Signature of Parent/Caregiver-_____ Date-_____

