



Weekly News - Week 1

Hello,

Welcome back to Term 3. We hope you and your family have had a refreshing break and are ready for another eventful and fun school term.

This term Mr Harrison Lambert will teach Music on Mondays, Mrs Kathy Hatzimanolis will teach French on Tuesdays, Mrs Serah Fitzgerald will teach PE on Thursdays and Mrs Sheree Cockerill will continue to take the class on Fridays.

Library day will remain on Wednesdays. Please remind your child to place their returned Library books on the side bench and keep their Library bags in their school bag. Thank you.

This term the children need to be dressed in their winter uniform. Each Tuesday the children are required to have their school jumper for Assembly.

Spelling

The children will be learning about the main ways of writing the **long a sound**. The main ways of writing the long a sound are; ai, a_e and ay. This week we are focusing on the **ay** spelling. The ay spelling is often used at the end of words. The 'y' takes the place of 'i' as the letter 'i' does not like to be at the end of words. For example; ray, say, hay.

Jolly Phonics Action: Cup hand over ear and say "ay, ay, ay".

Tricky words: **want & who**.

Maths

This week in Mathematics we will be focusing on addition strategies to solve worded number problems.

We will also identify and labels features of 2D and 3D objects using mathematical language.

Literacy

This term in Literacy we will be undertaking an author study on Anthony Browne. We will be reading several of his books, completing various activities based on his books and researching him throughout the term.

Encouraging Independence

This term we expect the children to unpack their own bag independently each day. Children will change their own reader, put their diaries in their tub and Big Notes Book in the box. This will help prepare them for Year 2, where independent organisation is encouraged.

If your child arrives after the bell they will need to go to the Front Office for a late stamp.

The classroom will open at approximately 8:25-8:30am. On Fridays it may be later due to the morning staff meeting.

Have a lovely week.

Kind Regards Kimberley Helps & Amy Penna.

Take Note

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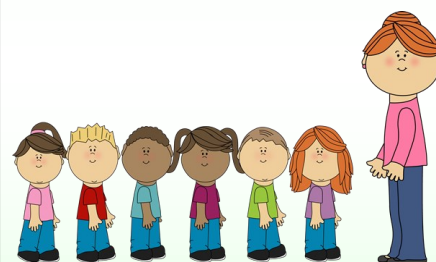
Week 1

Monday 24th July

First Day of Term 2

Full Winter Uniform for Terms 2 & 3

All students will need to wear a tie and jumper every day. They will also need to wear their jumper every Tuesday for assemblies.



Sharing Topic this week

My holidays. Talk about something you did in the holidays.

Parent Signature _____