

Newsletter

Weekly News Week 3

Hello,

The children are very excited and have been busy preparing for Grandparents' Day this Friday. Please do not worry if your child will not have a Grandparent attending on Friday. In my experience there are always plenty of grandparents to go around and we will ensure that ALL the children are included and happy on this special day.

Spelling

Week 3 – or

The spelling focus for Week 3 and 4 is on the 'or' sound.

The main ways to spell the 'or' sound are or-horse, al-talk, au-sauce and aw-awful.

In Week 3 we will focus on 'or' and in Week 4 we will focus on 'al'.

Tricky words - which and who

Maths

This week in Maths the children will be revisiting how to collect information and then exploring different ways to represent this data e.g. tallies, bar graphs, picture graphs.

The children will also be looking at the placement of numbers on a number line and hundreds charts and using this information to solve simple problems.

Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day is this Friday (November 3rd). Please refer to the 'Take Note' section on the newsletter for the outline of the day. If you haven't already, please complete the RSVP at the bottom of the green note placed inside your Child's Printed Notes Book and return to front office **ASAP**.

If you are providing morning tea for the Grandparent's to share, please deliver to the Home Economics room before school (student leaders can direct if unsure where to go).

Dictation Test on Thursday due to Grandparents' Day

The children will undertake their Dictation Test with Mrs Cockerill on Thursday this week due to Grandparents' Day.

Mrs Cockerill will teach on Thursday and I, Mrs Helps will teach on Friday so that I'm present to meet all our lovely grandparents.

Year 1 STARplex Assembly - Save the Date

On Tuesday 21st November (Week 6) both Year 1 classes will be performing a Christmas Assembly at STARplex. We will be asking the children to come dressed in Christmas clothes (e.g. Christmas colours, costumes, t-shirts etc.) and then bring their school uniform to change in to after the assembly. More information about this will be given closer to the date.

Have a lovely week, Kimberley Helps & Amy Penna.

Take Note

Week 3

Tuesday 31st October

Mrs Helps absent - family reasons

Thursday 2nd October

- Mrs Cockerill teaching
- Dictation Test

Friday 3rd November

- Mrs Helps teaching

Grandparents' Day

8.45am – arrive (meet on lawn)

9.00-10.00am - JS Concert (for Grandparents only)

10-10.20am – Session 1 in the classroom (Craft Activity)

10.20-10.45am– Morning Tea for Grandparents in the Piazza area

10.50-11.10am– Recess

11.10-12.00pm– Session 2 in the classroom (children show grandparents around the school)

12pm– Close of Grandparents Day

Week 4 - Blackham Excursion

Please sign and return the Excursion Consent Form to me ASAP. If you are able to assist on our excursion, please see me ASAP. Thank you.

Week 6

Swimming Week

Further details to come

Tuesday November 21st

Year 1 STARplex Christmas Assembly starting at 9.40am.

Sharing Topic this week

Something that moves

Parent Signature _____