

WHAT'S ON IN GRADE 1

Give it your all
Redo if necessary
Egnore giving up
It takes time to do it right

Term 4

As we near the end of the year, we couldn't be prouder of the effort that every student has put into developing new skills and the determination they show when faced with a challenge. Congratulations to all students who have consistently displayed our school values and have received their Values Awards. *Here's some of what's on...*

What are you grateful for today?

Readers Workshop

This Term, the students have continued to work on practicing **multiple strategies** per week during our mini-lessons. They are beginning to write in their Readers' Journal during read to self, practicing their reading strategy while reading their Good Fit Books.

Reader's Theatre

In the last few weeks, the Grade 1 students practised performing a short play in small groups, ready to present in front of the class. The fairytales included: **Rumpelstiltskin**, **Goldilocks and the Three Bears**, **Three Little Pigs** and **Hansel and Gretel**. The students



focused on fluency, intonation, pace and expression! We were blown away by their performances.



Maths

The students have thoroughly enjoyed our unit on **Money**. They have been ordering amounts, counting collections, adding collections to find the value and even solving worded money problems. Next, students will be building upon their **understanding of collecting and interpreting data**.

Writers Workshop

LET US PERSUADE YOU!

The students are currently revising and editing their **Persuasive Writing** piece. They have selected an environmental issue that is important to them. We explored powerful words, voice, punctuation, sentence structure, and persuasive devices to convince our audience.

Reminders

Drink Bottles - Please send a drink bottle with water to school for your child **Helps to keep us hydrated!**



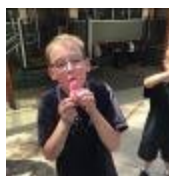
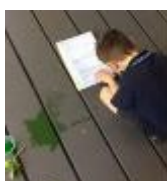
Flexi Schools - Don't forget to check the **Flexi Schools App** on your devices to keep you up to date with things happening at school.

- Just remember Wandin North Primary School is a nut free

MAPPEN - Stimulating Science

Students have continued to learn about how everything in our physical world changes. They have conducted experiments to show different changes.

Last week the students made their very own **Bubble Wands** using house hold Ingredients. We also placed celery in water with food dye to observe the changes!



Homework Books and Readers

Please ensure you are assisting your child with their readers each night as well as recording their nightly reading in their yellow reader books. Encourage your child to be practicing their Magic Words or SWST components each night.

What's Coming Up!

Meet the Teacher - To be confirmed.
End of Year Class Party - To be confirmed.
Last day of Term 4 - Friday 18th December

We wish you and your families a SAFE AND MERRY CHRISTMAS BREAK!