

what's on in 5/6

TERM 4 -
2023

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Term 4 is already beginning to fly by! Before we know it will be the end of the year and the students will be preparing for their new adventures. We have started this Term strong and still have so much ahead of us!

READING & WRITING

We started Literacy this Term by analysing speeches. The Grade 6's have begun looking at ways to powerfully deliver their graduation speeches, writing and practicing these together. The Grade 5's have looked at how to convince Mr Bailey and Mr Hallett that they will make good 2024 captains, writing persuasive captain speeches. We have become very good at using cue cards, using eye contact when we speak and slowing down our pace.

Reading and Writing lessons have now moved on to poetry. The 5/6s have begun by looking at ballads. They have planned narratives for their ballads to follow and are now experimenting with rhyming and syllable beats.

PHOTOS!

We have had lots of fun already this Term, with orienteering, buddies, sustainability talks and more!

REMINDERS

Homework: Students are expected to show progress towards their homework task every week. Students should also be reading every night. In the final week of term, students will be displaying all their homework tasks completed.

NUMERACY

In Numeracy we have been conducting chance experiments, using spinners, dice, cards and more. The 5/6s are superstars at determining the probabilities of different outcomes.

The students are now looking at shapes and how they transform. They can locate the x and y axis on a Cartesian Plane and can plot coordinate points to solve problems.

INQUIRY

Students have been exploring 'The Asian Region' in Inquiry. They have looked at their country's size in relation to Australia. They have found cool facts and have created detailed maps of geographical features. All of this information is helped by their travel homework booklet.



KEY DATES

Wed 1st Nov – Honey Joys for Honeyeaters
Mon 6th Nov – Curriculum Day
Tue 7th Nov – Cup Day
Fri 10th Nov – Summer Sports Day
Fri 24th Nov – Free Dress Day
Fri 8th Dec – Surf Day 1
Mon 11th Dec – Surf Day 2