

Year One

Dear Parents,

Many thanks to all the parents that came to help during Art's Week this week. The children had a fantastic time and your help was much appreciated (as well as all the resources that you kindly donated).

High Frequency Words will be changed next week.

Please remember to keep your child's spelling book in their book bag.

Many thanks

Year 1 team.

English

In English, this week, we have written instructions on how to make a traditional Australian party food called Fairy Bread. Can your child tell you how to make it using imperative verbs? We have also explored The Rainbow Serpent which is a tradition aboriginal tale. We created posters explaining how we can look after our environment and take care of our Earth.

Maths

This week in Maths we have started our two week topic on Place Value. We have been exploring different apparatus to help us understand the principles of how to recognise tens and ones in two digit numbers and thought about how we could represent two digit numbers pictorially in order to develop our reasoning skills.

Art's week

The children had a great time this week exploring the country of Australia. We incorporated this not just in Art but also in indoor P.E., Computing and Music. In Indoor P.E. we looked and recreated some traditional aboriginal dance, sang Waltzing Matilda and Kookaburra and in Computing we drew our own aboriginal picture using different aboriginal symbols.

In Art we used wool to make our own Rainbow Serpents, made rain sticks, collaboratively created our own class Rainbow Serpent using pastels and made aboriginal head bands. We took some inspiration from the Australian artists Rosie Deacon (she loves florescent colours) and Wentja Napaltjarri (an aboriginal artist). Have a look at these artists at home.



Deputy Head teacher's certificate

Lavender

Daniel Bihun

Daniel Kaminski

Cornflower

Zakariah

Isabel

Foxglove

**Could you please
bring in a photograph
of your child as a baby
for our Science lesson
in the following weeks,
this will be returned
and please do not
send in any
photographs that are
precious. Thank you.**