

**“Educating successful leaders, confident and creative individuals
and active and informed citizens”**

Calendar (new items highlighted in red)

June		
24 th	Wednesday	Reports for all students are available on Compass
26 th	Friday	Last Day of Term 2 – 1.30pm finish
July		
13 th	Monday	First Day of Term 3
13 th	Monday	Family Conferences can be booked on Compass
17 th	Friday	Parents Club Meeting (9am)
21 st	Tuesday	Finance Meeting (8:30am) and Policies Meeting (9:30am)
23 rd	Thursday	Family Conferences 4pm-7pm
24 th	Friday	Family Conferences 9am-3pm
27 th	Monday	School Council (6pm)
28 th	Tuesday	Hot Potato Lunch
August		
25 th	Tuesday	Spaghetti Lunch

Principal’s Message

Lunch Orders

Lunch Orders will resume every Wednesday, beginning from the first week of Term 3.

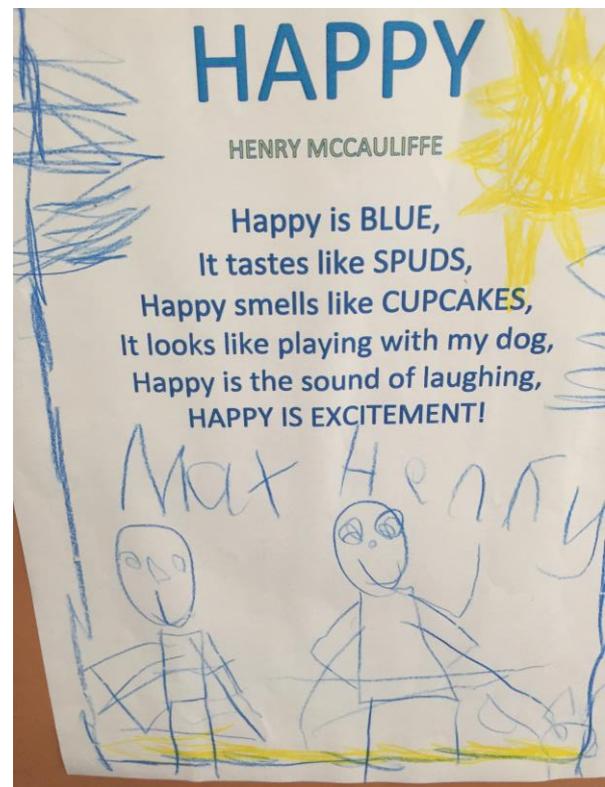
Reports

Reports will be made available on Wednesday morning. These are accessible online via Compass under the link ‘View Academic Reports.’ A short how-to guide is included on the school’s website under the Compass tab. Reports will be sent home in hard-copy, with the students on Wednesday. Please note that this will be the last reports cycle that the school will publish in hard copy. In Semester 2, reports will only be printed on request.

Just a reminder for families, the reports being published this semester are more of a snapshot of student learning. There is no reporting against the Victorian Curriculum in the normal graphical format. This is synchronised with Department guidelines. If you have any questions about the format of the report, I am your contact. If you have questions about your child’s learning and the content in the report, please bring your questions to Family Conferences in Term 3.

Callout for Volunteers

The Swimming Program is a very valuable program that is delivered in Term 1 of every school year. I am writing to seek out any parent volunteers who might wish to get in the pool and support the program. The school will cover costs for the training and provide an induction session early in the



new year. To get the ball rolling, I will do the training also so I can support the program at the pool in 2021. Please email me before the end of the term if you might be interested in this.

Next Week's Newsletter

This will be the last newsletter for Term 2. The school will publish a newsletter on Friday, 10th July (just before Term 3 starts). I wish to publicly thank all staff, students and families for two things. Firstly, thank you for your continuous support during the period of remote learning – your support and trust in us was evidently felt and is greatly appreciated. Thank you to the staff for working so incredibly hard during that period. Secondly, thank you to the community for being so welcoming in my first term as Principal. I look forward to working with the community for many future terms to ensure best outcomes and opportunities for your children. Enjoy the break and take care.

Nick Keating

GRADE P/1

This week we welcomed Brax Griffiths to our Prep/One Class. Brax is in grade one and has had a great first week, meeting lots of new friends.

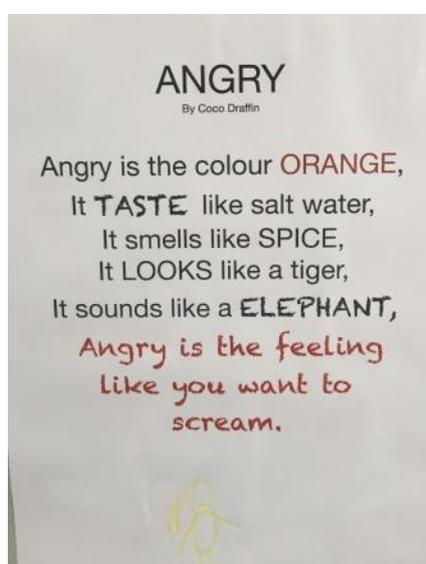
On Tuesday students enjoyed the exciting robotech activities presented by Earth Ed.

We have commenced guided reading, where children have enjoyed working with their reading group and being introduced to their new books.

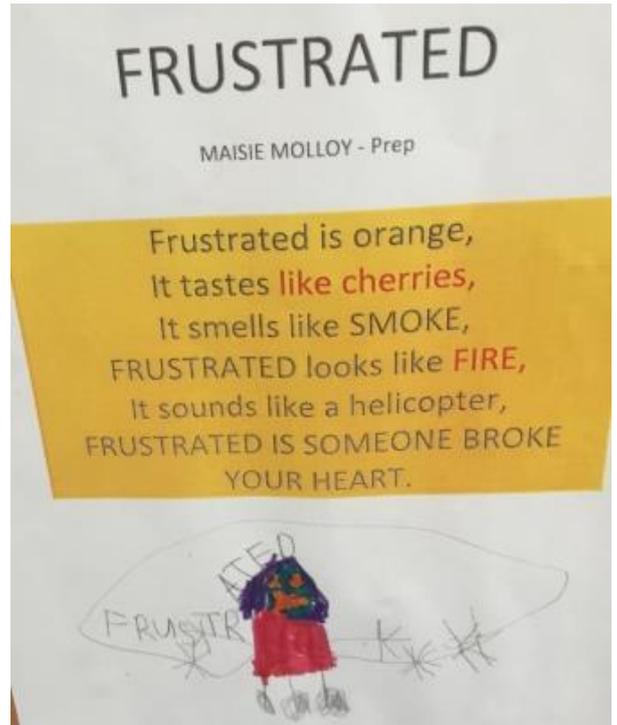
This week we were lucky to have Sarah and Ash in our room to help us with our learning.

Grade ones have made their own game boards since learning about addition in maths.

We are moving on with descriptions in writing. Here is a sample of some sensory poems the students have completed.



Have a happy holiday everyone. Mrs. Britton



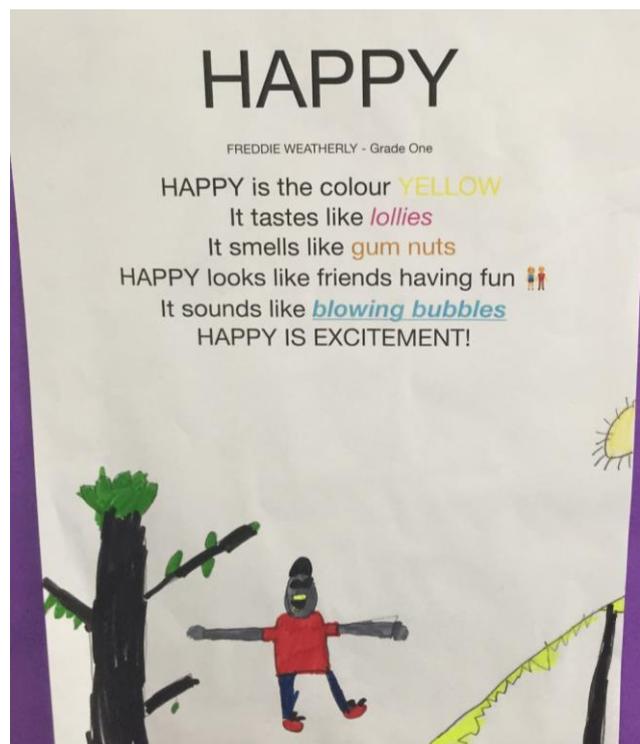
Garden Roster

We ask that each family take a fortnight to come in when convenient and do some gardening. Jobs include mowing including the nature strip, weeding and sweeping paths. First name in list to coordinate please.

11th June – 24th June: Margot Barr, Kate Dunne, Jessie White, Dave O'Neil

25th June – 8th July: Petrina Phillips, Wendy Carroll, Megan Read, Janine Childs

9th July - 22nd July: Erin Fletcher, Fiona Collins, Victoria Kennedy, Natalie Clark





Earth Ed visited school on Tuesday and the kids had a ball! Thanks Georgie!



The Grade 4 students have discovered that scrabble is excellent for spelling and addition practice!



Grade 2/3

Grade 2/3 have had a great second last week of term 2. Students had a visit from Earth Ed earlier this week which was a great experience for all. Students programmed a robot using an iPad to travel to different planets in the solar system. In Maths, students have been focusing on measuring length and using data to create a graph. At one stage some students decided to measure Mr Keating on the floor when he came in for a visit. The class has also tried their hand at drawing Australia with and without using a map. This is something we will continue to work on next week. Keep up the great work Grade 2/3!

