

K/1 News

27 July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to Term 3, 2021.

Term 3 learning will include:

- Reading lessons in the L3 session. These are conducted in small groups. During this time the other students are working on independent activities reading, writing, letter activities, alphabets and games. L3 is Language, Learning and Literacy.
- Miss Taylor will be teaching maths lessons during the middle session. During this time Mrs Leov will be teaching Year 1 Reading, which is an intensive individual reading program for Year 1 only.
- Miss Taylor will be teaching Personal Development and Health, with our Term 3 unit being Keeping Myself Safe Child Protection.
- Year 1 will be joining the Class 1-2 for writing on Tuesday afternoons with Mrs Webster and Friday mornings with Mrs Geddes. Mrs Leov will do writing with Kindergarten during these times.
- The Inquisitive units for this term are The Changing Environment (Science), Sequencing Instructions (Science), Digital Systems (Science) and Different and Important Places (Geography).
- K-1 sport will be gymnastics on Thursday (Weeks 1 to 4) in the middle session with instruction from Flyaway Gymnastics.

We have begun home reading again but are only getting a small number of students bringing their folder to change readers. Please search at home for reading folders and send to school.

Library is Friday with Miss Taylor. <u>All students need a library bag to borrow</u>. Students can only borrow if they have returned their books from the previous week. Library books are for enjoyment and should be read to your child by a parent, relative or older sibling. Reading books aloud to children stimulates their imagination and expands their understanding of the world. It helps them develop language and listening skills.

Buddy reading with the senior students will take place after lunch on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Mr Allibon will be teaching K-1 during Kindergarten 2022 transition sessions whilst Mrs Leov works with the preschool students.

Pam Leov and Kate Taylor CLASS K-1 TEACHERS