

Galada Term 3 Community Newsletter

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Happy reading!



Information Reports

In Term 2, students created their very own mini book on an Australian animal of their choice. Students then had the opportunity to share their book with the prep community this term.



























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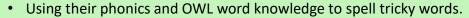
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- Using consistent boundary punctuation such as capital letters and full stops.
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Creating our own characters out of food

Using the dotted thirds to help with letter formation.





Students made their own fort during remote learning to then write about a setting.



Numeracy

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3D Shape:

- Recognise and classify familiar 3D objects using obvious features, e.g. corners

Time:

- Calendars and the days of the week







"We have been learning about Australian coins"





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CBL and Personal and Social Learning

In CBL, Year 1 students will be exploring history by focusing on their personal and family life. They will also be investigating significant topics both past and present such as; people, sites, events, games, technology and communication. The unit will involve students collecting and exploring their family tree and will require discussions with their family members.

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Galada students created drawings through collaboration.











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"We love doing our morning routine. Can we practise the days of the week before school?"

— Galada Community





Reminders

Fruit Break

time where students can eat their fruit. Please ensure that your child has at least 1 piece of fruit or vegetable in their lunchbox.



Absences

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		Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5	Session 6
Monday	PE	1D Emma	1A Stephanie				
	Science	1A Stephanie	1B Laura				
	Spanish	1B Laura	1C Sarah				
	Visual Art	1C Sarah	1D Emma				
Tuesday							
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Thursday							
Friday							

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Kind Regards,

Stephanie, Laura, Sarah and Emma



Wurun Term 3 Community Newsletter

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Kind Regards, Kellie, Mikaela, Alanah, Holly and Lauren





Reading

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Students identify the traits of fairytale characters

Students identify the characters, setting, problem and solution in the Three Billy Goats Gruff fairy tale





Writing

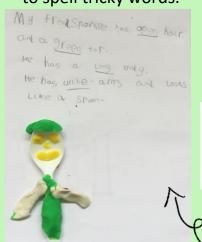
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Students designed `their own fairy tale setting (a castle) and wrote a description

1. My castle is big and colourful.

(HARACTERS)

Where and when the story takes place.

HOW do the

CHARACTERS FIX

PROBLEM

PEOPLE OR

It is made of blocks.

3. It has tall towers and fairles.

Students have worked on using adjectives to describe characters they have created

Writing (CONTINUED)

Last term students planned, wrote and published their very own information books about various Australian Animals.

At the start of this term, students got to share their wonderful creations with some very excited prep students from the Kirrip B community.

Lots of very proud inspiring authors and eager listeners!



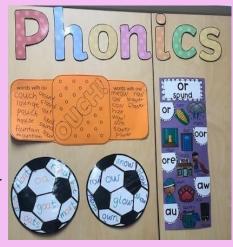
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Students enjoying phonics

Twister!

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Students exploring games from the past, such as quoits, jump rope and hopscotch.

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Further information relating to the Year 1 Home Learning Program can be obtained by watching the video at:

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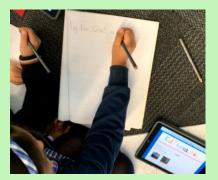
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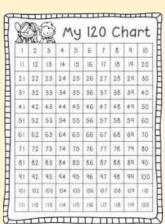
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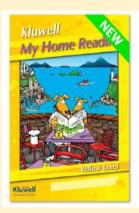
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