



SADLEIR PUBLIC SCHOOL



We are now taking new enrolments for Preschool 2021!

24 August 2020

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between 1st August 2016
and 31st July 2017 they can
come to Preschool in 2021.



We are also taking new enrolments for **KINDERGARTEN** 2021

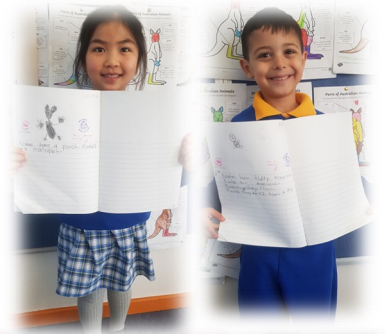
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August 2015 and 31st July 2016 they
can come to Kindergarten in 2021.

*Current Sadleir
Preschool children
will get their Kindy
enrolment from Miss
Dixon.*



Please contact the
school office to be
given directions on
how to pick up an
enrolment form.

Call: 9607 8201



Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for your continued support in regards to the guidelines related to COVID 19. All students were provide with a 3 page guide last Wednesday. Please contact the school by email or phone if you did not receive one.



Attendance

Students should be at school unless:

- they have a medical certificate which states that they are unable to return to school due to an ongoing medical condition and the expected timeframe
- they are currently unwell.

In accordance with advice from NSW Health, parents and carers are reminded **NOT** to send children to school if they are unwell, even if they have the mildest flu-like symptoms. We will make arrangements for students who present as unwell or have flu like symptoms to be sent home.

NSW Health have requested that anyone who is unwell or has even mild flu-like symptoms, should arrange to be tested through their local medical practitioner or one of the COVID-19 clinics. Students and staff with flu like symptoms will need to provide a copy of a negative COVID-19 test result before being permitted to return to school.

Drop off and Pick Up

Our morning drop off and afternoon pick up procedures remain in place with a slight change meaning the front gate will not open until 2:55pm. It is critical that all adults maintain social distancing. High school students should not enter the school on a Tuesday afternoon unless they pick up brothers and sisters 5 days a week. Parents of preschool students are able to enter the school but must go directly to and from the preschool via the designated route.

Principal's Report

Assemblies

Although a number of school events have been cancelled or postponed, students are attending brief award assemblies either in person or via Zoom. Please remember to look out for awards as they are been given out as normal.

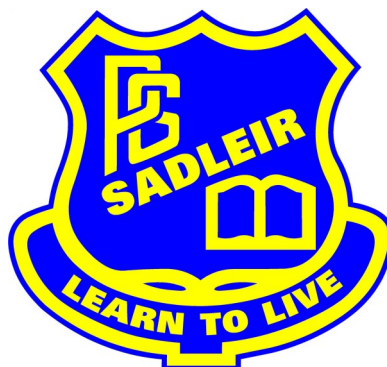
How can we help our children learn at home?

There are many ways that parents and carers can promote learning and support their child's progress. Never underestimate your role. Reading to your child/listening to your child read, asking them to navigate to the shops and adding up purchases together will be support their learning. Every class has weekly homework so contact your child's teacher via the school email if you would like to discuss or have not seen the set work.

New School Plan

We are currently beginning the process of developing a new 2021-2023 school plan. We will be asking parents for some feedback and ideas in the coming weeks. Due to COVID-19 restrictions we will be using digital media and return slips rather than hosting our usual parent forums.

Regards,
Mr M Ralph
Principal





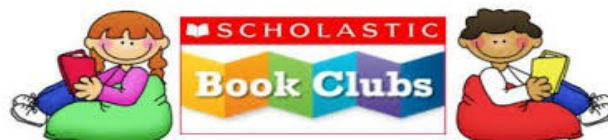
We have been noticing our lost property bin filling up this term with jumpers, hats, toys, lunch boxes and drink bottles with no names on them. If your child has lost something, please send them to our lost property in the front office.

Please make sure all of your child's items have their **name** on them. This makes it easier for staff and other students to return items to the correct student.

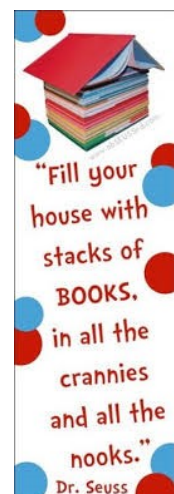


Check-in assessment for Year 5 students

Students in year 5 will be participating in a new reading and numeracy check-in assessment in Term 3. This is an online assessment to support schools to monitor year 5 student learning.



Sadleir Public School has had a lot of Scholastic Book Club orders this year so far. Just a friendly reminder when ordering Book Club, please ensure that your **child's name** and **class** are clearly printed on the top of the Book Club order. Please contact the school office if your child has ordered a book through Book Club and has not received it after 2 - 3 weeks. If your book is on **back order**, you will receive it soon.



2 Gold

2 Gold have been learning about the physical world in science. They are learning about different types of energy such as light energy, heat energy and sound energy. They have participated in different experiments that shows how light and heat energy work. Here are our little scientists using light energy to discover what's inside the box!



Our scientists are also investigating the heat energy in their bodies and how it affects how quickly M&M's melt!



2 Gold have also been learning how to research information using iPads and computers. They are beginning to find out facts all by themselves by using a Google search! Here they are looking for facts about possums as we have been reading Possum Magic by Mem Fox during literacy!

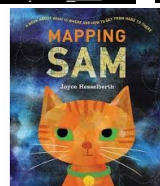
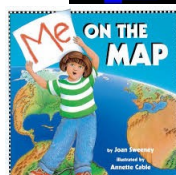
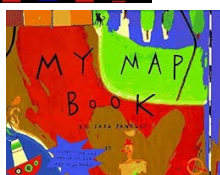




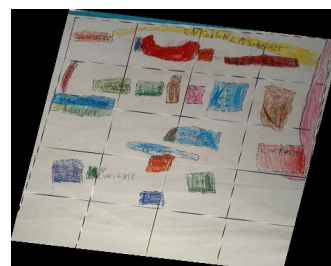
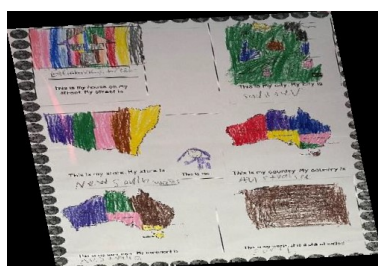
1 ROSE



1Rose have been very busy learners this term. Wednesdays are our favourite day because we have gymnastics with Mr. M. He has been teaching us how to perform gymnastics shapes such as 'L sit', 'V sit' and 'tuck sit' and how to correctly use the equipment like the trampoline, balance beam and single bar.



In English, we have been reading stories about maps and have been using mapping skills to create many different kinds of maps.



We love to celebrate when everyone is present at school.

Science Week in Preschool



Preschool began celebrating National Science week a week early with visits from 1Rose, 3Silver, 5/6Purple, 3/4Jade, 3-6Yellow and KBlue. The students and children worked together and explored the concept of 'Deep Blue' through experiments. The students and children enjoyed working together as a team to discover how whales hear and keep warm underwater, if sharks float and how to clean up an oil spill. We look forward to learning more about the ocean.



Night of the Notables

The Year 6 students that have been selected for our 'Night of the Notables' program for 2020 are:

5/6 Purple

Lupepe

Omar

Suraiya

5/6 Cyan

Dylan

Tegan

6 Magenta

Jayda

Jaydon

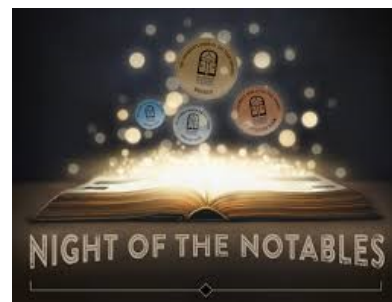
Mohammed.R

Salatiel

Tai



The Night of the Notables program is an extension research project aimed at Year 6 students who have demonstrated high achievement in English. It is an inquiry-based learning project that focuses on students engaging in an in-depth study of a notable person. Every Friday between 10am – 11:30am this term, our selected students have been beginning their projects with the sideline support of Mrs Morabito and Miss Malone. Keep an eye out for further information about the Night of the Notables evening!



2020 NSW PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) aims to encourage a love of reading in students and enables them to explore quality literature. Sadleir Public School students have done an incredible job completing the PRC this year!

Premier's Reading Challenge Student Rewards for 2020

Kindergarten—Year 1	PRC sticker and official PRC certificate
Year 2	PRC bookmark and official PRC certificate
Years 3—6	Star Award, PRC bookmark & badge, and official PRC certificate



The challenge ends
Friday 28 August (week 6)
Happy Reading!



A HUGE congratulations to the following students who have already completed the challenge for this year! Well done, an incredible achievement for 2020.

Miss C. Malone (Teacher Librarian)

K-2 Challenge

K Blue, 1 Orange, 1 Rose, 2 Violet



3-9 Challenge

3-6 Yellow (whole class)			
Hassan	Jayden M.	Zakaria	Reda
Evan	Yaamin	Dina	Owen
Sam	Jaydan F.	Brayden	

3-4 Challenge (Stage 2)

3 Silver	3/4 Jade	3/4 Aqua (whole class)		4 Ruby
Mona	Gizelle	Rihal	Abulkarim	Humzeh
Amalie	Adam	Olivia	Rihaan	Lyn
Mahmoud	Zakaria D.	Alexis	Wundurra	Sera
Meray	Mirna	Brayden	Daib	Suad
Bakkar	Layla	Alimi	Jonathon	Amin
Aya	Kalati	Salem	Liyana	Khodar
Samia	Ayman	Ryder	Zahra	Liliana
Braxton	Selena	Sopheya	Zachary	Joshua
Adam	Deja	Jeyana	Khoder	Gabriel
Hassan	Omer	Mustafa	Danny	Carmelo
	Tatiana	Ayah E.	Lilly	Justin
	Serhat	Andy		Jana



5-6 Challenge (Stage 3)

5 Teal	5/6 Purple	5/6 Cyan	6 Magenta
Israa	Solinuu	Ameliyah	Ali A.
Haydar	Va'elata 'O Napua	Abdul	Ali B.
Elana	Zara		Salatiel
	Onaleah		Mohammed S.
			Jaydon
			Jai

Education Week

Early Stage 1 — Kindergarten

Kindergarten have been very busy discovering lots of information about Australian animals this term. We worked together to search through quality picture books and information books that gave us lots of useful facts about Kangaroos. Did you know Kangaroos can travel as fast as a car and leap 9 metres in one bound? We then learnt how to draw a kangaroo and even though it was tough for some body parts, we tried really hard. Kindergarten then got extra creative and created kangaroo sculptures out of clay! It was messy but lots of fun. Our next animal is the Koala and we can't wait to learn more about our special Australian animals!



Education Week

Stage 1

Stage One have continued their learning journey during Education Week, enjoying hands on activities and being actively involved in learning. One of our favourite things to do was completing scientific investigations. We explored different energy forms, heat, light and sound, testing how energy is transferred from one thing to another.



This year's Education Week theme is 'Learning Together' and Stage One happily engage in collaborative learning during all our activities. We are very proud of how we learn from each other and with each other.



We celebrated some of our outstanding learners at our K-2 Education Week Assembly. We would like to congratulate the following students for their commitment to education and the dedication they have shown to learning at Sadleir Public School.

1Rose – Olive and Amir

1Orange – Michael and Serene

2Gold – Andy and Katalina

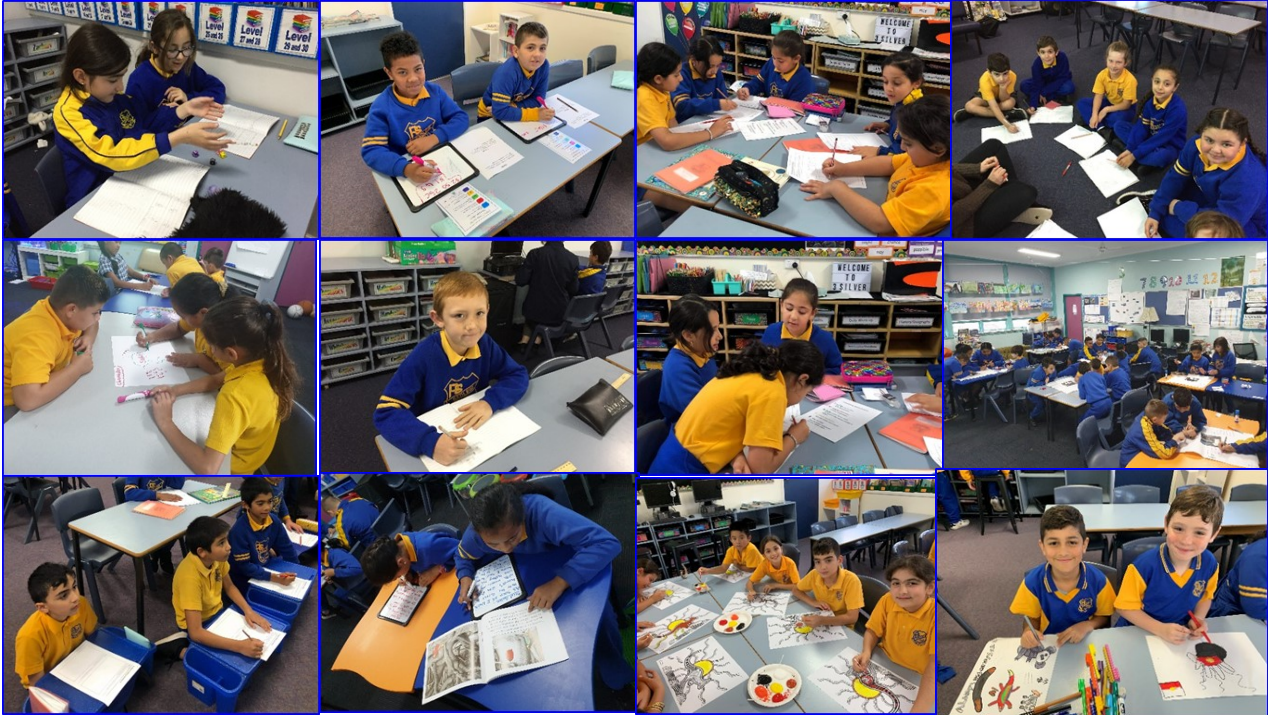
2Violet – Kieran and Bronaya



Education Week

Stage 2

Stage Two have continued to engage in many learning experiences during Education Week...



We have been learning how to solve mathematical problems using the 'CUBES' strategy where we analyse the question before choosing an appropriate mathematical operation. We have been engaging in a lot of writing and learning about how author's use intertextuality to enhance their writing. We have been using the quality text "Into the Forest" by Anthony Browne as a model during this week. We have also been enjoying the gymnastics program as well as continuing to enjoy STEM activities, Creative Arts and HSIE lessons.

We celebrated some of our outstanding learners as part of Education Week. Congratulations to the following students for their dedication to learning.

3Silver – Meray and Amalie
3/4Jade – Layla and Tyson
3/4Aqua – Ayah and Daib
4Ruby – Khodar and Sera



Education Week

Stage 3



'One Word Project'

Stage 3 worked collaboratively in a reflective exercise called the 'One Word Project'. This project provides students with the opportunity to practice self-reflection about their character and what was one character trait they would like to improve and work on for 2020.



Examples of some words students chose: reliable, resilience, confidence, patience, leader, sportsmanship etc.

This project was a valuable experience for both students and teachers. This project helps both teachers and students to learn together and collaborate to prepare students for their future endeavours.

Some different quotes from Stage 3 students on their One Word Project.

"I have chosen the word **confidence** because I would like to improve my confidence when sharing answers in the classroom."

"I want to be more **understanding** so I can prepare myself better for high school."



Education Week

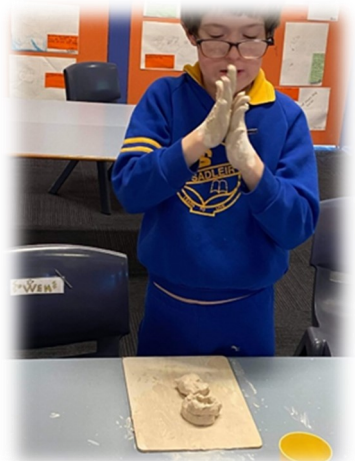
Support Unit



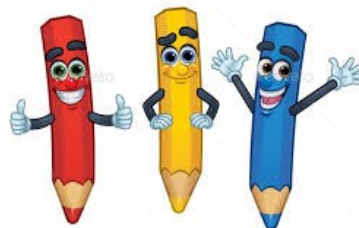
The Support Unit has been engaged in project-based learning experiences throughout Education Week. Using the theme of *Learning Together*, students worked collaboratively with their classmates and staff to practice skills in the areas of Cooperation, Creativity, Communication and Critical Thinking.



Students are developing their communication and problem-solving skills through our gardening program in Science, explore ways their bodies move in PDHPE, practise reading and communication skills in Literacy, and demonstrate creativity by exploring sculpture in Visual Arts.



Through *Learning Together* our students form strong partnerships with peers and staff, and work collaboratively to create a positive and enriching learning environment that builds on student's strengths and passions.





INQUISITIVE MINDS

Students in Years 3-6 attended a Mathematics workshop run by Inquisitive Minds. During the workshop the students applied their mathematical knowledge and learnt new problem solving skills in a highly engaging, interactive hands-on experience. Students worked collaboratively trying to solve a range of mathematical problems as well as receiving mathematical instruction along the way. Students enjoyed completing the challenging activities, mathematical problems and brain teasers.



Gymnastics

Students from Years 1-6 have been involved in a gymnastics program run by SportsPro. This program supports students in developing muscular endurance, strength, power, flexibility, coordination, agility and balance. Students have been involved in completing a range of gymnastics circuits and are thoroughly enjoying learning new skills. They are learning handstands, cartwheels, forward rolls, balance beams sequences, mini trampoline half turn, straight and tuck jumps and various bar movements.



Gymnastics



Brother to Brother hotline is helping Indigenous men during the pandemic



Brother to Brother is Australia's first 24-hour hotline assisting Aboriginal men throughout COVID-19. The crisis number is **1800 435 799**. The line is staffed by Aboriginal men, including elders, to promote a culturally-safe service.



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