



Sadleir PS Newsletter

Week 9 3rd December 2021

What's On!

2021

- Wednesday 8th
December- Stage 2 and
Stage 3 Presentation Day
- Thursday 9th December
– Early Stage 1 and Stage
1 Presentation Day
- Tuesday 14th
December—Year 6
Farewell
- Thursday 16th
December - Students
last day of school

2022

- Friday 28th January—
Teachers return to
school
- Tuesday 1st February—
STUDENTS return to
school
- Thursday 3rd February—
Kindergarten students
start school

Principal Report

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another great week at school and now we have just 2 weeks left before the end of the year. It's been great to be back to school but I'm sure that many of us are looking forward to recharging our batteries during the Summer break.

Presentation Days (On-line only) due to Covid restrictions.

Award winners and their families will receive an invitation and Zoom link. We thank you for your understanding and look forward to having a live audience in 2022.

- Stage 2 - Wednesday 8 December 9:20am – 10:30am
- Stage 3 – Wednesday 8 December 12:20pm – 1:30pm
- Early Stage 1 – Thursday 9 December – 9:20am – 10:30am
- Stage 1 – Thursday 9 December – 11:30am – 12:30pm

Prize winners have been notified.

Industrial Action

The NSW Teachers Federation has planned industrial action for Tuesday 7 December. Our school will be open but supervision will be limited and normal classes may not proceed.

Bike Riders

Students in the support unit have been working to improve their bike riding skills. Despite the disrupted year many of the students have become real experts and have gained vital safety awareness. Congratulations to all students and staff who have worked hard.



2022 Numbers and Classes

We are steadily building our student numbers for 2022. If you are moving or won't be back at school by 1 February 2022, please let us know. We'll send a form out on Monday that can be filled in and returned.

Matthew Ralph
Principal



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Education

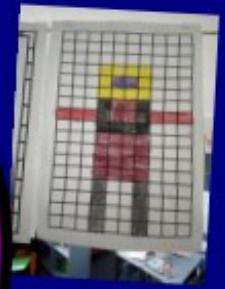
3-6 Emerald

This term 3-6 Emerald have been linking our literature unit to gardening. We have read Jack and the Beanstalk and Grandpa Green. We have made miniature greenhouses and are tracking our seed's growth over time. In art we have made topiary trees.

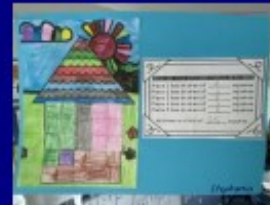




We have been learning to estimate and compare area



We always work hard and do our best during literacy and numeracy groups.



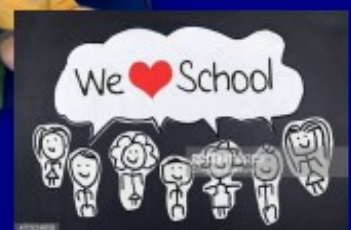
OT with Miss Fiona is FUN!

K/1Navy

We have been learning how to tell the time on analog and digital clocks using 'o'clock and 'half-past'



We love reading about the adventures of Mr McGee!





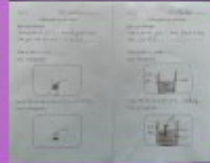
1-2 Mauve



Since returning from home learning 1-2 Mauve have been working hard to complete Maths, Science, Geography and English activities. We have loved being back at school with our friends and our teachers and have done some awesome work that we are excited to share with you.

Science in our Classroom

This term we have been learning about living things. We have discussed the features of living things and what they need to survive. We have also looked at the life cycles of living things and made observations about how they grow and change. To support this learning we have planted and are caring for our own plants. We are keeping a diary, watching and recording changes. We can't wait to see the end results!



Geography

We have been talking about different built and natural features in our community. We took photos of features in our school and designed our own school park. We included things that we thought were important - like rubbish bins, toilets and equipment for students with special needs.



Maths

Our class has been looking at multiplication this term and have enjoyed learning about arrays. We made arrays using paint and playdough, took photos of arrays in our classroom and completed an array challenge wall.



NAIDOC

For NAIDOC week we have been reading some dreaming stories that explore the connection between animals and nature. We read one text called 'The Rainbow Serpent' and then collaboratively created a serpent for our room. We think he looks great!

4 Sage



4 Sage has been participating in Reader's Theatre during Drama lessons. We are practising using our voice to express a character's action or speech

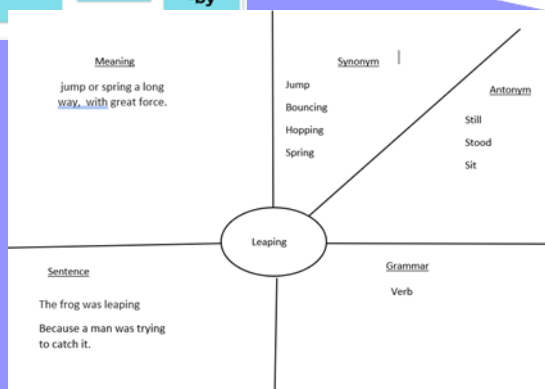


We have implemented a process called S.O.L.E (Self Organised Learning Environment) to complete student driven research tasks. This process teaches collaboration, leadership, creativity and teamwork.



4/5 Indigo

4/5 Indigo have been working very hard since their return from learning from home. They have been working on extending their vocabulary and their technology skills. This has been through using Microsoft word proficiently, creating text boxes and using lines as well as using Google Jamboard. Here are some examples of the hard work that they have been completing daily.





Jackson Pollock

One of our most enjoyable activities this year was creating Jackson Pollock inspired art works. In the lead up to the activity we researched the artist, viewed and discussed some of his works and began experimenting with the paint. Using tape, paint, brushes and our paper we created a chaotic masterpiece that we now excitedly display in our classroom.

I took inspiration from the galaxy when creating my piece – Nesrine

My work is a bright flower field – Katrina

My artwork is fire and chaos turned in to something beautiful - Sevaio



6 Magenta



NAIDOC Week 2021

Heal Country!

In Week 7 Sadleir Public School celebrated NAIDOC Week with COVID safe activities in Stage groups.

Students playing Traditional Indigenous Games



Class Activities



NAIDOC Week 2021

Heal Country!

Students looking after our Bush Tucker Garden



NAIDOC Week Assembly & Awards



SUMMER READING challenge

**Come and see Mrs Hogg for a booklet if interested
in joining the Liverpool City Library challenge!**



Welcome!

Are you ready to take the Summer Reading Challenge?

If you haven't already and would like to participate, scan the QR code below to register.

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What's the challenge?

We challenge you to read for at least 20 days over the summer, and if you're over six years old, to draw, write and interview someone.

We challenge you to do as many activities as you can before 4 February 2022.

This summer is the perfect time to read more and read often

Reading is like playing a sport. If you don't train regularly, you'll find it harder to play your best. In the same way if you don't read often, you'll find it harder too. Over the school holidays is a perfect time to strengthen your reading skills.

Enter to win great prizes

This year we'll have two prize draws:

- One prize for 0-5-year-olds; and
- One prize for 6-12-year-olds

You can enter to win by filling in one or more of the entry pages. For participants aged 0-5, we recommend just completing the reading log. For participants aged 6-12, we recommend completing the reading log plus ANY of the additional challenges such as the drawing, writing or interviewing challenge. Return it to your local library by 5pm, 4 February 2022.

Challenge yourself by reading different genres, authors and types

Try something new this summer - it could be an audiobook, a graphic novel or a different author. We've also created lists of great books in the mystery and detective genre, but you can read anything you like.

