



Spelling words Week 7; Your he say well after well

**PLEASE NOTE, THE EXCURSION IS ON THURSDAY 23 NOVEMBER, PARENTS ARE ABLE TO TRAVEL ON THE BUS, BUT IF ANYONE IS GOING BY CAR OR CAR POOLING, THAT WOULD BE GREAT.**

Names of parent helpers are; Mary Jugov-Janiec, Deirdre Mulvaney, Jodie Draper, Lisa Di Toro, Lee Swinger, Julia Pilatti, Eliza Hatton. Thank you to those parents who offered their help.

**COMING EVENTS:**

**Making Christmas Wreaths**

Thanks to those parents who have helped to size and cut the material. Your help was greatly appreciated.

**Edu-Dance; THE COSTUME FOR THE YEAR ONES IS A PLAIN GREEN T-SHIRT AND SWIMMING GOOGLES.** After the Edu-Dance we will continue to wear our green t-shirts and we will provide a Santa Hat.

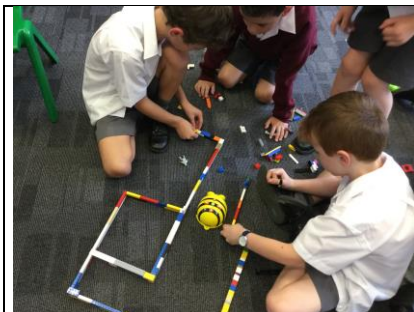
The Year Ones will sing 'Mary's Boy Child' See school newsletter for all details for the evening on the 5 December.



**Geography- What is Weather?**

**This week we will discuss what is Dream Time for the aboriginal Australian.**

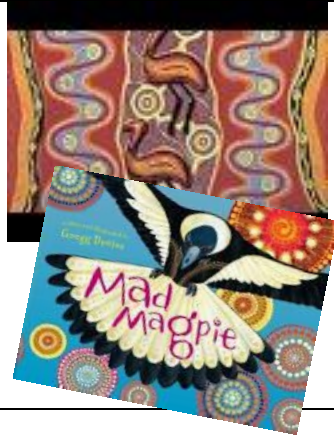
Torres Strait Islander culture is heavily influenced by the oceans, the stars and human interaction with the environment. This week we continue to enjoy some of the Dreaming Stories associated with this region.



**STEAM AND CODING.** (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics.)

**Coding;**

**WE will a continue with devising and implementing grids for our Beebots, this week with a weather theme.**



**Literature/ English.**

Why the Emu Can't Fly.

Long, long ago in the Dreamtime there lived a flock of emus. There was none as cheeky as the emu. One day there was a big race from Uluru to the top of Australia. Birds came from all around the country to be in the big race. They all want their flock to win the race.

Mad Magpie

Mad Magpie tells the story of Guluu, an angry magpie who is being teased by a gang of butcher birds

We will read some more of the Dreaming Stories.



**Religion; 'Prepare'-Advent Christmas.**

**We also begin our practice for the Christmas Concert 'Mary's Boy Child.'**

**Spelling; your he say after well**

SPELLING TEST Monday 27 November.



**Reading. We are currently reviewing our strategies for decoding and hearing each student read individually. The children are making good progress!**

**Parents have asked me about reading during the long summer break. My best suggestion would be to visit libraries and continue to read to and with your child as much as possible. Of the online programmes, the one I recommend is Reading Eggs.**

**Mathematics Our focus for this final term will be Problem Solving and Thinking Mathematically.**



Our focus this week is continue to be Estimating. We will also review Statistics and Probability.

**Learning Sprint Year One Estimating in measuring and number.** In the Western Australian Curriculum, students develop capability in critical and creative thinking as they learn to generate and evaluate knowledge, clarify concepts and ideas, seek possibilities, consider alternatives and solve problems. Estimating is an important part of this. Firstly, we will do some estimating Games and Movement activities. The children will be invited to estimate amounts in a few games and movement activities. We will them move on to more specific activities where the children will estimate a number to fill a space.



Health and Highway Heroes. This week, we talk about GRIT. We discover our CPR tank. Confidence, Persistence, Resilience. We have been enjoying many 'play' games for developing understanding and resilience when things go wrong. What we have learnt so far; it works better when we listen to each other. It works better when we focus on the task. Using these strategies, we avoid bumps becoming hazards!

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