

great JOB

Well done to Room 16 who won the Senior challenge last week! Room 10 also did such a great job with their entries so they received a consolation prize!



Paige & Lillie literally ran over to the office to get their entry in first!



The class was very happy with their hamper!



Room 10's participation in the competition was excellent! Will, Jacob, Liam, Josh & William with their class prize

Warragul & District Specialist School Newsletter

Term 2 , Tuesday 16th June 2020

DATES TO REMEMBER

JUNE

Friday 26th

- Last day of Term 2, early finish 2:00pm

JULY

Monday 13th

- First Day of Term 3

Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

It is great to see our students settled into school after so many changes throughout Term 2. Staff have been busy finishing reports and Individual Learning Plans that will be sent home in the last week of term. Students have been hard at work, getting back into the routines of school and even enjoying some beautiful sunshine as we move into winter!

It has been great to see students out and about for some programs again. Students have enjoyed getting out in the community, using the school buses to travel to local outdoor sites for the purposes of P.E and developmental play. External programs such as Baw Baw Skills Trade Pathway program have restarted this week, with our Senior students.

With some restrictions easing, it is essential that we continue to follow advice regarding health and safety practices. Washing hands and social distancing are crucial to keeping our community safe. It remains essential that students, staff and school community members do not come into the school if they have cold and flu like symptoms.

Once again, we would like to give a big thank you to families and staff who have followed this rule and stayed home, or collected students when they have these symptoms.

Buzz TV is continuing with our return to school, and classes are busy preparing their own segments to appear on this show. The new, student directed Buzz TV will be featured on our school network, rather than from our website, so that we can maintain privacy for our students while engaging them in this program.

Rachel



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Juniors

Room 1

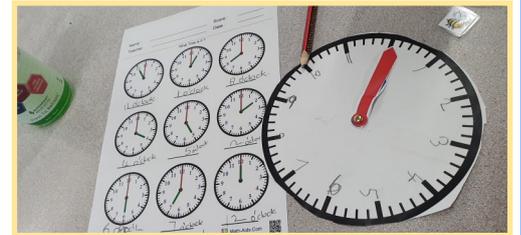
Room 1 have been doing lots of work on 'time' and have been talking about what they do at different times of the day. What do you do in the morning?.....

In the morning I wake up, put deodorant on and sometimes I have a bath or a shower.

By Jayden



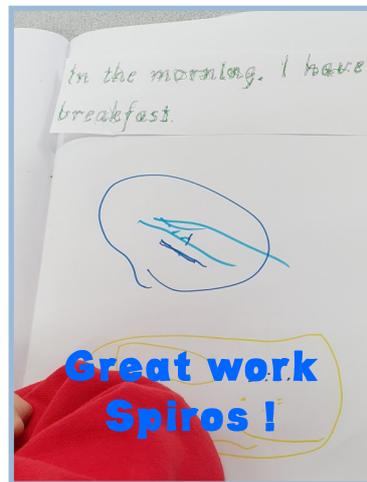
Jayden



Ben made a clock and has been working on his o'clocks.



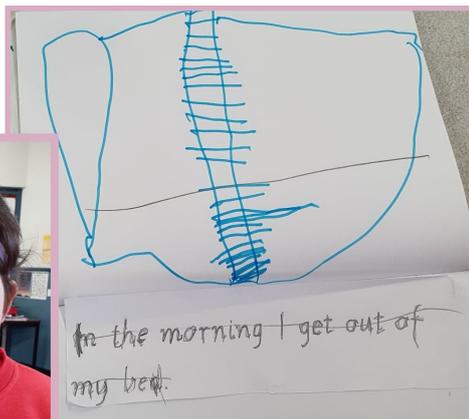
Ben



Great work Spiros!

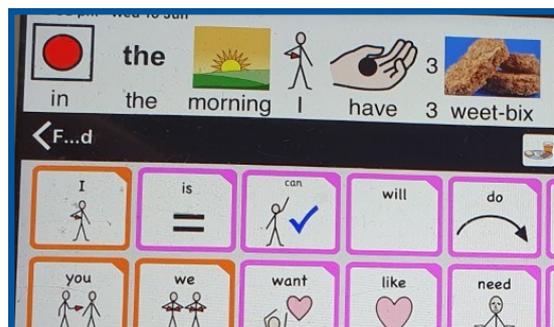


Layla



In the morning I get out of my bed.

Seb



Juniors

Room 8

In Science this term, Room 8 have been learning about weather. We have been recording the weather each day by graphing the number of sunny, cloudy, rainy and windy days.

As well, we have been learning about clouds. We learnt how rain forms within the water cycle by dropping drops of blue food dye into shave cream formed on top of water in a jar. Last week we watched videos of the different types of clouds and had fun making cloud pictures using white fluff.

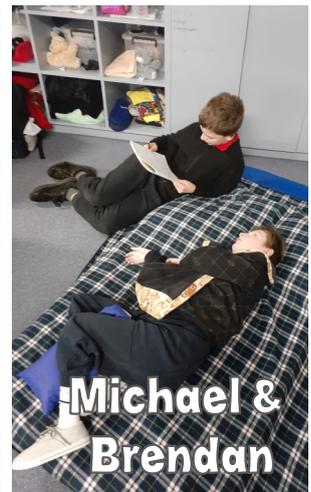
- Bev



MIDDLE SCHOOL

ROOM 21

Room 21 students worked beautifully at home during remote learning but we are all so happy to be back at school and have been enjoying spending time together again. We read the book *Same, Same but Different* and spent time discussing what makes us the same as or different from each other.



Michael has also been working well towards his goal of eating different foods. He said "it tastes awesome". These ones are holy meatballs. The chocolate crackles were pretty good too!

Because our cooking program has changed due to Covid-19 restrictions, we are having microwave meals. They all have different heating times, some we have to open and some we have to pierce with a fork.



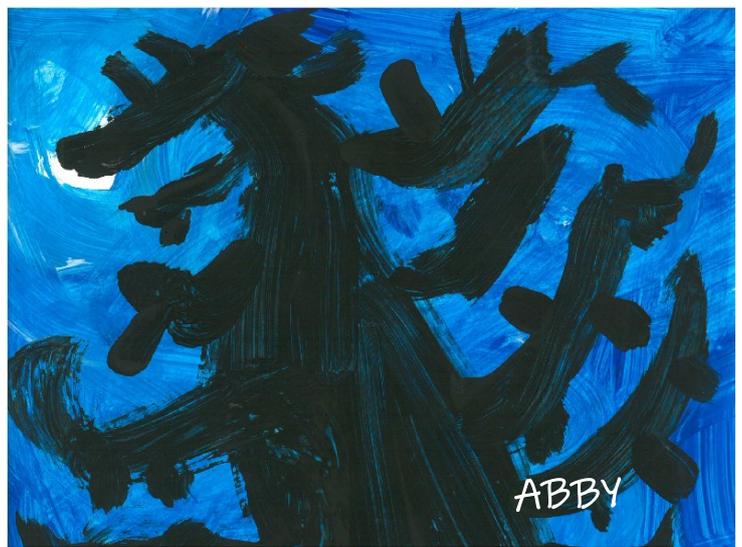
Michael

Seth

SENIORS

Room 11

Room 11 have been very creative this week. They painted some Winter trees and wrote some acrostic poems on 'Winter' to go with the trees.



When
is
Needs
Time
Enjoy
Roles

Bayden



Competition

TIME

We love to see people working together at WDSS - this week's challenge is for Middle School classes.

Complete this Scavenger Hunt with your classmates - the best entry will win a class prize!

Next week we will have a challenge for Junior School.

SCAVENGER HUNT - Same but Different

Photo of two people with the same name



5 different coloured leaves



How many students at WDSS have the name Michael, Alex, Charlie or Josh?

Answer: _____

As many different coloured pencils as you can find



Find two people in Middle School with Birthdays in July

Answer: _____

Name 5 different kinds of balls used in sports

Answers: _____

Find two books by the same author



Name something you eat that is soft

Answer: _____

Name something you eat that is hard

Answer: _____

How many people from your class have pet dogs or cats?

Answer: _____



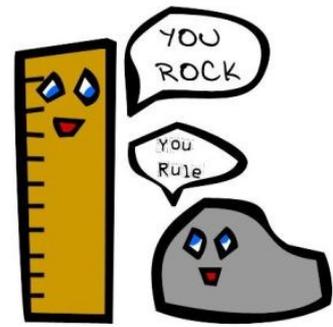
How many people from your class have a pet that doesn't have fur?

Answer: _____



JOKES

of the week



Q:
What would you call
a sleeping bull?

A:
A bulldozer.

Thank you to
Jaime for giving
us her Joke of
the Week!



The

ZONES

OF REGULATION

Daniel created some great artwork based on the Zones of Regulations using the light box - doesn't it look awesome!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Jack



**Happy 15th Birthday
Jack!**



Student Awards

We are Safe, Respectful Learners!



SKYE

Being a **LEARNER** by supporting & encouraging her friends on the yard to make good choices.



IKEY

Being a **LEARNER** following instructions and using his words to communicate



SETH

Being a great **LEARNER** - great work on the footy tips video



MICHAEL

Being a **LEARNER** by using his 'I need to get' prompt sheet.



STUDENT LED AWARD - JACOB

Showing **RESPECT** at school this week.
- nominated by Will



STUDENT LED AWARD - MIKKI

Being a **LEARNER** by being cheerful & working hard when she came back to school



MADDIE

Being a **LEARNER** by doing some great work and settling in so well on her return to school.



CHARLIE

Being a **LEARNER** and working so well in therapy!



SEBASTIAN

Being **SAFE** with his hands and feet inside and outside



JAYDEN

Being a **LEARNER** - great work on his story! !



ABBY

Being a **LEARNER** - participating in fitness.



STUDENT LED AWARD - DANIEL

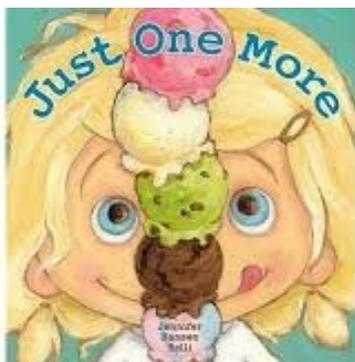
Being **RESPECTFUL** - being kind to another student.
- nominated by Jayden

WORDS OF THE WEEK:



Location of 'more' on homepage of Proloquo2Go.

Please help us practice by using the word **more** in natural communication opportunities.



Click [here](#) to see Bri read

Just One More



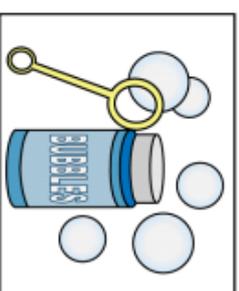


AssistiveWare Core Word Classroom

CORE WORD 5 MINUTE FILLER

BUBBLES

Get out those bubbles and bubble wands, and BLOW!



CORE WORDS	Verbs Describe Quantity Prepositions Questions Pronouns Time	want, go, like, help, stop, need, get, make, see, look, put not, all done/finished, different, good, bad, big, little, high, fun more, some, all on, up, here, there, down, in where, who, where I, you, it, that, them now, again	SOCIAL INTERACTION it fun it is fun because ____. that good/that bad who next? what next? where next?
	NEEDS & WANTS	GETTING & GIVING INFORMATION	
EXAMPLE WAYS TO USE THE WORDS	want want more want different no more, some more not that stop, stop that need help do it again I want more ____. I/you need help. I want go up/down I don't want any more.	look! where go? who can? who can do it? go up, go down, go high it go here, it go there get, get it, get that, put it in I do, I do it, my go now make more, make big/little see, see them I can do it. you can get them. it went on my _____.	