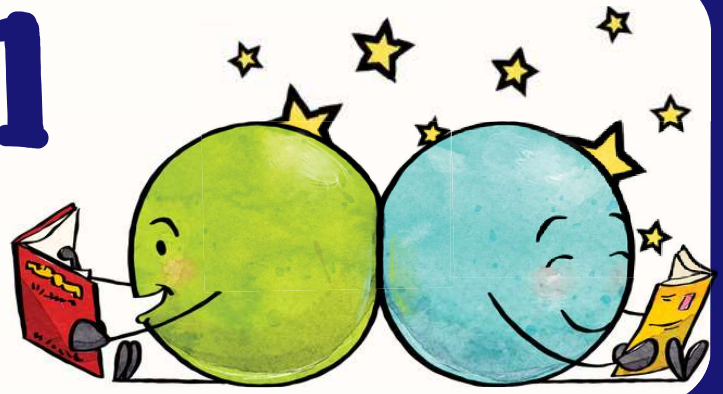




# Year 1 News



Term 3 - Friday 26th July 2024

## Important dates

### July 31st

Belvy Olympics

### August 15th

School Concert

### August 12th-16th

Bullying No Way Week

### August 19th-23rd

Book Week

### August 21st

Book Week Dress up day

### August 29th

Father's Day Stall

### September 11th

Melbourne Museum Excursion

### September 20th

Last Day Term 2

## Reminders

### Nightly Reading

Keep nurturing those wonderful nightly reading routines and watch your child's reading skills flourish!

Teachers will be reviewing reading journals and swapping out books every Friday.

## Term 3 News

Welcome back for another exciting term of learning! Winter is still with us but Spring is just around the corner. We are looking forward to sharing another action packed and fun 10 weeks of learning with all our students and families.

### This Term in:

#### Literacy

Little Learners Love Literacy move on to expanding and consolidating our understanding of the more unpredictable consonant and complex long vowel phonemes (sounds) and graphemes (letters). Resuming our work at stage 7.3 we will be working our way through to stage 7.4 by the end of term. We will also be working on some important comprehension strategies as we transition from learning to read into reading to learn! In writing, our focus will be on writing for a range of purposes, editing our and writing information texts about dinosaurs.

#### Mathematics

During Term 3, Top 10 mathematics we will be exploring multiplication and division through skip counting, making equal groups and repeated addition and subtraction. We will also delve into the world of 2D and 3D shape as well as basic probability.

#### Inquiry - Science and History Dinosaurs

Our Inquiry unit for Term 3 term takes us millions of years back on the timeline into the fascinating and engaging world of dinosaurs. We will look at features, adaptations and classifications of these ancient creatures. Our learning will culminate with an exciting excursion to the Melbourne Museum where students will get to experience a hands on lab about dinosaurs as well as exploring exhibits about dinosaurs and others relevant to this years learning.

#### RRRR

Respectful Relationships Rights and Responsibilities will be covering the important topics of Help Seeking and Gender Identity. These units will help equip our students with an understanding of how to seek help should they need it as well as understanding their unique character strengths, stereotypes they may encounter and the importance of appreciating and respecting other individuals.