Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Student have been learning in class about the Swear By Safety Campaign and the importance of swearing by our education to ensure safety for our future. Through education and trying our best at school we will have career choice in our future. In line with this message it has been so fantastic to have speakers at our assemblies this term teaching us about different career pathways and how education is the key link in all of these facets.

To finalise our learning and start our commitment to swearing by our safety, the school will be holding a swear by safety oath signing event. We welcome all parents and caregivers to come along to this event to help us celebrate. The event will be held on Friday 18 September, from 11:30am-1:00pm. A flyer with more information will be out early next week.

There have been some concerns raised about head lice at our school. Fisk Street Primary School has a strict head lice policy that can be located on our website. Could you please have a look at your child’s hair for head lice and if you do discover any please refer to our policy or come and see our staff for information about treatment.

Mitchell Ollington - Principal

Fisk Street Primary School Awards

Goal: Honesty

Samuel

Elliott

Sarah-Michelle

0407 619 351

Please contact us via the school phone for any of your child’s absences.

Fisk Street Primary School Newsletter

Room 4 - Gavin
Room 6 - Samuel
Room 7 - Elliott
Room 10 - Jayden

Term 3 Week 8

Upcoming Dates:

- 17/9- Art excursion to the cinema
- 18/9- Whole School Yoga
- 18/9-Swear by Safety event
- 23/9 & 24/9- Room 10 Fun Days
Numeracy and Literacy

In Numeracy this term we have had a focus on budgeting as well as continuing to develop our problem solving skills. The students are working on calculating a budget for their market day stalls and working out best buys to maximize their profits. This has engaged students due to its real life application.

We have continued to explore the different problem solving strategies to apply our mathematics skills to life tasks.

In literacy we have continued to develop our spelling through our Sound Waves program as well as our grammar by learning about sentence structure and adding descriptive phrases to our writing. We have covered the reading comprehension strategy of comparing and contrasting to help us identify similarities and differences. We do this by asking key questions, what is the same? Or What is different? We also look for signal words such as whereas, both, similar to, different from or on the other hand. We are currently exploring the structure of persuasive writing and backing up points of view with evidence and reasoning to prepare us to convince Mr Ollington to support our market day stall financially.

This term has been an extremely busy term for Room 4. We have had sports carnivals, book week, Chinese visits, NAIDOC week excursion, choir rehearsals & guitar lessons for some as well as our normal curriculum.

We have had a large focus on setting up our Room 4 market day for next term. This has involved us covering many of our learning areas such as Design and Technology where we have looked at designing business logos and store names, Economics and Business by exploring how to set up a business, researching the market for what to sell, making choices around sustainability and the best decisions on how to make a profit. It has helped our mathematics by making us explore budgeting and best buys. Students are doing persuasive writing having to convince Mr Ollington and Mr Trezise in supporting and financing our ideas.

3D Printing at Stuart High

Desmond and Cody cooking quiches