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THURSDAY: 8 NOVEMBER 2023

Dear CSPS Families,

As we hit the mid point of Term 4, our students are continuing to work hard with their learning, with ongoing focusses around literacy, numeracy, and friendships. We are excited to be planning our end of year events for our students.

Art Trail

Wow! What an amazing afternoon we had for the CSPS Art Trail last Thursday! It was fantastic to see so many students and visitors at our school enjoying and admiring all of the wonderful work. It was great to hear so many positive comments and such great feedback about the event and our school.

Congratulations to the students for producing such brilliant art work throughout the year.

I know that they have been very excited to see it all displayed around the school.

Thank you to Senorita for helping our students to create such amazing work and for coordinating the event, we loved it!

Circus Workshop

Last Thursday all our classes took part in a free Circus Workshop incursion. The students loved seeing the performer demonstrate the circus skills and then teaching them how they are done. The hall was full of fun and laughter as the students practiced their juggling, hula hoops, plate spinning and devil sticks.

Lots of fun was had by all and it was entertaining to watch our students practicing their new skills. Thank you to Ms Douglass for organising this fantastic incursion.

Colour Run

A reminder that we have our School Colour Run booked in for Friday 1st December. Information has been sent home to families and we encourage all students to register for this event. It would be great if students were able to raise some money, even just a small amount, as everything helps us to improve our school.

This should prove to be a fun event that I am sure our students are going to absolutely love! Please see the attached flyer for more information.

End of Year Dates

A reminder that Term 4 is always extremely busy, so please check with your child regularly if they have any notices or information. All events are published in the Newsletter and we endeavour to send reminders through the Sentral App also. Some important dates to be aware of:

Colour Run – Friday 1st December

End of Year Concert – Thursday 7th December

Statewide Transition Day – Tuesday 12th December

Grade 6 Graduation – Thursday 14th December

Grade 6 Fun Day – Monday 18th December

Class Parties – Tuesday 19th December

Last day of School Year for Students – Wednesday 20th December (1:00pm finish time)

Thanks for your support,
Craig



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ART MESSAGE

Dear Families,

The Art Trail was an amazing success and the students absolutely loved showing their families around the school. I am collecting the Coles or Woollies paper shopping bags as the students will convert them into their art folios. They will create them into their folio to take home all their fantastic art work. I would love to collect as many as possible as I need one for every student!

Muchas Gracias
Senorita Castillo

ART TRAIL PHOTOS



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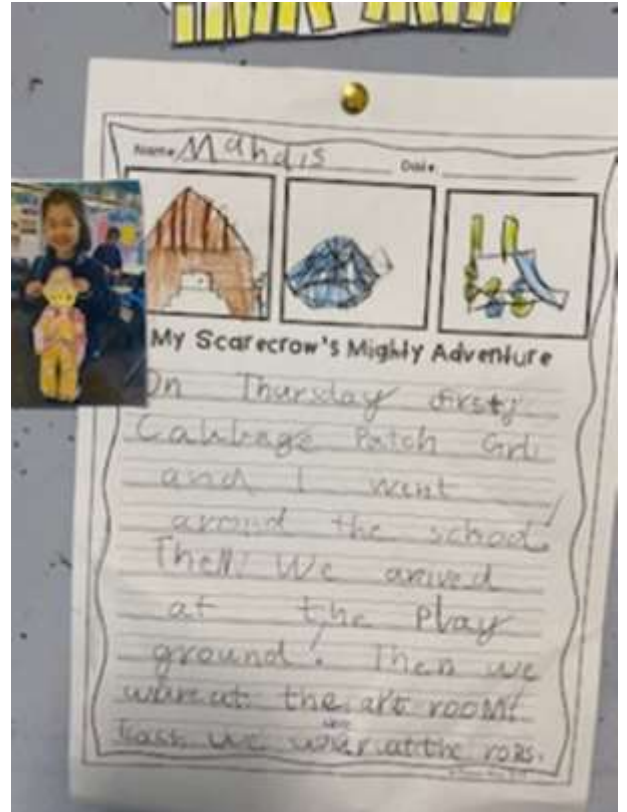
YEAR 1 UPDATE

In Grade 1, we have been learning about personal narratives which includes basic elements to tell a small moment story about ourselves in an order that makes sense. We read the story of The Lonely Scarecrow, made our own scarecrow, and then took them on a playground adventure around the school!





YEAR 1 UPDATE



We wrote about our adventures together



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STEP INTO PREP 2023

Ready Set - Step into Prep!

Step into Prep is an outstanding program designed to prepare your child for school.

The program runs during **Term 4** in our dedicated Step into Prep room or in the Prep classrooms.

Our wonderful, experienced teachers conduct the lessons. The program enables your child to mix and form new friendships with other students who will be coming to Clayton South Primary School in 2024.

Your child will be engaged in educational experiences preparing them for a wonderful school life.

Parents are warmly invited to stay and watch if they choose, and we think it's an excellent way to see the school in action and meet the staff.

This is a FREE PROGRAM for children starting Prep at Clayton South Primary School in 2024.

If you would like to find out more, please contact us on 9558 0599 to reserve your child's place in the Step into Prep program.

PREP 2024 IMPORTANT DATES:

Term 4

October

19th October: Step into Prep 2:30-3:30

November

2nd November: Step into prep 2:30-3:30

16th November: Step into prep 2:30-3:30

30th November: step into prep 2:30-3:30

State Wide Transition: Tuesday 12th December 2023

For 2024 Prep and Year 7 students.

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ADVERTISING



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much for supporting our school to be the best it can be, especially through fundraising. We are currently fundraising towards updating our playground facilities / resources for our students with a Colour Explosion School Fun Run organised through Australian Fundraising!

The Colour Explosion School Fun Run will be on 1st December from 2:00pm to 3:30pm.

- Please make sure students wear a WHITE shirt and closed in shoes.
- Students will be given free sunglasses and a rainbow headband for the event.
- Students will be covered in non-toxic, biodegradable colour powder from head to toe.
- Colour Powder is made of high-quality corn starch and permitted food colours. Safety data is available upon request.

How Do We Fundraise?

Fundraising for our Colour Explosion School Fun Run is entirely online. Follow the instructions in your child's sponsorship booklet to create a cybersafe, online profile page at www.australianfundraising.com.au. At the end of our fundraiser, student's incentive prizes are ordered automatically based on their fundraising total and Golden Coins. Students can earn up to 15 unique incentive prizes!

Please note: all cash donations must be converted to online donations before 1st December. We cannot accept any cash donations for this fundraiser.

Extra Incentives to Fundraise!

- ★ Online Golden Coins – complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.
- ★ Monty the Monstar's Bonus Prizes – achieve milestones to unlock Monty's bonus prizes.
- ★ \$10,000 JB HI FI Spending Spree for one organisation's highest fundraising student – it could be you!
- ★ Our school will win an extra \$5,000 if we have the highest average fundraised amount per student in 2023.



Happy Fundraising!

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