

FOUNDATION NEWS

Term 1 2022

We have had a fantastic start to the new school year. It has been wonderful to see our students displaying many of the learner profile attributes, such as being risk-takers when faced with new challenges. Our students have done a fantastic job adjusting to their new school environment and should be very proud of themselves.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank all of our Foundation families for assisting us with a smooth drop off and pick-up process. Just a reminder that our Foundation students begin full time (including Wednesdays) from Monday 28th February.

UNIT OF INQUIRY

In the coming weeks, our Foundation students will begin their first Unit of Inquiry. Our Central Idea will be:
"Through play we express our feelings and ideas and come to new understandings".

LITERACY

Our Literacy program has been focusing on letters and the sounds associated with these. We have been using the THRASS charts to consolidate our understanding of the alphabet. We have also begun using the SMART spelling program which our students have been working on at home as well.

MATHS

This term in Maths, students will be given opportunities to build on their knowledge of numbers and enhance their counting skills through the use of counting aids, games, songs and craft.

SPECIALIST

Our Foundation students have been enjoying the specialist classes which have been running on Tuesdays. Please remember your child's runners on Tuesdays so they can participate in Sport.



REMINDERS

Don't forget to apply sunscreen, and bring hats and drink bottles each day. We have also begun visiting the library on Thursdays, so our students will need to bring back their library bag each Thursday in order to borrow books.

Please ensure your child comes to school on a Friday with their 'Weekly Words' book.