C1 Class Newsletter

Semester 1 of 2016

To all C1 parents and guardians, this newsletter is a quick overview written by the students of what your child has done in class this semester.
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Assembly

In second term we had our assembly. Our theme was ‘kindness’ and we acted out a play about Daniel Wallace, who introduced the idea of Random acts of Kindness. He was bored one day and from a simple idea, he became famous and even wrote books about it. It was fun to act and everyone got to be in the play or be a narrator if they wanted to. The best bit was when we got to run to our chosen person in the audience and give them a little note and chocolate to show our random act of kindness.

Literacy

In the first and second term, C1 have been writing narratives. C1’s first narrative was set in the forest. The second was based in the desert, and the third in a really cold place like Antarctica! It was fun thinking about all the adventures we could write about. In term two we have written some great poems. Even though we have only done two, I think we did really well.

Each week we also tell stories and learn new spellings. We do guided reading which I do with Jaylah on the computer. We also write recounts about our weekend.

By Casey and Habtum

Science

In term 1 we learnt about living and non-living things. We went outside to find some examples. We found mostly bugs and plants and rocks.

In term 2 we have learnt about space. The earth orbits the sun and the earth spins on it’s axle at the same time. The moon also orbits the earth. We also learnt about day and night.

By Jordan, Nathan and Lior
Excursion.

After the NAPLAN tests, C1 had an excursion to Wireless Hill with B3. We walked along Yagan’s walk and learnt a lot about the ways of the Noongar people. We also learnt all about Wireless Hill and why it was such an important landmark. Learning about the 120m high antenna was really interesting and how it was designed to fall on the buildings if we were invaded. We had lunch and recess there and it was lots of fun.

By Mary and Riley

Humanities and Social Sciences

This term we have been making museums in a box. We chose an old artefact to put in a shoe box and had to write about it. There were some really interesting artefacts. We have also been learning about morse code, who invented it and how it is used. We have also been using the internet to research the history of TV’s, radios and telephones. Lastly, we were lucky that Lewis brought in two amazing pictures of Perth in the early 1900’s. We had to research the time they were taken which was 1907 and 1910. By Tyson.

C Block has been looking after our 3 chickens. We feed them pellets, scraps and seeds. Only one has been laying but on Monday we had some exciting news. We collected 4 eggs. We must be doing a good job!

By Jacie and Imogen