
LIBRARY NEWS - TERM 4

- For library classes ALL children need to have a named library bag. This is important so we can encourage children to respect and look after books.
- **A material supermarket bag is also sufficient to use as a library bag.**

In library classes the children acquire different knowledge, skills and practices using a variety of learning strategies. Children are encouraged to read for enjoyment and pleasure. Literature studies take place during library classes to complement and support the classroom English curriculum.

In Term 4 some of the literature focuses are:

Foundation

Exploring ideas, characters and settings in images, sounds and in a variety of Texts.

Years 1-6

Features of characters in 'short listed' books, Question and Answers using 'Books on Books' and using story books from new book selection. Selecting texts from new books focusing on creative text, story telling, inferring character traits, motivation and actions.

TOWARDS THE END OF TERM, CHILDREN WILL ALSO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO LISTEN/READ CHRISTMAS BOOKS WHERE DISCUSSIONS WILL TAKE PLACE TO IDENTIFY PREDICTABLE TRAITS AND IMAGERY.

BOOK CLUB

Book Club offers students an opportunity to select and purchase books in a wide range of interests and reading levels. Through Book Club, children can develop their reading, enjoyment and understanding of books.

EARLY BIRDS READING

Daily in the library before school from 8.30am to 8.55am.

Reading daily helps your child improve their decoding, fluency and comprehension skills. It also allows for students to use their imagination and develop vocabulary.

Last Week for 'Early Birds' is Week Beginning Monday 2nd December.

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