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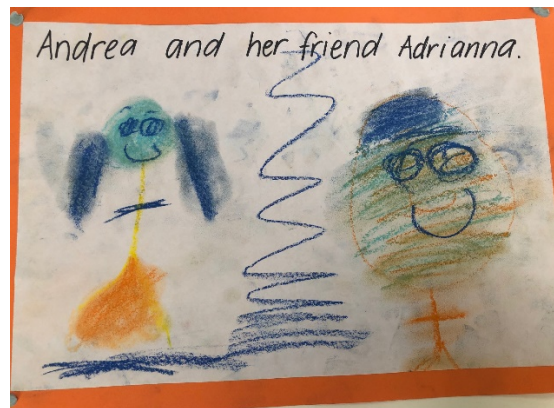
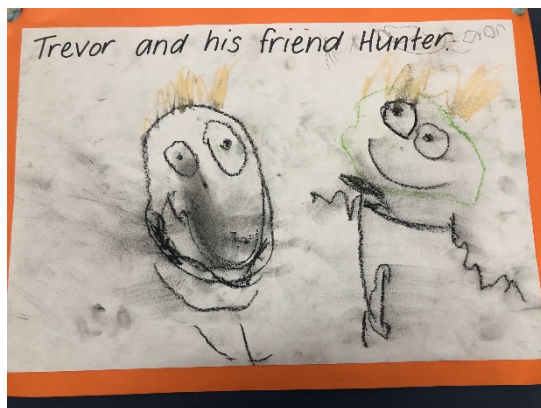
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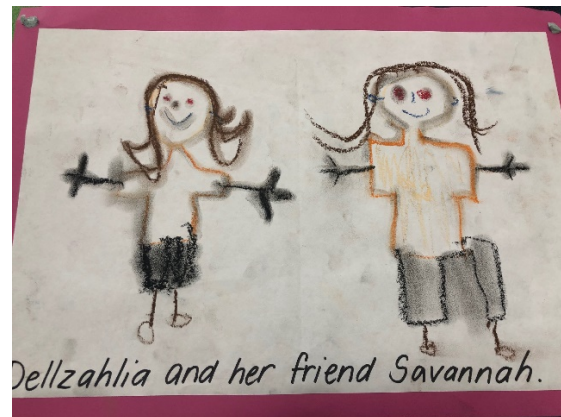
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Dear parents, carers and community members,

Welcome to week 3, Term 1 of the 2019 school year. All of our students have settled in well and are looking wonderful in their school uniforms. Our **Kindergarten students** had a great first full week at school last week and were very helpful to our new Transition students, good job Kinder!





Today we had our first awards assembly for the term and many students were recognised for the learning they are doing at school. Our **'Caught Being A Good Learner'** awards went to: **K/1/2: Leslie McGrady** for following our school values, **Hunter Hippi** for great learning in all areas and **Coreen McGrady** for being respectful at all times. **3/4/5/6: Shyanna Avery** for showing independence as a stage 3 learner and **Donald Simon** for staying on task with his learning.



Students have all been receiving Dojo points in class for following our school values; **'Be a safe, responsible, respectful learner'**. The following students have already received their **25 dojo** sticker for their certificate: **Adrianna Adams, Correen McGrady, Daniel Johnson-Brady, Hunter Hippi, Leslie McGrady, Ricky Adams, Savannah Simon, Shannon Avery, Trevor McGrady, Shane Collins-Adams, Sophia Hippi, Ben Wilkinson, Pepquita Bell, Shantelle Hippi, Gracie Martin, Tasharni McGrady, Shaileigh Avery, Annabelle Johnson-Brady, Danial Khelloul, Shakylah McGrady, Riley Torrens,**

Ponjum Ward, Thomas Harkin, Donld Simon, Shyannah Avery, Katara Avery, Malachi King. Well done to all students, everyone will see your binging on the 25 rock in our river display soon!

An **explanation sheet about our dojo awards system** is attached to this newsletter for your information.

All **parents can connect to our dojo system** to keep in touch with the class and see what your children are doing! Ask our teachers at school.

Our **canteen days are Monday, Thursday and Friday**, these days may be extended if we get more canteen volunteers but at the moment please make sure your children have other arrangements for lunch on Tuesday and Wednesday.

3/4/5/6 Excursion: \$50 DEPOSIT DUE by FRI 22nd FEB to secure a place for your child. The excursion is at the end of this term on 1-3rd April and there will be a payment plan available after the deposit is paid.

'How was your day?' 'Good'is this what your children tell you about school? We have included some possible **questions which may enhance conversations with your children about their school day**. You may be surprised at the responses!

Attached is the school's annual permission note. Could you please complete and return to the office this week if you have not already done so.

Students are doing an excellent job of displaying our school values being safe, responsible and respectful learners. Students on GOLD are: Dellzahlia, Ricky, Shannon, Henry, Hunter, Daniel, Leslie, Savannah, Hunter, Coreen, Trevor, Adrianna, Robert, Katara, Shaileigh, Shyannah, Shane, Thomas, Derek, Shantelle, Sophia, Annabelle, Danial, Malachi, Gracie, Shakylah, Tasharni, Donald, Riley, Izaiah, Ronald, Tayniqueah, Benjamin, Pepquita, Michael, Andre, Priscilla, Andrea, Laquiesha, Alexander, Lillyarnah, Le-ontae, Ameriika.

2019 Swimming Carnival Winning House Chauvel



Have a great week!

Lesley Mills
Principal


50 Questions To Ask Your Kids Instead Of Asking “How Was Your Day”

- 1.What made you smile today?
- 2.Can you tell me an example of kindness you saw/showed?
- 3.Was there an example of unkindness? How did you respond?
- 4.Does everyone have a friend at recess?
- 5.What was the book about that your teacher read?
- 6.What’s the word of the week?
- 7.Did anyone do anything silly to make you laugh?
- 8.Did anyone cry?
- 9.What did you do that was creative?
- 10.What is the most popular game at recess?
- 11.What was the best thing that happened today?
- 12.Did you help anyone today?
- 13.Did you tell anyone “thank you?”
- 14.Who did you sit with at lunch?
- 15.What made you laugh?
- 16.Did you learn something you didn’t understand?
- 17.Who inspired you today?
- 18.What was the peak and the pit?
- 19.What was your least favorite part of the day?
- 20.Was anyone in your class gone today?
- 21.Did you ever feel unsafe?
- 22.What is something you heard that surprised you?
- 23.What is something you saw that made you think?
- 24.Who did you play with today?
- 25.Tell me something you know today that you didn’t know yesterday.
- 26.What is something that challenged you?
- 27.How did someone fill your bucket today? Whose bucket did you fill?
- 28.Did you like your lunch?
- 29.Rate your day on a scale from 1-10.

30. Did anyone get in trouble today?
31. How were you brave today?
32. What questions did you ask at school today?
33. Tell us your top two things from the day (before you can be excused from the dinner table!).
34. What are you looking forward to tomorrow?
35. What are you reading?
36. What was the hardest rule to follow today?
37. Teach me something I don't know.
38. If you could change one thing about your day, what would it be?
39. (For older kids): Do you feel prepared for your history test?" or, "Is there anything on your mind that you'd like to talk about?" (In my opinion, the key is not only the way a question is phrased, but responding in a supportive way.)
40. Who did you share your snacks with at lunch?
41. What made your teacher smile? What made her frown?
42. What kind of person were you today?
43. What made you feel happy?
44. What made you feel proud?
45. What made you feel loved?
46. Did you learn any new words today?
47. What do you hope to do before school is out for the year?
48. If you could switch seats with anyone in class, who would it be? And why?
49. What is your least favorite part of the school building? And favorite?
50. If you switched places with your teacher tomorrow, what would you teach the class?

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR LEARNING REWARDS

1. Earn Binging Stickers when you reach different Dojo Point Levels.

25 Dojo points= 

50 Dojo points= 

75 Dojo points= 

100 Dojo points= 

2. Stick your Binging Stickers on your own mini Rocky River Background when you earn them each term.



3. Earn a different Binging Badge each term when you reach 100 Dojo Points.



Term 1



Term 2



Term 3



Term 4

4. Show your progress on the outdoor sign by moving your individual Binging Magnet to indicate how many Dojo Points you have earnt.

