

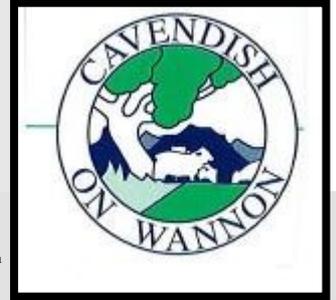
CAVENDISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

29/5/2020

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Principal's Notes:

Dear parents and friends,

Well, we have had some very excited Year 1/2 children return to school this week. They have been bubbling with enthusiasm as they returned to their classroom and have certainly enjoyed each other's company. The playground has been alive with the sounds of their games, especially as they are almost the only students present. Ms Ferrier has been happy to have them back rather than seeing them through a screen. We have also welcomed back Gwyn. It has been a year since she has last been at our school but she has quickly re-established her old friendships and it's like she was never away. It is only another week of remote learning for the remainder of our students—hang in there everyone!

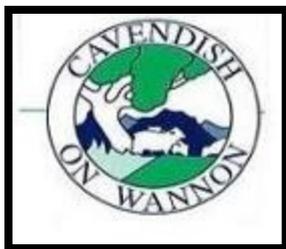
The children have quickly adapted to our new routines, with the different entry/exit doors, regular hand hygiene and rules on sharing of resources. Everyone has been following the guidelines to help keep our school as safe as possible. Thank you to all families for following the rules and not entering the school grounds. We remain open to communication with families but it must follow the protocols.

The annual national Simultaneous Story Time reading occurred, with the children at school enjoying a reading of the book *Chicken Divas* courtesy of Miss P. Children at home were able to hear it via Seesaw. We have two copies of this book for immediate borrowing.

Enjoy your weekend and continue to stay safe,

Anthony Hill

Stop Press:- We have just been informed that Cavendish PS will receive a substantial amount of money to go towards maintenance of grounds and buildings. More information to follow when we receive it.



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JUNE 2020

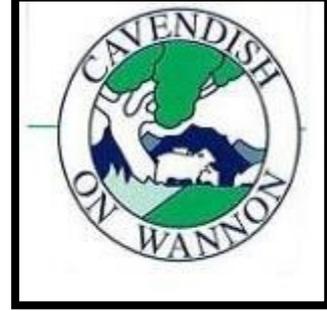
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Regional cross country— Wannanool	2	3	4 Fisteddod— Music	5	6
7	8 Queen's birthday holiday	9 YEAR 3/6 STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL	10	11	12	13
14	15 Fisteddod— speech & drama	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Reports sent home	26 Final day of term 2.	27
28	29 Term holidays	30 Term holidays				

JULY 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Term holidays	2 Term holidays	3 Term holidays	4
5	6 Term holidays	7 Term holidays	8 Term holidays	9 Term holidays	10 Term holidays	11
12	13 Start of term 3	14	15	16	17 School photos	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



Happy children back at school!



SCHOOL COUNCIL

Michael Todd: President

Simon Thomas: V/President

Alicia Lewis: Secretary

Lisa Ferrier: V/ Secretary

Sally Purnell: Treasurer

Ben Cross

Karl Price

Callie Leese

Anthony Hill

Nikaila Glenn

STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM

Holly Quinn & Logan Lewis -
School Captains

Heath Baker & Kaidyn Roberts
- Presidents JSC

Samantha Gribbin—Music
Captain

Samantha Gribbin & Heath
Baker—Wannon House
Captains

Holly Quinn, Kaidyn Roberts
& Logan Lewis - Glenelg
House Captains

Sydney Todd, Ruby Packman
& Justin Coates -Bus Captains

Isabel Hurley & Talia Price —
Library leaders

PARENTS' CLUB

Presidents Trish Hurley

Vice Presidents Kate Thomas &
Didi Todd

Secretary Merryn Coughlin

Uniforms Alicia Lewis

2020 calendar

June

- Monday, 8th** - Queen's birthday holiday
- Tuesday, 9th** - Year 3/6 children return to school
- Thursday, 25th** - Mid year reports sent home
- Friday, 26th** - Last day of Term 2

July

- Monday, 13th** - First day of term 3
- Friday, 17th** - School photos

August

- Monday, 3rd
Monday)** - Pupil-free day (Sheepvention

September

- Friday, 18th
dismissal)** - Last day of term 3 (2.30pm

October

- Monday, 5th** - First day of term 4
- Thursday, 22nd** - Dress Up day for Book Week

November

**Tuesday, 2nd
Geelong ?**

- Year 5/6 BioCats excursion—

Tuesday, 3rd

- Melbourne Cup holiday

Friday, 20th

- Pupil-free day

23rd-27th

**- First week of swimming
program—HILAC**

December

1st to 4th

**- Second week of swimming
program—HILAC**

Tuesday, 8th

- Year 6 orientation day

Friday, 11th

- Swimming carnival—Balmoral

Wednesday, 16th

**- Presentation evening—Cavendish
Hall 7pm**

Notices distributed at school this week:

- Year 6 transition notes**

School Mission Statement: Cavendish Primary School provides a warm, friendly and caring environment that enhances and challenges learning, personal growth and well-being of students. The school has high expectations for staff and students and aims to create a stimulating and supportive environment for all its students to excel in their learning and personal growth.

Return to school information

Monday, 25th—Pupil-free day

**Tuesday, 26th—Year 1/2 return to school
(Year 3/6 continue remote learning).**

**Tuesday, 9th June—Year 3/6 return to school
(after Queen’s birthday holiday).**

ARRANGEMENTS FOR 26th MAY TO 9th JUNE

For those students who cannot be supervised at home, the existing model of on-site supervision will remain in place during the two-week period from Tuesday 26 May to Tuesday 9 June. **The current process that we are using to enable parents and carers to indicate the days or part-days for which on-site schooling is required will continue for this two-week period.**

All other students in these year levels will continue learning from home until Tuesday 9 June.

Once a year level has returned, all students will be expected to attend school as normal. This means if you choose to keep your child/children home after their year level has returned to on-site schooling, **we can no longer support their learning from home.**

This does not apply to children who need to be absent for health or medical reasons. For those families, please contact us so we can make an appropriate plan.

This same approach is being taken by all government schools in Victoria.

To support the health and wellbeing of all our students and staff, our school will continue an enhanced cleaning routine and will encourage frequent hand washing.

If your child is ill or is feeling unwell, they must not attend school. They must remain home and seek medical advice.

While the Chief Health Officer has advised that **students will not be required to maintain physical distancing** at school, there will be a number of important changes to our school operations, consistent with health advice. This will apply until further notice.

These will include:

- **restrictions on access to the school site for anyone other than immediate school staff and students;**
- **no morning assemblies to be held;**
- **students will be instructed to wash and/or sanitise hands at the start of the day, prior to fruit, prior to recess, end of recess, before lunch and the end of lunch play (as well as any time after using the toilet of course). These are the minimum requirements we will be enforcing. Soap is always available in the toilets and hand sanitiser is available in all classrooms and outside the office;**
- **extra cleaning will occur. There will be two complete school cleaning programs each day, with a specific focus on contact surfaces such as tables, chairs, hand-rails, doorknobs, etc;**
- **Sharing of equipment will be minimised (pencils, scissors, etc). Students will have their own materials;**
- **Year 1/2 will use their classroom door (near bag lockers) for entry/exit; Year 3/4 will use their classroom door; Year 5/6 will use the library door. This will limit crowding and contact during movement in and out of the buildings;**
- **no access to bubble taps. These have been fenced off. Students will be required to have their own water bottles. Staff will refill bottles during breaks when required;**
- **we held parent / teacher interviews just before the lockdown so we won't be holding any further interviews this term unless a parent requests an appointment with a class teacher to discuss a report. These must be booked in advance and social distancing measures will take place. Student reports will go home at the end of term but will be modified to reflect the limited teacher assessment possible during the remote learning period;**
- **school buses will run as usual. Bus travellers will be released first at 3.25pm. Other students will remain in the building until the bus travellers have boarded.**

Welcome back!



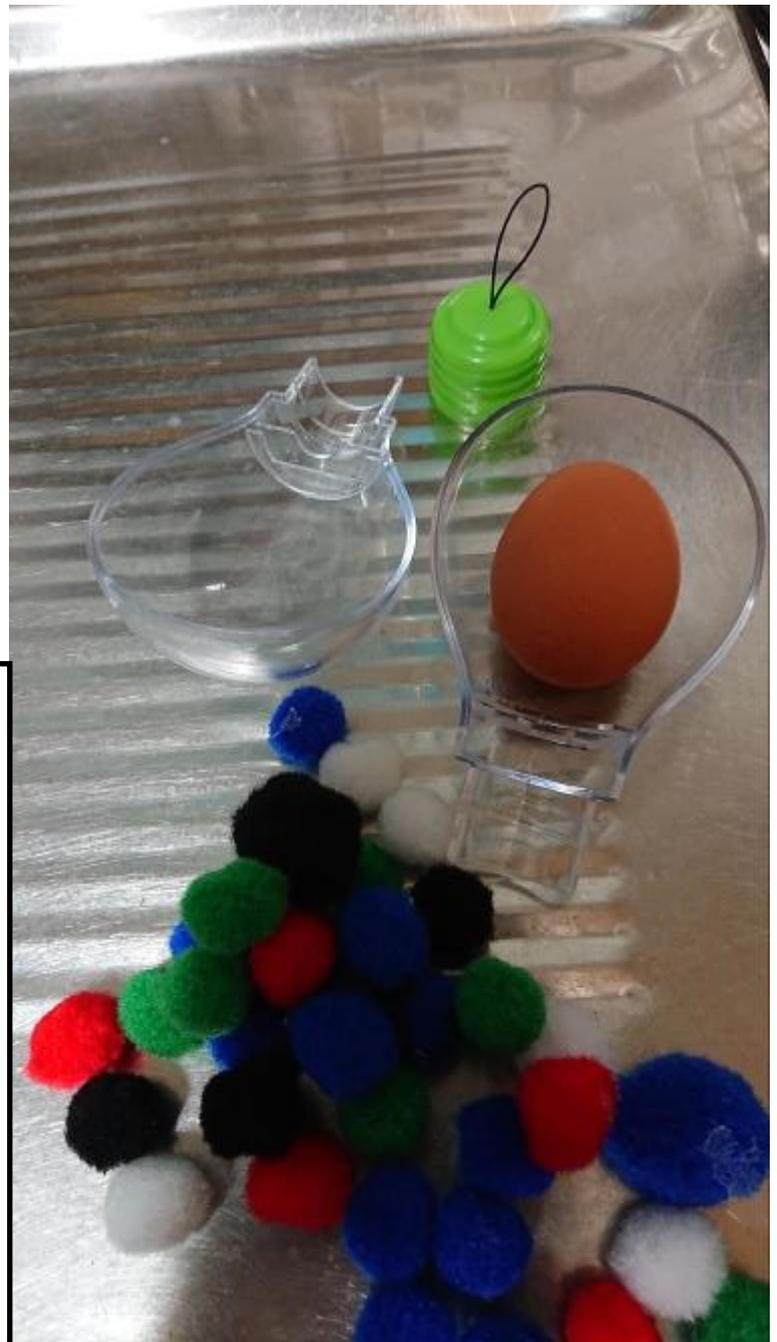








Justin is ready
to do his egg
drop!



No, the egg
did not
break!



Darcy busy with his cooking
(a new Cavendish celebrity chef?)

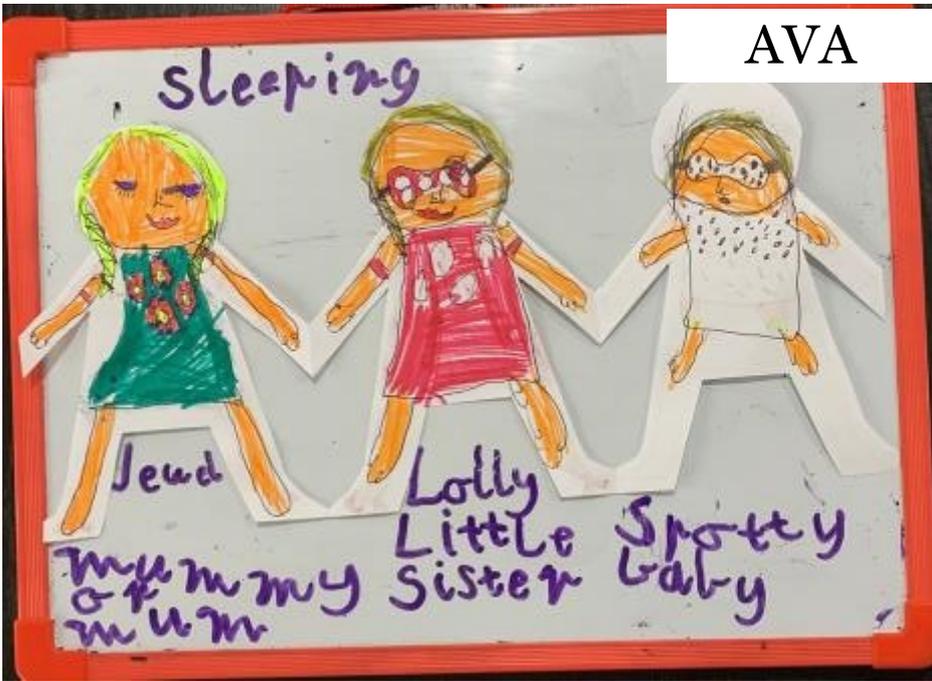


Pippa
posted a
photo on
Seesaw
to show
her class
her new
puppies.
Very
cute!



The Thomas
crew have been
busy staying
active!

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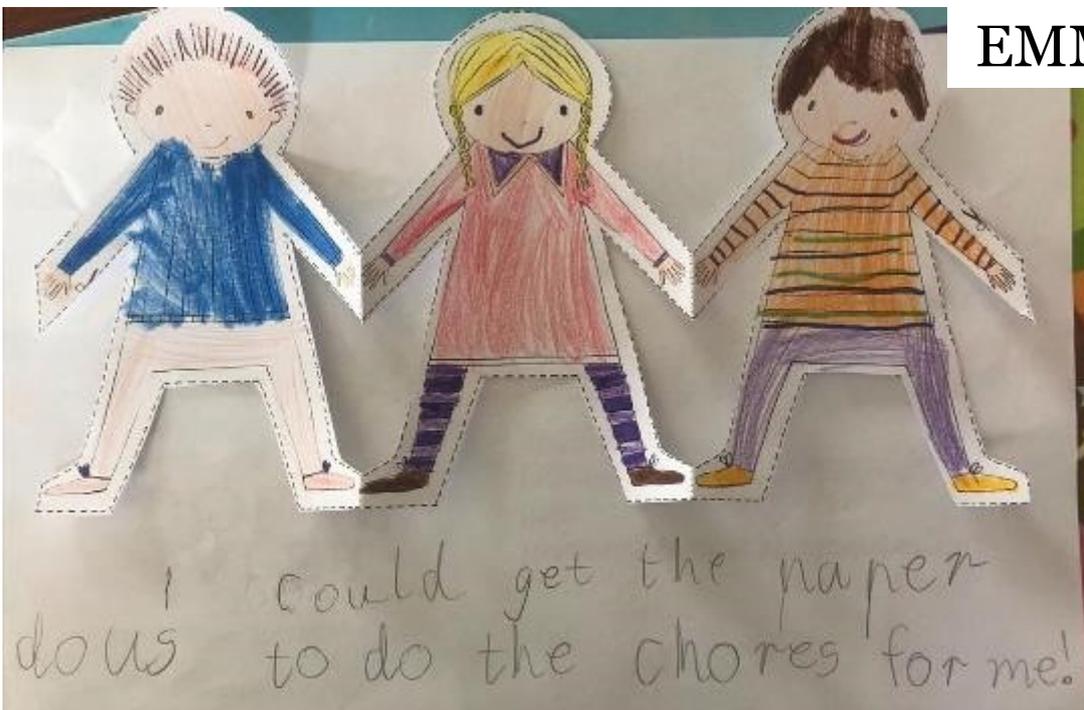


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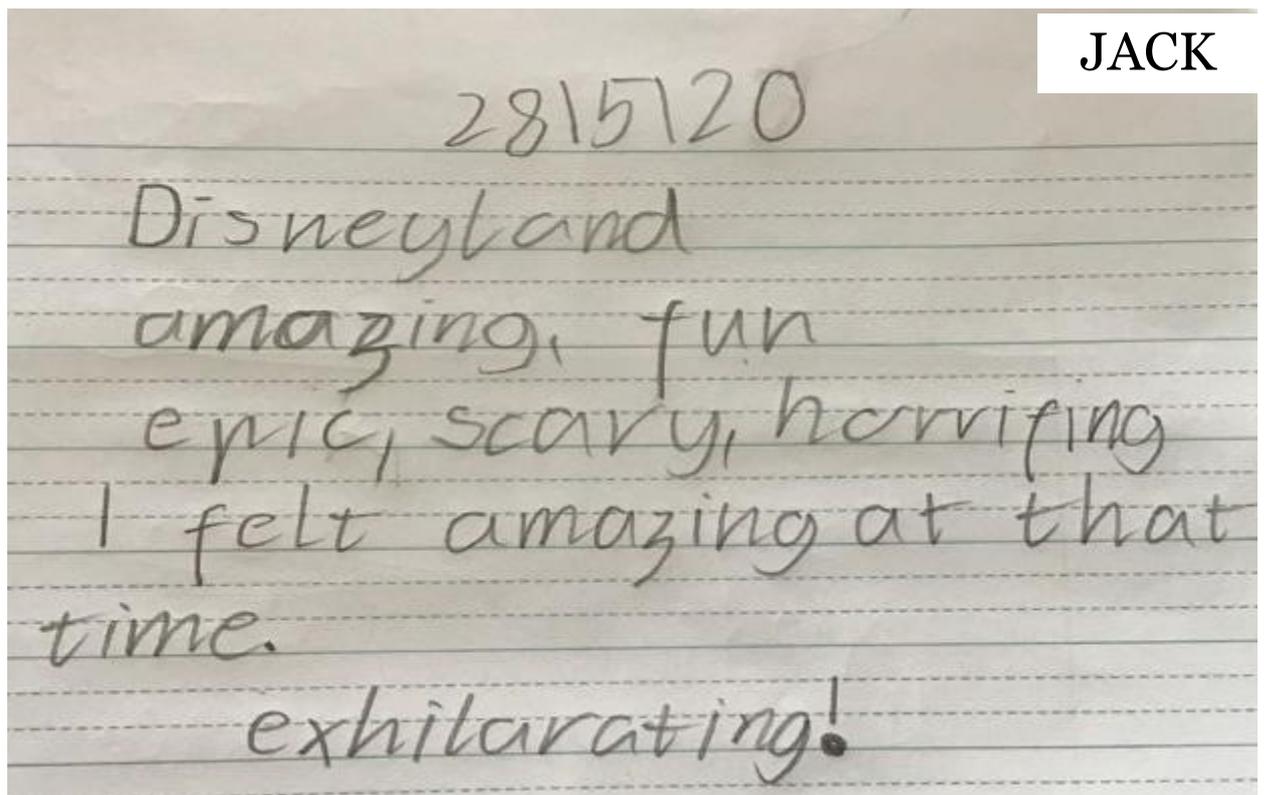
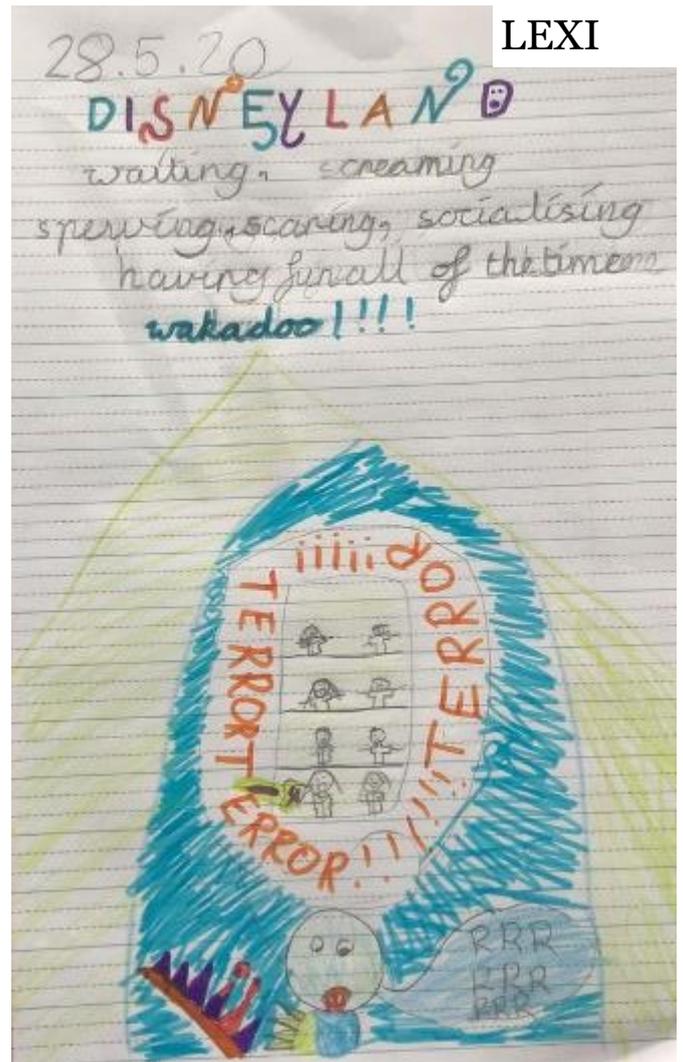
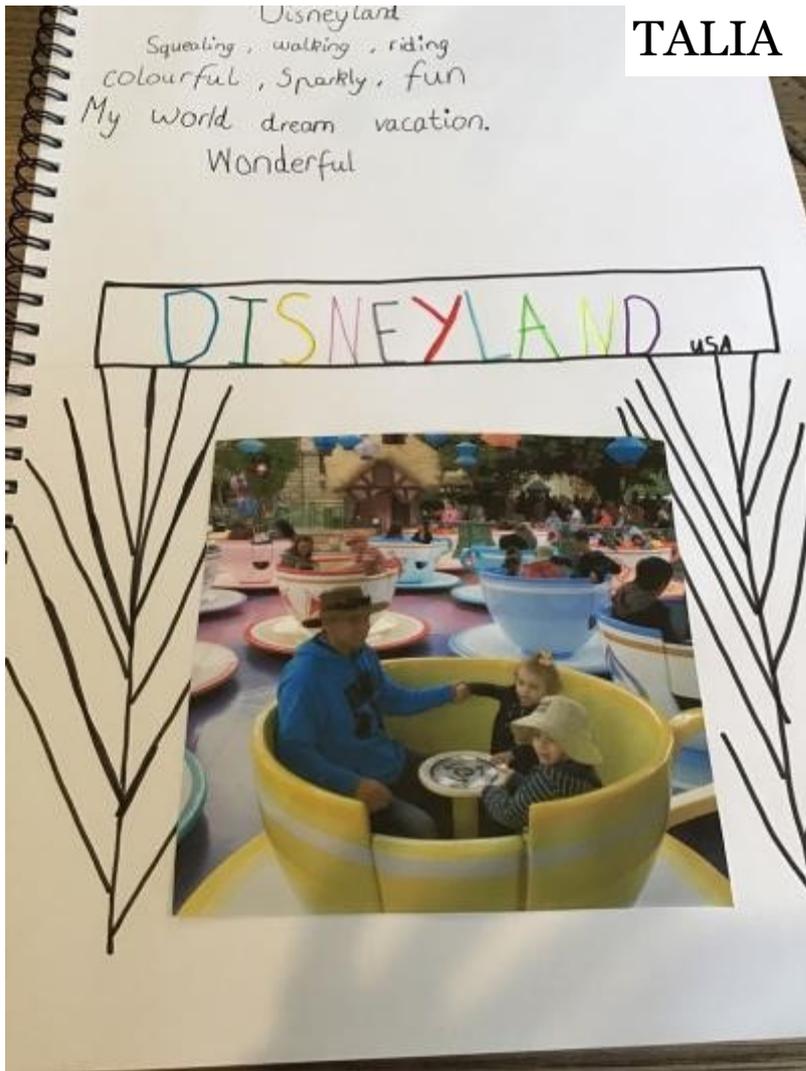
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EMMA



Years 3/4—Disneyland



Disneyland 28/5/2020

By Mia Baker

Gr 3/4

Disneyland

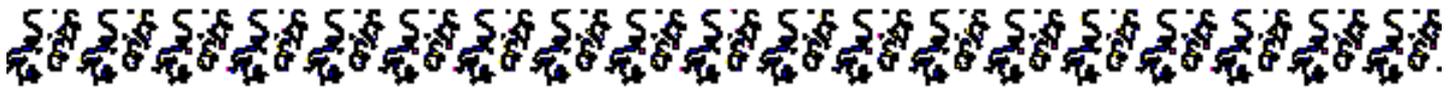
Smiling, watching, giggling,

Amazing, beautiful, fantastic,

My favourite place in the whole world

Awesome!!





DISNEYLAND!!!

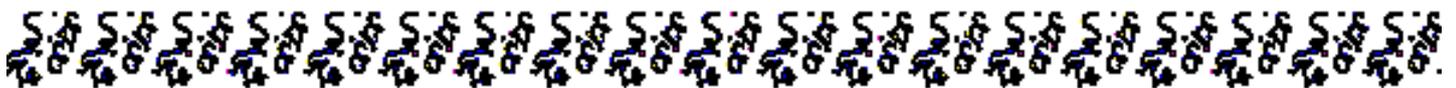
Riding, Screaming, Playing
Amazing, Wonderful, Funny

I want to go every day

!!!INCREDIBLE!!!



By Holly Lewis



Wash your hands!



We have soap in the toilet troughs and hand sanitiser stations all over the school.

Welcome back Mr Porter



**MARC
VAN**



NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORY TIME WEDNESDAY 27TH MAY



Tina Turner visits Caven- dish! Can't wait for the whole school Nutbush dance when everyone returns.





**Year 1/2
back to
busi-
ness!**

Some tips for home learning

How you can support your child

You can support your child by:

- having a routine and setting expectations
 - making sure your child has a space to work in
 - providing a level of supervision suitable to your child's stage of development
 - monitoring communications from teachers
 - checking in with your child often to help them manage and pace their work
- monitoring how much time your child is spending online.

YOUR CHILD'S RESPONSIBILITIES DURING REMOTE LEARNING

You should change these responsibilities according to the age and stage of your child.

Your child's responsibilities include:

- regularly monitor digital platforms for announcements and feedback from their teachers
- do their best work by completing tasks with integrity and academic honesty
- do their best to meet timelines and due dates
- communicate openly with their teachers and tell them if they have any concerns or issues
- collaborate and support their classmates

continue to abide by their school's behaviour guidelines.

SETTING UP A LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Every home is different but it's important to provide a quiet and comfortable space in which to learn.

Where possible, extended learning should take place in a space your family shares. For example, a lounge room or dining room. These spaces are preferable over a bedroom, where your child can feel isolated and supervision can be more challenging.

It should be a place:

- that can be quiet at times
- that has a strong internet signal, if possible

where you or another adult is present as you would normally when your child is online, dependent on age

ESTABLISHING ROUTINES AND EXPECTATIONS

Start and end each day with a check-in to help your child:

- clarify and understand the instructions they get from their teachers

help them organise themselves and set priorities for their learning at home.

A healthy daily routine is great for mental and physical health, as well as concentration and learning.

Encourage regular exercise breaks. This might mean going for a walk, using exercise DVDs and apps, dancing, floor exercises or using home exercise equipment.

Encourage healthy eating habits and make sure they drink enough water.

Communicating with your child

We encourage you to start and finish each day with a simple check-in. These check-ins can be a regular part of each day.

Morning check ins

In the morning, ask:

What are you learning today?

What are your learning targets or goals?

How will you be spending your time?

What resources do you need?

What support do you need?

Afternoon check-ins

In the afternoon, ask:

What did you learn today?

What was challenging? You could come up with a way to deal with the same problem if it comes up again.

Consider three things that went well today. Why were they good?

Are you ok? Do you need to ask your teacher for something? Do you need help with something to make tomorrow more successful?

These questions allow your child to:

- process the instructions they get from their teachers
- help them organise themselves and set priorities.

You could also check-in with your child throughout the day. This depends on your child's needs.

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

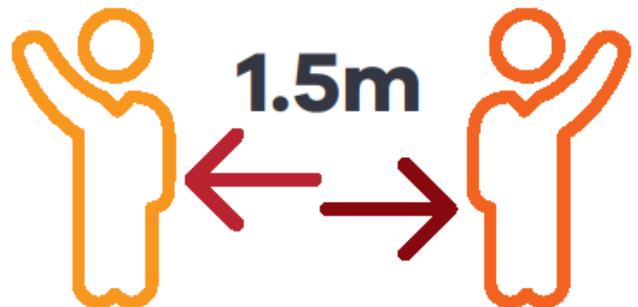
If you are unwell, please stay at home.

The greatest risk of transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19) is between adults. Please follow these physical distancing measures:

- avoid gathering in a group inside or around the school



- keep 1.5m between yourself and other adults



- avoid handshakes and hugs



- wash your hands regularly.



CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESTRICTIONS REMAIN IN PLACE

If you are unwell, please stay at home.

Please do not enter if you have any of the following symptoms:

- fever
- shortness of breath
- flu-like symptoms such as coughing, sore throat or runny nose.



Protect yourself and your family

Wash your hands regularly



1 Wet your hands.

Put soap on
your hands.



2

Rub the soap over all
parts of your hands for
at least 20 seconds.



3

Rinse your
hands under
running water.



4

Dry your hands thoroughly
with disposable paper towel
or hand dryer.



5

Stay germ free and healthy

Protect yourself and your family

Cover your cough and sneeze



1

COVER your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze.

Put your used tissue in the rubbish **BIN**.

2



3

If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve or elbow, **NOT YOUR HANDS**.

WASH your hands with soap and running water. Dry your hands thoroughly with a disposable paper towel or hand dryer.

4



Stay germ free and healthy

MORE INFORMATION

More information about the return to school and coronavirus (COVID-19) can be found on the Department's website, which will continue to be updated:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/departments/Pages/>

National Simultaneous Storytime 2020



The poster features a dark purple background with a large, glowing globe in the center. The globe is covered in a grid of small, colorful squares. The text 'WHITNEY and BRITNEY' is written in a playful, colorful font at the top of the globe. Below it, 'CHICKEN DIVAS' is written in a large, elegant, purple serif font. At the bottom of the globe, the author's name 'Lucinda Gifford' is written in a smaller, white font. To the right of the globe, there are two stylized, colorful chickens: one is pink with a large, ornate flower on its head, and the other is blue with a large, ornate flower on its head. The text 'NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME' is written in a bold, white, sans-serif font on the left side of the poster. Below it, the date 'Wednesday 27 May 2020' is written in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. At the bottom left, the website 'www.alia.org.au/nss' and the hashtags '#NSS2020' and '#1millionkidsreading' are written in a white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, there are logos for the Australian Library and Information Association, Scholastic, and Lianza.

NATIONAL
SIMULTANEOUS
STORYTIME

Wednesday 27 May 2020

www.alia.org.au/nss
#NSS2020 #1millionkidsreading

WHITNEY and BRITNEY
CHICKEN
DIVAS
Lucinda Gifford

Australian Library and Information Association SCHOLASTIC LIANZA

This year NSS takes place on **Wednesday 27 May 2020 at 11am (AEST)** and we would love it if you could join us by sharing **Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas** written and illustrated by Lucinda Gifford.

Fry's Spelling Word Lists

If you have misplaced your Fry's Spelling Words you can now access them online, on our school website cavendishps@vic.edu.au

under the following tabs:-

Learning

Students

Student Information

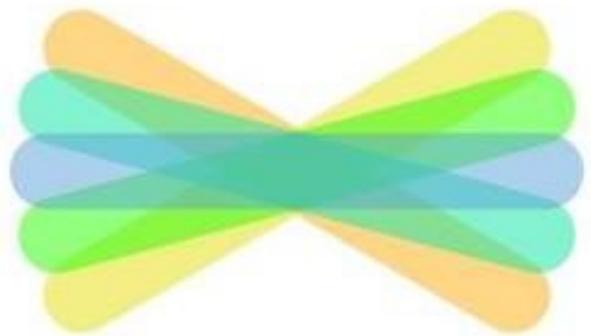
You can print the lists off at home if required

Seesaw

The children add examples of their work onto their Seesaw account.

Families are able to access their child's/ grandchild's accounts

and see what work they are doing at school. This can be done on computers, smart phones and tablets. Ask your child's teacher if you need a new log-in QR code.



SEESAW

EGGS FOR SALE

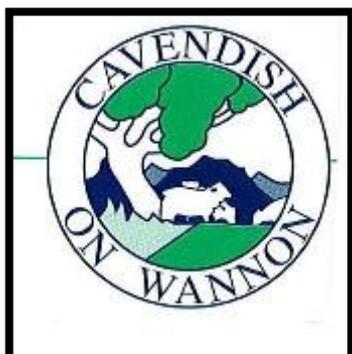
Families are reminded that we have fresh chooks eggs for sale from our school chooks. \$3 per dozen or \$2 for a 1/2 dozen.



We thank the following businesses and organisations for their sponsorship and support of the School and we encourage all school families to support the businesses and clubs that support the school.

Kerr & Co, Techwool Trading, Mibus Bros. Portland, Coates Electrical, Nutrien Ag Solutions Hamilton, Hamilton Produce, LA Walkers Mitre 10, Coles Supermarket, Dunkeld & District Community Bank ®, Lions Club of Cavendish, Bunyip Hotel, Bridge Café, Toyworld, Cavendish Community Service, Tops n Tails

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Birthdays for June

2nd—Addison



If anyone has questions in relation to Parents' Club events or meetings please contact President - Trish Hurley on 0411 197 222

School Bank Account Details:-

BSB: 633000

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Visit our school web page and

Facebook page!!

You can access our newsletters and look for upcoming events on the webpage and see a range of photos of the students on our Facebook page.

www.cavendishps.vic.edu.au