

Performing Arts

Jo Brus &
Jess Vincent



This semester all students had the opportunity to develop their knowledge of the elements of drama and music, in readiness for a live performance of 'Moon Radio Hour' in week 9. Learning included creating a march inspired by an animal, layering composed music as 'human samplers', choreographing moves for 'Bye Bye Blowfly' and adding sound effects to Space stories they'd written.
Phew! We've been busy!





Japanese
Jess Vincent &
Sally Ringvall

It has been a busy term in the Japanese room!

In week 3 students had the opportunity to attend the Wasabi Kids cultural incursion. The performance was an exciting addition to our classroom learning program!



We have been excited to see many students continuing with their hiragana learning this term. We have awarded more Hiragana Master certificates and have even had a few students pass our new challenge to become Hiragana Reader Champions! Keep up the great work everyone and have a lovely "yasumi" (holiday).

Creative Arts

Kelly Rivett



This term students have been preparing artworks for our SALA exhibition in August. They have been exploring the theme 'Grow' through various forms of sculpture, painting, mixed media and digital artworks.



Animation

The Year 1/2 students have been exploring different types of animation. They have been combining Performing Arts, PE and Creative Arts knowledge to making sports balls talk.



Thinker of the Term

Each week, students have the option to do a Think Outside the Box digital art challenge in their Creative Arts Seesaw Class. Each week winners are selected as Thinkers of the Week for the detail or imaginative ideas. In Term 1, Martheena E. completed all ten challenges and was named Thinker of the Term.



Physical Education

Luke Braithwaite,
Kelly Rivett &
Sally Ringvall



Reception PE - With Kelly Rivett & Sally Ringvall

This term the Reception students have been working hard at strengthening their throwing and catching skills. We have been exploring chest passes, with a strong focus on accuracy. Students have really enjoyed using a range of different sporting balls and participating in various activities and games.



All the other years - with Mr Braithwaite

PE classes have been full of active and dynamic experiences. We've focused on team games that enhance agility, communication, and peripheral vision. We've also worked on specific skills in soccer, netball, and basketball, while emphasizing the importance of general fitness through warm-up runs and skipping. It has been a productive and enjoyable 1 am super proud of the progress the students have made in their physical abilities and teamwork skills.



Library

Amy Gale



Building works

You may have noticed our school library space has been a little cramped this year with half of the space undergoing building works.

However, we will soon be able to reveal our new and exciting space. Don't worry, our beloved jetty isn't going anywhere.

Stay tuned!



These students were also treated to an excursion to the Bay Discovery Centre where they could examine primary sources of information and learn from the City of Holdfast Bay historians.

Inquiry learning

This semester our Year 2s and 3s have been extending their HASS learning in weekly library lessons.

Students loved learning about the history of Glenelg Primary School and how technology has changed over time. They loved playing with and learning about the rotary phone, typewriter, phonograph, and even the now 'old school' Walkman and overhead projector!

