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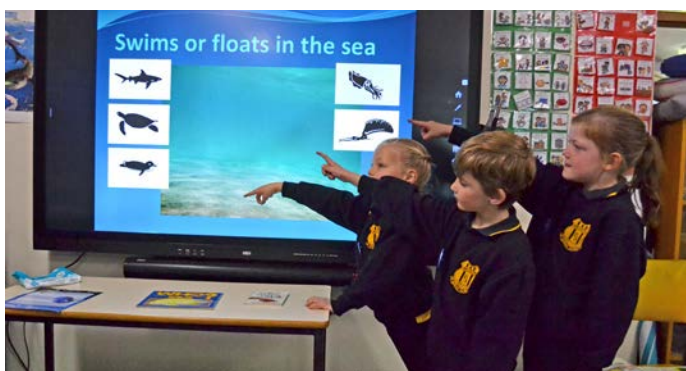
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HAPPY SCIENCE WEEK!



All of our students have been busy this week completing Science activities with Mr Strachan around the theme Deep Blue: innovation for the future of our oceans.

Thanks to Mrs Munro, we received a grant for National Science Week, which included a SPECTRA kit designed by the Australian Science Teachers Association with a range of activities and some badges which all students received.





Corowa Connects

with Mrs Baily & Willow

From Week 6 - Border changes to affect non-border bubble residents

Due to changing border restrictions expected next week, we will be implementing a few changes in classrooms and to the programs we can offer. Students and staff who live outside the 'border bubble' will return to remote learning. This is not ideal for the handful of families and staff members who will be impacted, but we will support them as much as possible with their learning, social connection, check-ins and everything else we can possibly do.

At this stage, the Wallaby and Echidna class will have a change in teacher and to accommodate the staffing changes, some internal programs will be placed on hold. Please be assured that the quality of learning will not be impacted and I, as the Principal, am working very hard to have the situation looked at by those who work along

side the Departments of Health and Education.

We will keep you informed of any new developments.

Keep informed with Department guidelines

By this time, you will have received school guidelines set out by NSW Department of Education which follows protocols advised by NSW Health. Please read these at your earliest convenience so that you are aware of changes, responsibilities and procedures on keeping our community safe.

Check In assessment

Today our Year 5 students completed their Check In assessments and Year 3 will do so at the end of the term. This is a snapshot of their progress in learning and supports many of the programs we run throughout the school.



Kangaroos make Math fun!

Kangaroo students teamed up to play Math learning games in class this week! Who knew Math could be so fun!

Positive participation in Blue Earth

Congratulations to Sugar Glider student, Brayden, and all students who received encouragement awards this week for their participation in our Blue Earth active lifestyle program!



Wallabies work on understanding time

This week our Wallaby students improved literacy skills and deepened their understanding of time by writing sentences about time periods including morning, afternoon, evening and night.



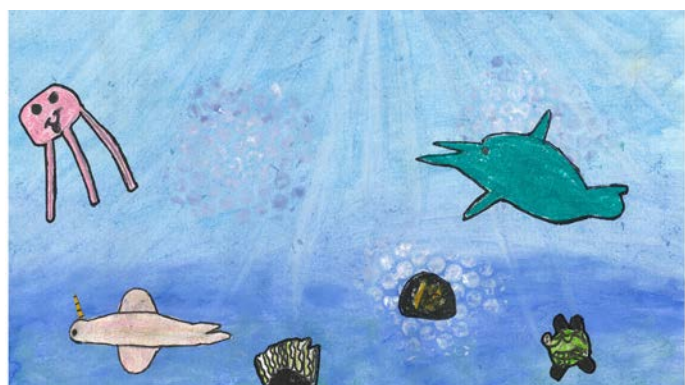


Kindergarten practice Math skills

Our Kindergarten students have been working hard in class this term to ensure continued progress in their learning. This week they incorporated writing activities into their Math sessions and played fun educational games.



CHECK OUT THESE FANTASTIC ARTWORKS BY THE PLATYPUS CLASS!





Platypus' practice forced perspective

As part of their Art studies on digital photography, Platypus students have been learning about forced perspective. Their most recent efforts at this photography style are fantastic!



**MUFTI
DAY**
MONDAY
7 SEPTEMBER



Quokkas work it out

Quokka students worked on their understanding of integer numbers and the process of rounding numbers up and down in class this week.





SCHOOL PHOTOS

Tuesday 8 September

Canteen news!

Due to current circumstances, please expect fluctuations in our canteen menu options.

How do I know what is available?

It's simple! All you need to do is:

- Place your lunch order via the [Quickcliq.com.au](https://www.Quickcliq.com.au) website. Our current canteen menu is available there!
- Keep in mind that items such as chicken strips and hot dogs have been difficult for the canteen to purchase recently and may not be available for lunch orders.

If unsure, call the office on (02) 6033 1606!



A SPECIAL THANK YOU

Our canteen manager, Narelle, and everyone at Corowa Public School would like to extend our sincere thanks to Lindsay, Catherine and their P&C team for their hard work behind the scenes to ensure that our school canteen stays open during these difficult times. Your help has been invaluable and we truly appreciate all of your efforts!



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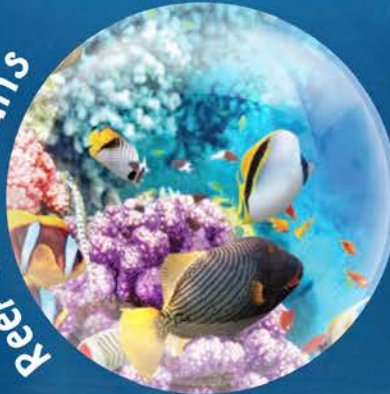
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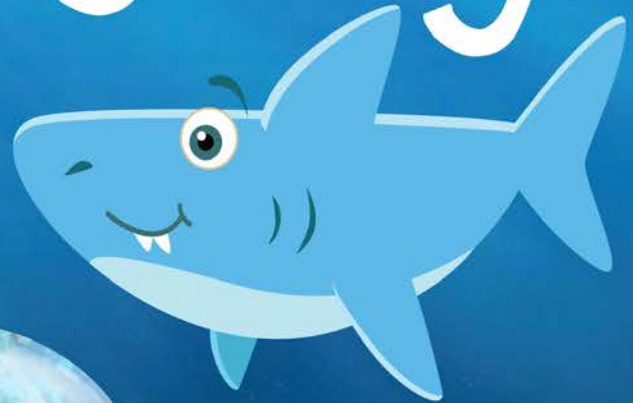
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Coastal Craze - Monday 28 September



It's time to layout your beach towel, slap on some sunscreen and relax as we take a trip to the coast, without needing to leave the Holiday Program. We'll paint using baking soda, see how low we can go in a game of limbo and even take part in a game of beach cricket.

Feature Activity: Baking Soda Painting
Additional Activities: Octopus cupcakes, limbo, grumps island game, beach cricket, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Just Add Water - Tuesday 29 September



Head off on your adventure in style with a personalised drink bottle, then be inspired by famous artists as we create water lillie images, turtle crafts, and Van Gogh's Starry Night.

Feature Activity: DIY Drink Bottle
Additional Activities: Turtle crafts, Monet inspired water lillies pictures, hula ball game, basketball, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Reef Guardians - Wednesday 30 September



The Great Barrier Reef which is located off sunny North Queensland is large enough to be seen from space, and is home to over 1500 species of fish and 1/3 of the world's soft coral. We are going to explore how we can help preserve the reef for future generations, create a reef collage and an adorable turtle.

Feature Activity: Coral Reef Collage
Additional Activities: Muddy mangroves game, turtle crafts, chess, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Creatures of the Deep - Thursday 1 October



Did you know that the deepest part of the ocean is known as Challenger Deep, which is a massive 11 kilometres below sea level and longer than the height of Mt Everest? Today we are going to board our submarine to explore life deep in the ocean with octopus games, wired fish crafts, and even make exploding geysers.

Feature Activity: Geysers
Additional Activities: Ocean slime, footprints in the sand craft, shark attack, octopus game, playground obstacle course, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Rainbow Aquarium - Friday 2 October



Enjoy the sights of the ocean without needing to leave your home, with your very own aquarium diorama. We will construct our under the sea inspired masterpieces, paint with salt, watercolours and pendulums. We will also take part in games of maze tag and feed the shark.

Feature Activity: Diorama
Additional Activities: Salt watercolour pictures, pendulum painting, maze tag, feed the shark game, Lego, plus time to choose your own adventure.

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Public Holiday - No Service - Monday 5 October

Lights, Camera, Action - Tuesday 6 October

Today we will explore the technique of stop motion animation & Claymation videos using in popular shows such as Wallace & Grommet & Shaun the Sheep. We then will create a short video using an under the sea theme using tablets, clay and our imagination.

Feature Activity: Claymation Incursion

Additional Activities: Monet inspired water lilies, paper plate beach ball, lei necklaces, lighthouses, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Buried Treasure - Wednesday 7 October

Arrr Mateys, today we are going to board the tall ship Pearl and raise the Jolly Roger as we become pirates. Come dressed as a pirate and be ready to learn how to speak like the crew, create a treasure map, and even cook mini pizzas for lunch. But whatever you do, don't walk the plank and go overboard during a game of shipwreck!

Feature Activity: Pirate Maps & Treasure Hunt

Additional Activities: Learn to speak as a pirate, mini pizzas, shipwreck game, Lego, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Aussie Adventures - Thursday 8 October

Get ready to meet Dozer the wombat, Gum-nuts the ringtail possum, Barney the brush-tailed bettong and their friends with the team at Animals of Oz. We'll learn about these Aussie animals, the adaptations that make them unique, their life and their plight in Australia.

Feature Activity: Marsupials & More Incursion

Additional Activities: Foil fish, dancing rice experiment, crab soccer game, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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Just Keep On Swimming - Friday 9 October

Get ready for some amazing fun with these DIY Wooden Boats that you can design and race! Then get ready to make some noise by making sound spinners, and challenge yourself to break the service record in the minute to win it games.

Feature Activity: DIY Wooden Boat

Additional Activities: Sound spinners, minute to win it challenges, mosaic boat scene, Um el Tuweisat game, plus plenty of time to choose your own adventure.

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