

Year 5 Recount News!

This term, the Year 5s have been super busy working hard with Mr Tulett and with the help of their new student teacher, Mr Micale. Recently the students have been writing recounts and wrote about all the different things we have been learning so far this term. These are little snippets to provide insight into the amazing Year 5 classroom!



In English, we have been doing plenty of work. We have learnt and made Cover Letters for our class jobs and each week, Mr Micale pay us \$500 for our weekly wage. In reading rotations, we have been learning about cause and effect. Two other reading rotations are, handwriting and editing work or grammar pages.

- Tenielle Jabonete Ramirez

In Maths, we are learning how to do the split and divide strategy. In this strategy, you have to break up the number being divided into hundreds, tens and ones before dividing.

- Andre Dweh

As part of our STEAM task, we have learnt that water is a precious resource and that there is only 0.03% of drinkable water in the entire world!

- Emily Yau

In Maths, we have really got it going! We have been learning about capacity, volume and other measurement attributes. In the first week on Friday, we did measurement rotations and it was very fun and educational. My favourite rotation was when were challenged to make a base that could hold the most MAB blocks using only one piece of paper. We also measured the perimeter of the oval and calculated how many laps it would take to run 1km. It is 4.86 laps!

- Gloire Baraka

In Religion, we have been talking about conscience. We learned how to grow a conscience by resisting peer pressure. We also made a snakes and ladders game with snakes that have bad choices and ladders that represent good choices.

- Mary Austin

In PE, we have been practicing the bucket relay and leader ball games ready for our athletics carnival. This helps us get better and better so we can play our best this year.

- Wayne Loo

This term in spelling, we have been practicing our words for homework. I have learnt that hard work and commitment to my homework has had a huge impact on my spelling test scores. It has taught me that hard work can make a big difference!

- Rahawa Girmay



This term in RE, we have been learning how to love our neighbours and not treat them badly. We have to love each other at all cost.

- **Xavier Barraza**

In religion, we have been learning how we can develop our conscience. Developing our conscience allows us to make better choices in our lives.

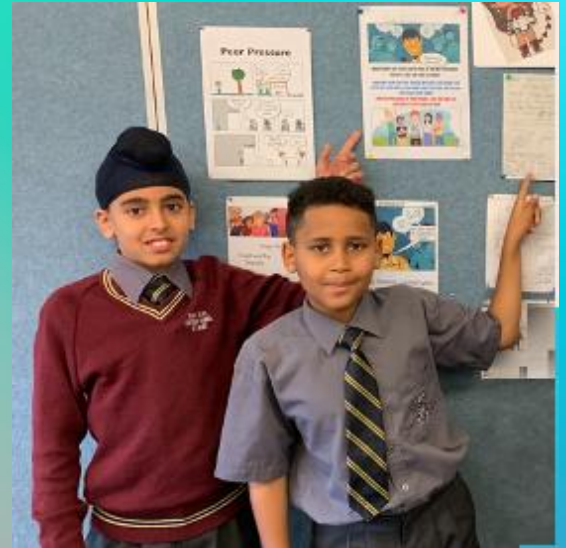
- **David Otim**

This term, we have been writing about many different things including how to write a cover letter as part of applying for our new classroom jobs. In writing this letter, we first had to plan and draft a copy before writing out a good copy and giving it to Mr Micale.

- **Ava Closey**

In Science, we learned about atoms. Atoms are something inside an object. In liquids, atoms are not very close together but, in a solids, atoms are stacked together. Gas atoms are the only ones with free-flowing atoms.

- **Veer Singh**



In math's we have been learning about different strategies for division. We have learnt how to use the short division written strategy, the split and divide strategy and are now learning about the friendly and fix strategy.

- **Teagan Weber**

With our current teacher, Mr T, we are investigating a very important subject. We all should be thinking about is how much water we waste by dripping taps. If you leave the water on while brushing your teeth, it could lead to bad habits.

- **Olivia Saldanha**



In Economics and Business we have been learning about a lot of things! In the staff room, the teachers have a new Nespresso Coffee Machine. They don't know that the coffee pods are recyclable which is why we made them posters to show how coffee pods are recyclable, what we need to do to recycle them and what they can be recycled into.

- **Mitchell Kinsman**

In HASS, we have been learning about business and economics. We have learnt about the different types of resources, for example: natural, human and capital resources.

- **Aurora D'Lima**

In science we've been talking about matter, particles and atoms and how atoms are in everything even the thing you wouldn't expect it to be in.

- **Tarik Wolde**

