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Newsletter

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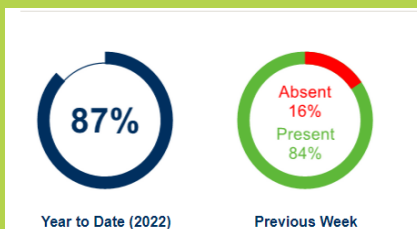
Term 1 Week 9

Thursday 31 March 2022

Diary Dates

- **4/4/22**
Little Book Worms
Learner Lead Conversation Week
- **11/4/22**
Little Book Worms
Governing Council 7pm
- **14/4/22**
Casual Day - Gold Coin Donation
Easter Raffle to be drawn
Dismissal 2:10pm
- **2/5/22**
School commences on Monday 2nd May

Attendance



Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It was a lovely afternoon on Monday, celebrating 'Magical Memories' for our Reception children. Their frames looked spectacular. Thank you to all of the parents who attended and supported their children. Thanks to the teachers for their superb organisation.



The Covid situation - you may be aware the Wirreanda High school has closed for the week whilst they try to get ahead of the outbreak. We are monitoring children closely, and we have a number of cases here with children who are all now isolating. Please monitor your family for symptoms, slight temperatures, running noses, sneezing and coughing, even if it is slight. Be aware that RAT's are not always accurate, so if you are concerned, please ensure you get a PCR. Our main area of concern is the 'Red Unit'.

Learner Led conferences CANCELLED: Due to the covid situation at present, and to look after the wellbeing of our staff and students, we have been advised by the Department to **cancel our 'Learner Led Conversations'** next week. Teachers will send information home to you on Monday the 11th April with information from your child and their learning. If there are urgent matters you would like to discuss with your child's teacher, please contact them and arrange a time to have a phone conversation. We apologise for the short notice.

Breakfast Club: it is lovely to see your kids coming in for a piece of toast and a chat in the mornings. **The breakfast club operates from 8:30 - 8:40am** in the Yellow unit kitchen. If your child arrives after 8:40am, can you please let them know to go straight to class.

Cross Country: Please be aware that this has been postponed until term 2. It gives our kids more time to practice.

Enjoy your weekend
Steph Tulloch
Principal

Reminder to return your raffle books by Thursday 14th April – Drop your donations into the front office



Getting Creative in Room 12!

In Room 12, during Visual arts, we have been working on creating self portraits.

We first discussed the elements of art.

For this task, we focused on the element of 'Value', which is how light or dark something is. We then practiced trying to produce different shades, with a lead pencil, to help create depth, shadows and light points to make an object look realistic.

elements of art

SHAPE: Shape encloses a two dimensional area. Geometric or organic.



FORM: Form encloses a three-dimensional area. It's the three-dimensional analogue of shape.



LINE: The edge of a shape or form or the direction followed by anything in motion.



COLOR: Light reflected from a surface. Three distinct qualities: Hue, Value, Intensity.



VALUE: Shadows/shades from lightness to darkness.



SPACE: The area between and around objects. Positive, negative, or three-dimensional.



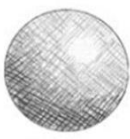
TEXTURE: The surface quality of an object that we sense through touch.



PENCIL SHADING TECHNIQUES



Hatching



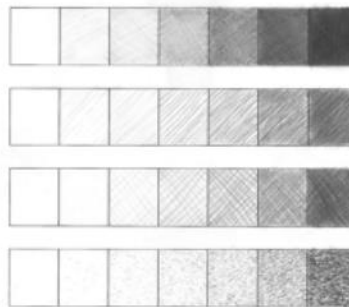
Crosshatching



Stumping

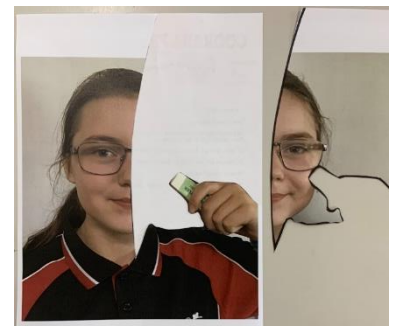
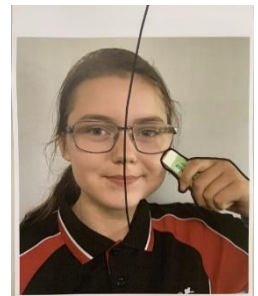


Stippling

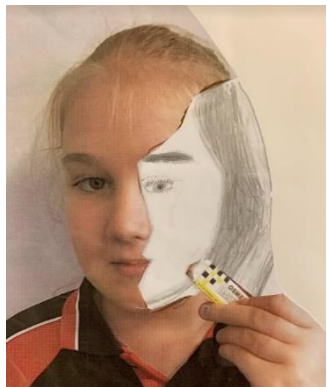
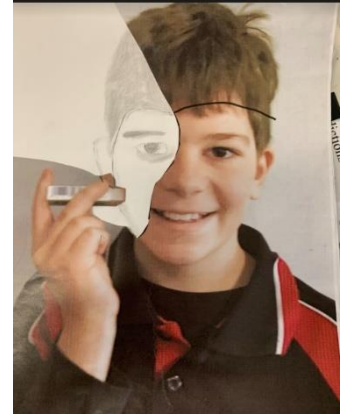
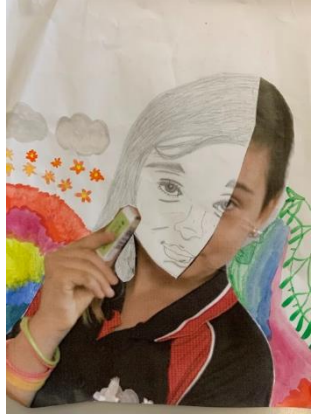
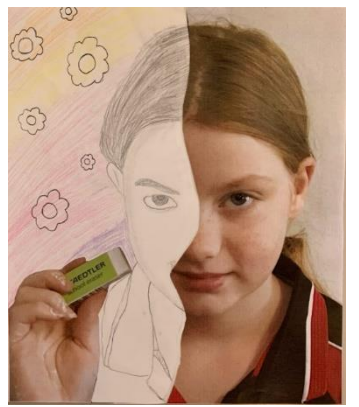


Next, we took photographs posing as if we were erasing our own face. We printed the photos and then chose an area of our face we wanted to "erase." After, we cut away the "erased" portion of our face, and glued the photo to a blank sheet of white paper.

We then used the cut-out part of the photo as a reference to begin a light contour drawing of our "erased" face. Once we were happy with the outline, we used HB, 2B and 6B pencils to complete our faces, adding tone and shading, using a full value scale.



Here are our finished self-portraits



Magical Memories

Reception Class Rm 7 & Rm 8



Easter Raffle will be drawn

Thursday 14th April

Please drop your donations & raffle books
to the front office

Thank you for your support



Can you
help us?

Have you any of the below items at home
tucked away that you may no longer need?
Moana costume committee is looking for
these items

- White or cream sheets
- Plastic Artificial flowers
- Plastic vine leaves
- White feathers – medium size
- Red feather – medium size
- Shell necklaces you no longer need
- Loose shells – not too small

Please drop any of the above items into the
front office to Sandy

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CASUAL DAY

Thursday 14th April

Your child can come to school in casual clothing, and
bring a gold coin donation.

School will finish at 2:10pm.

