

Week 4 & 5

# FORRIE FILES



**Forrestfield**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Week 4

### Kindy, PP and Year 1 Classrooms

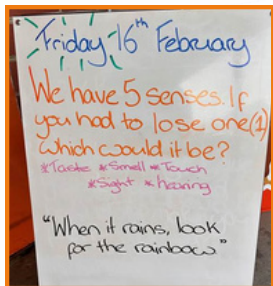
This week the Junior classrooms have moved back into their rooms and are now enjoying the improved air-conditioning systems. I would like to thank all parents/carers, students and staff for their understanding and patience.

### Welcome to Forrie Day

We will be having our annual 'Welcome to Forrie Day' on Wednesday, 28 February 2024, from 3.00pm to 4.00pm. Classrooms will be opened from 3.00pm to 3.30pm for parents/carers to visit. Courtesy of our amazing P&C, parents/carers can enjoy a sausage sizzle as they visit classrooms from 3.00pm to 3.30pm. The P&C will also be selling cupcakes to raise money for our school and Year 6 students will be selling drinks to fundraise for their end of year activities. Enter the event in your calendars and come along and enjoy the afternoon with our supportive community.

### Message Boards

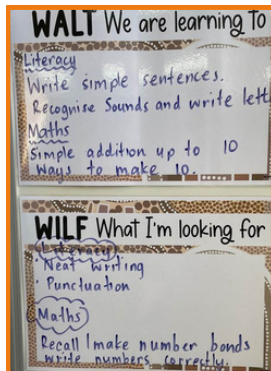
Parents/Carers would have noticed whiteboards outside our Year 2-6 classrooms. Teachers write messages on boards at the start of each day to help focus students' attention to topics that they may be learning throughout the day. It not only helps students prepare for the day but it provides parents/carers with an insight of what their children are learning in class.



### WALT

Teachers are beginning to explicitly explain to students what they are learning by clearly displaying and describing WALT ('We are learning to') statements at the beginning of every Reading, Writing, Grammar and Mathematics' lesson. Again, this helps students understand what they are learning and retain information. Hopefully, when you ask your child what they did at school, they will be able to tell you rather than say, 'Nothing!!!'

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► **Room 4 Assembly**  
Friday 9.00am

### Room 1

Rm 1 has had an amazing start to 2024. We started the year by creating 'Our Yarning Circle'. This is a special piece of artwork that each member of the class contributes to and symbolizes the commitment we show to honouring not only the land we learn on but the respect we show to everyone within our class and all the knowledge each person brings. Our energy together creates a fire that we can draw from in time of need. Councillors and Faction Leaders are stepping into their new roles and Year 6 Graduation fundraising began last Friday and will continue every Friday until temperatures drop, with Icey Poles selling for \$1 at first break. We thank you for your support so far.

### Art and Performing Arts

This term in Art and Performing Arts we have lots of exciting things planned using the 7 art elements: colour, line, texture, form, value, space and shape. Listening to different music genres and what the words in the songs mean to us. Wait to see what we come up with!

### AGM

Following this Friday's assembly, our P&C will be holding the Annual General Meeting (AGM) in the library. It's an opportunity for our community members to come together and share insights. We warmly invite all members of our community to attend and contribute their perspectives. There will be morning tea served, provided. We can't wait to see you there!

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### Front Office

With the opening of our external school gates, can all community members please utilise these entry and exit points when accessing the school and classrooms. We encourage you to visit the front office when needing a late pass or addressing specific inquiries. Thank you for your understanding.

### Assembly

It was great to see so many of our Families at our last Assembly. Congratulations to all the award winners. We hope to see you all this Friday for Room 4's assembly at 9am in the undercover area.

THANK YOU