

## This term we've been studying how the amazing human body



works. Mrs Rayner has led the class in lessons on the skeletal and muscular systems while I've been taking the class in lessons on the senses.



We've used the lessons not only to learn about the human body, but understand a little more about people with hearing and sight disabilities and how they use sign language and braille to communicate.



Our studies really have provided the chance for lots of interesting discussions and questions from the students - it really is rewarding to spark interest and learning - who knows we may have a future doctor or two in the classroom.



#### The hip bone's connected to the thigh bone....



### Reading Rules



Congratulations to ALL of our infant students for making progress with their reading levels. Our latest benchmark testing has shown strong progress across the school. We again simply encourage all families to take a little time to read - every night if possible. Thank you.



#### Three-Way Discussions

We would like to invite all families to our next round of three-way discussions in Week 7, between the 9th and 13th of June. Please call the office to make a time.



### Parents and Friends



I would like to formally invite all families to our first Parents and Friends meeting on the 1st of July, 3pm. We hope to use the meetings for you to share what has worked well, suggestions and plans for continually improving our school.



#### A warm welcome



A very warm welcome to our new student Indiana - our school seems to be bursting at the seams with children these days. It is nice to see so many children playing together.

























**Bridging** 

Now to

27 MAY - 3 JUNE

Leukemia

**Public** 

**Speaking** 

**ATTACHMENTS** 

**Bathurst Library** 

**Attendance Chart** 

Happy Birthday

Duncan

for the 8th May

and

Charlie

for the 21st May

**Fundraiser** 











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# I Read At Home

The 'I Read At Home ' programme has been a great success with the Infants. They are excited each morning to bring in their signed gold coin for reading a book at home and to move forward a space on the map.

Thankyou to the parents/carers for listening to the children read each night. It is making a big difference in helping them learn to read and hopefully encourages a lifelong love of books and reading.



# **New Cubby Houses**

The students have been eagerly waiting the completion of our new Farmers Market and Post Office cubby houses. These cubby houses are great for imaginative play and they provide an extra place for social interaction.

The cubby houses will help the students develop essential skills like problem solving, creativity and social skills. They are also the perfect place to put the fantastic timber kitchen that was donated to the school by the Variety Club.















# Our Amazing Goal- Getters

This term the students are continuing their challenge to reach the goals that they have chosen for themselves.























































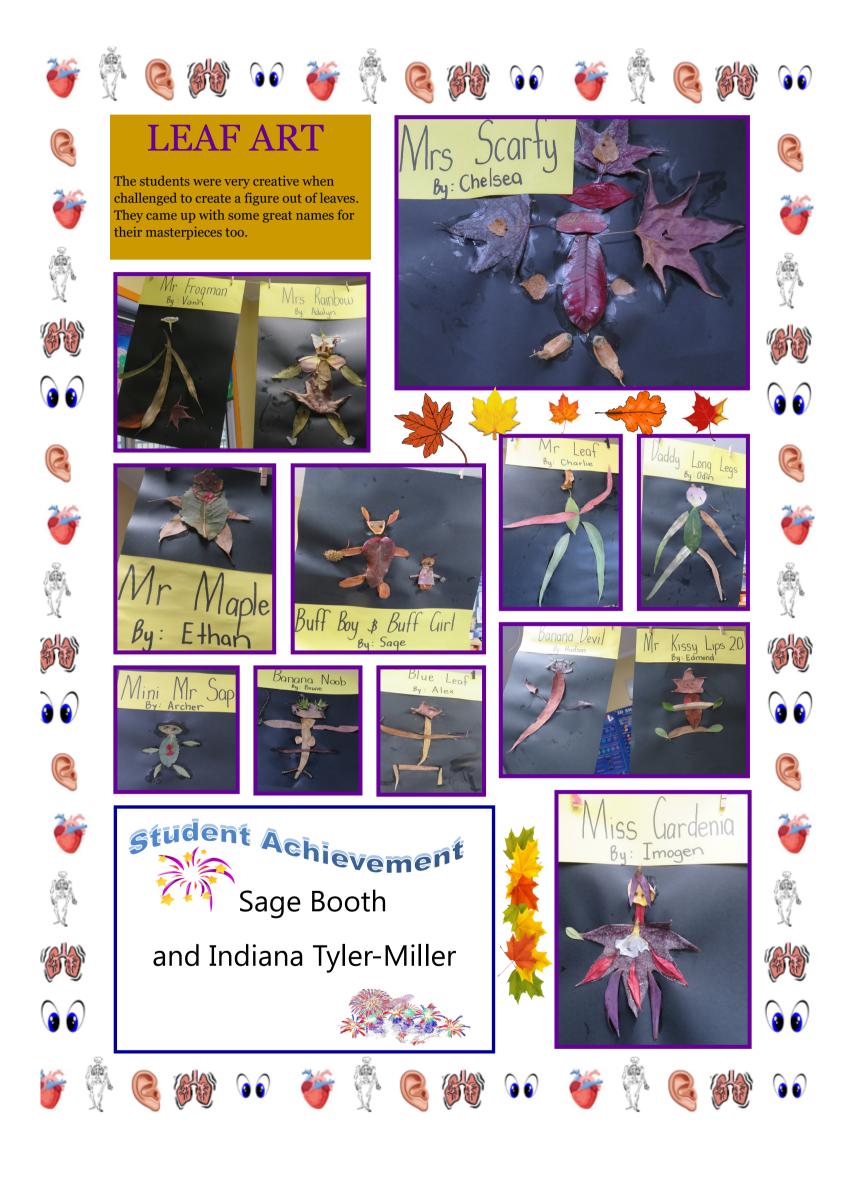
































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