

# Macclesfield Primary School

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## NEWSLETTER NO. 10

Term 2 Week 7 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June

### **Week 8** Character strength — Forgiveness

**Monday 17/6**

Responsible Pet Education

**Tuesday 18/6**

Indonesian

Top Block Play

Governing Council 7pm

**Wednesday 19/6**

Milo for sale 50c

**Thursday 20/6**

Parent Coffee Morning 9.15 – 10.15

Top Block Play

**Friday 21/6**

Dental Van visiting

Assembly Years 5/6/7 hosting

### **Week 9** Character strength — Forgiveness

**Monday 24/6**

**Student Free Day**

**Tuesday 25/6**

Indonesian

**Wednesday 26/6**

Milo for sale 50c

**Thursday 27/6**

**Friday 28/6**

Newsletter Day

SAKG Cooking

### **Student Free Day**

**Monday June 24<sup>th</sup> is a Student Free Day.**

### **Family Breakfast**

The Parent Club will host an end of term Family breakfast on the last day of term (July 5<sup>th</sup>). A note will come out soon with more information about the menu, costs and seeking numbers attending. We appreciate the organisation and work that goes into planning and preparing these breakfasts and they are always a good way to celebrate the end of our term.

### **SRC Lego and Craft Exhibition**

The SRC is planning to hold a Lego and Craft Exhibition on the Thursday of Week 10 (July 4<sup>th</sup>). Students can display a kit project or enter a self-designed Lego or craft project for judging by other students. The constructions are to be made at home and brought to school completed.

Small Lego sets will be given as prizes.

All items will be displayed in the Resource Centre and will not be touched by anyone once they are set up.

SRC is asking that a gold coin be paid for students wishing to enter an exhibit. A note will come home soon about this.



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## MOVING YEAR 7 INTO HIGH SCHOOL: WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR YOUR KIDS?

**The SA government plans to move Year 7 into high school within the next three years. To ensure a smooth transition for students, good communication between parents, teachers and school leaders is essential.**

A good starting point is to ensure that everyone understands why this change is happening. To help, experts are providing their insights on the reasons behind the shift, and the best ways for schools, teachers and parents to ensure it is a positive experience for young learners.

Year 7 has long been part of high school in Tasmania, Victoria and New South Wales; Queensland and Western Australia made the move recently. But moving Year 7 into high school shouldn't just be about copying other states. Dr Katharine Swain of Flinders University says the move is an opportunity to form junior high school programs for students in Years 7 to 9 that address this age group's specific needs.

Dr Swain is an expert on middle years education with decades of teaching experience. She's advising SA's Catholic schools on the move, and hopes to speak with the public sector. She's worked closely with Professor Pendergast of Griffith University, an architect of the move in Queensland, which involved working with 258 school leadership teams and delivering professional learning to over 2000 teachers.

Dr Swain and Professor Pendergast say Year 7 is a logical time to start addressing adolescents' needs. Students this age are ready to expand their social horizons and tackle more complex thinking. At the same time, it's common for puberty to set in at this age, placing students on a rollercoaster of psychological, emotional and moral changes. Students are challenged to forge a new identity, to develop their values, and to find new ways of relating to friends, family and learning.

*...to be continued*

## Character Strength Forgiveness

With this strength, you forgive those who have done you wrong or offended you. This means you are able to accept other people's shortcomings, give them another chance and resist the temptation to behave vengefully. You seek to act in a benevolent, kind and generous way to people who have done you wrong.

If you have the strength of Forgiveness...

- You don't hold a grudge for very long
- When someone hurts your feelings, you manage to get over it fairly quickly
- You don't try to 'get even' when someone has upset you
- You work hard to mend relationships with people who have hurt or betrayed you in the past.

## SAPSASA Cross Country

Congratulations to Maddy McFarlane, Joe Woodcock, Carlie Slack, Ollie Fahey, James McGovern, Hudson McLeod, Michael Tregaskis, and Dylan Matthews who participated in the SAPSASA Cross Country last Tuesday May, 28<sup>th</sup>.

Despite the shocking weather, all of our students gave the event their very best.

Thankyou to Michael Woodcock and Tania Slack, who assisted with transport and to Fiona who managed the team.

We appreciate the support of Yvonne Woodcock, Bec and Hamish McFarlane, Ingrid and Mick McLeod and Elsie and Bert Fahey.

Poor Annika hurt her wrist upon arrival and was not able to compete but cheered everyone on during the event.





# FREE PARENT SEMINAR

TUESDAY 18TH JUNE—7PM

IN THE SCHOOL HALL

(friends and family members welcome)

No children please, no crèche provided

the *Carly Ryan* foundation.

## Parent Online Safety Presentation

Presented by Sonya Ryan, CEO

### Meadows Primary

Mawson Road, Meadows

Tuesday 18 June 2019

7:00pm

#### The presentation explores

- Online Safety
- Opportunities vs risks
- Privacy settings
- Awareness
- Managing self
- Emotional intelligence
- Resilience
- Critical thinking
- Understanding the law
- Image based abuse
- Respectful relationships
- Communication
- Practical guidance
- Connection to support services

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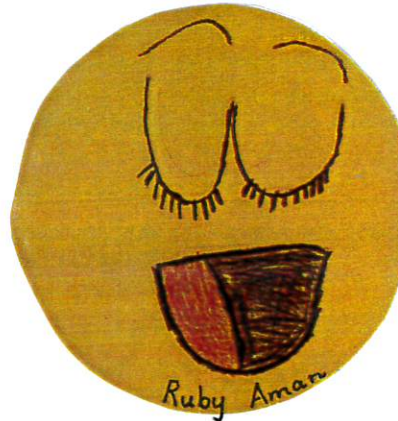
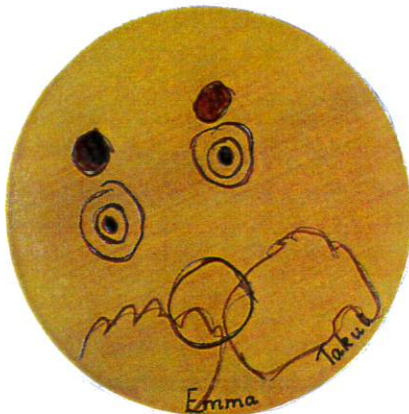
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# Feelings in Indonesian using Emojis

In Indonesian with Pak Sankey we have been learning about words for expressing emotions. These words have been attached to emojis which we copied.





Takut

Aman

Bodoh

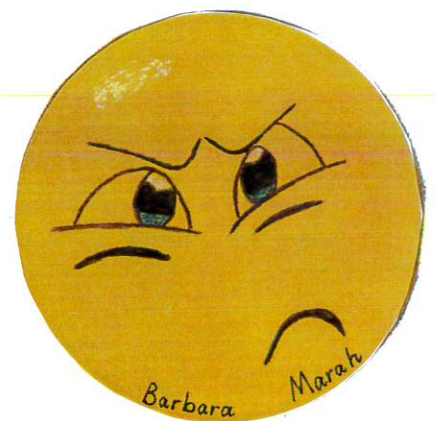
Sakit

Senang

Kurang baik

Sedih

Marah



## World Environment Day

### Trees are COOL!

Trees help keep the air clean, produce oxygen we need to breathe, remove carbon dioxide and pollution from the environment, create shade, help create rain, keep soil moist and help keep the planet cooler. The R/1 class completed this mapping task as part of our work on World Environment Day.



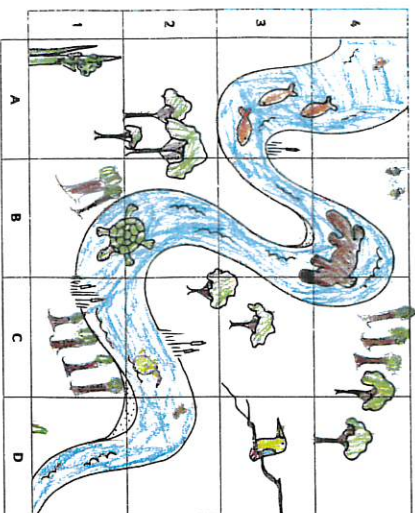
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Ruby

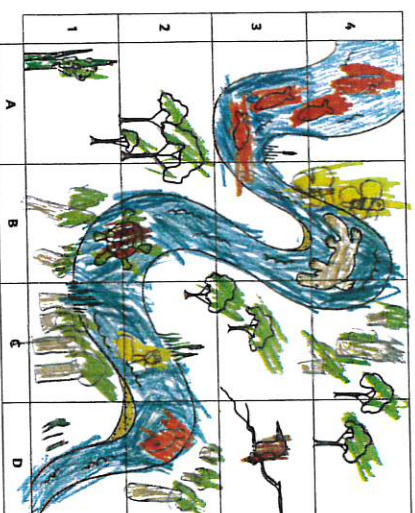
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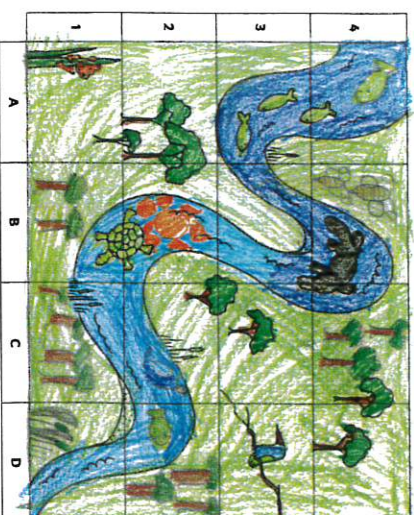
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Leela

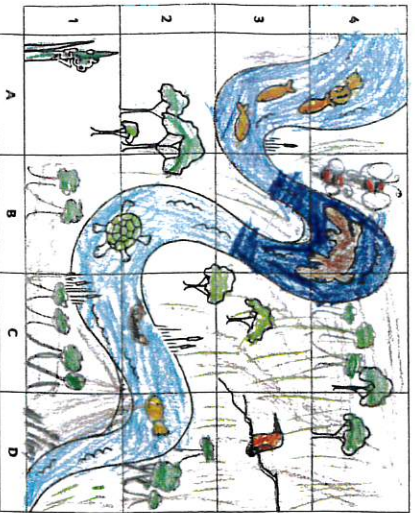
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Maddi

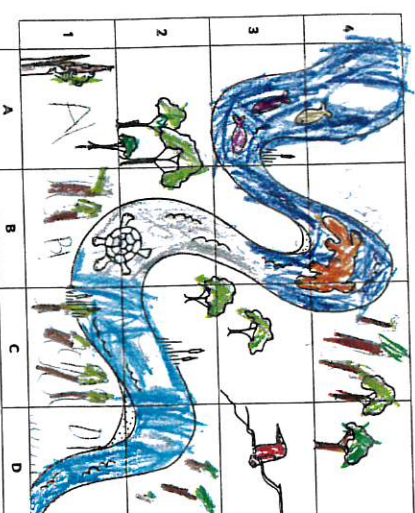
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Brodie

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Indie



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








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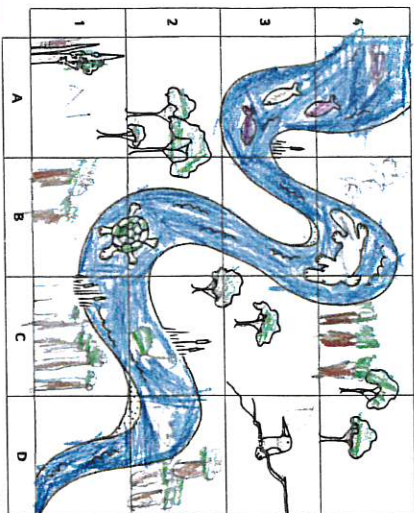
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









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Tilly

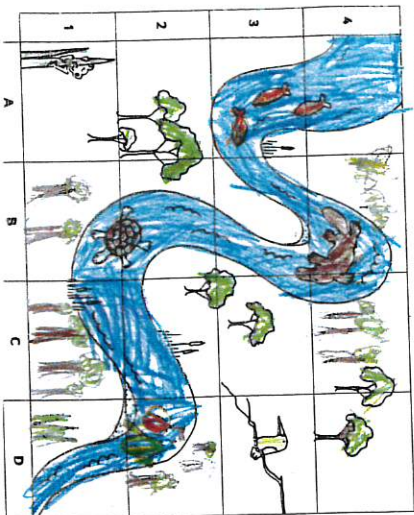
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






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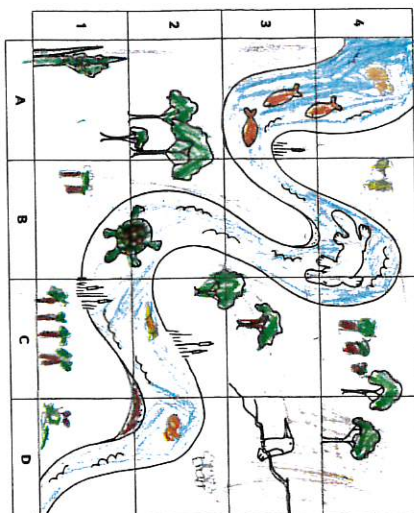
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








Lauren

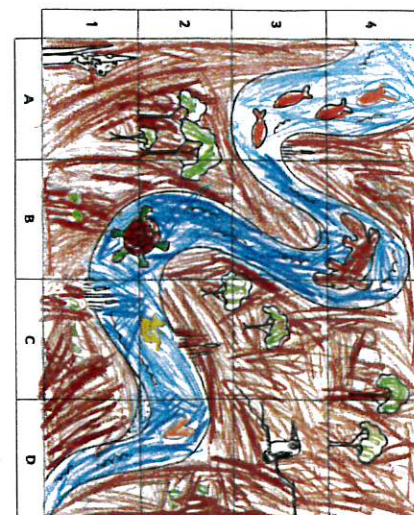
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Thomas



Forgiveness

