



CLASS NEWSLETTER

News From: Mr Smith's 4/5 Class

Term 4, 2019

I am looking forward to a great term with your child. Some of the things we will be focussing on:

Literacy Foci:

- Narrative – creative writing to publish our own book
- Report writing from Behind the News
- Creative writing
- Spelling

Numeracy foci:

- Number – addition, multiplication, subtraction, real world use of numbers. We will be using Natural Maths problematised situations to stretch our thinking.

Other topics we will cover this term:

- Aboriginal Studies
- Physical Education
- Camp for grade 5

You'll know your child is successful if she/he can:

- Continue to improve with number skills and fluency – addition/subtraction, counting in intervals up and down (up by 5, down by 2 etc.) and times tables
- Become more adventurous with creative writing.
- Consistently use correct punctuation in all of their writing.
- Read with more confidence

You can help at home by:

- Talk about numbers at the supermarket, the Shell, eating and sharing pizzas etc.
- Making sure your child is reading every night – get them to read aloud

We'd like students to bring the following from home:

- An "I can do it attitude"!

Feel free to be in touch,

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