Dear Parents and Guardians,

**Holidays**
Term 3 school holidays are from 1st - 16th of October 2016. Preschool resumes on Monday the 17th of October 2016.

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**A Snap Shot of Our Learning**

**Preschool and Year 1 Buddy Class**
With their buddies the children hypothesised the number of teaspoons of sugar was in 5 different drinks. After, they measured the sugar content in 5 different drinks. Here are some of their results:

- Music with Kathleen
  Kathleen is a qualified Canadian teacher who travels around the country teaching music to preschool and reception aged children. The children enjoyed her music, stories and puppet show.
**Making Sushi with Grace**
Week 7, Tuesday Grace (Max’s mum) taught the preschool children and staff how to make sushi. Thank you Grace the preschool children, staff and Mr Marshall enjoyed eating and making the sushi. Mrs Annette is currently teaching the children about foods from different countries.

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**Learning with Mrs Annette (written by Annette)**
In week 7 we welcome Mrs Annette into our preschool for 4 weeks. The curriculum has continued with Healthy Eating and Body Parts. We have introduced insects and will be working on diversity including similarities and differences.

In week 7 and 8 she will be teaching the children:
1. Different types of insects.
2. The importance for insects for our plants to grow.
3. How to make and read a shopping list (will follow through to a shopping excursion).
4. Activities around the insects and shopping list will include science and math concepts.

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Kind Regards,
Preschool Staff and Mrs Annette