

Yenda Agenda



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Term 4, Week 5

Friday, 11 November 2022

Principal's Report

Our busy Term 4 is well and truly under way!

On Monday, we held an assembly to bury our Centenary time capsule. It is buried right in front of our school bell, and it is anticipated that it will be retrieved when Yenda Public School turns 125 in 2045. Thank you to Dee Cox for attending on Monday to help bury the time capsule. Dee co-ordinated our Centenary committee.

Yesterday, our Year 6 students hosted a Colour Run Lap-a-thon. It was a successful, colourful event. Thank you to all parents, family and community members who have sponsored students. Thank you to Mrs Lisa Brown for all of her organisation and support of Year 6 in this event.

This morning, we held a Remembrance Day assembly at school. Our students were very respectful throughout the assembly.

Well done to all students who received Proud and Deadly awards today at the award ceremony in Griffith. Congratulations to all students who received awards at our school assembly this afternoon. The items from 3/4P and Year 6 at the assembly were great!

Next week, we have our Book Week Costume Day on Wednesday (November 16), with the parade to take place at 10:30am. Our P&C will be selling cupcakes afterwards, and parents can bring a picnic lunch to share with their children. The Book Fair will also commence on Wednesday. There is more information in the Book Week Costume Day and the Book Fair later in the Yenda Agenda.

Have a nice weekend!

Gary Workman
Principal



Education

Calendar 2022- Term 4

Week 6

Wednesday 16 November

Book Week Costume Day- Parade at 10:30am

Book Fair commences

P&C Cupcake Stall (after the costume parade)

Year 7 2024 selective High School applications close

Thursday 17 November

Year 5 and 6 Science Show (MRHS)

Friday 18 November

2023 Kindergarten Orientation 9:00am-12:30pm

PBL Assembly (students and staff only)

Dr Kate Bricknell at YPS

Week 7

Monday 21 – Wednesday 23 November

Dr Kate Bricknell at YPS

Presentation Night tickets on sale

Thursday 24 November

Murrumbidgee Regional High School

Year 7 2023 Orientation Day

Friday 25 November

2023 Kindergarten Orientation 9:00am-1:30pm

Week 8

Monday 28 November

K-2 Excursion to Griffith

Tuesday 29 November

P&C Meeting- 6:30pm at Yenda Hotel

Wednesday 30 November

2023 School Captain nominee speeches 12:30pm

Thursday 1 December

Year 6 Mini-Fete

Upcoming Term 4 Events

Thursday 8 December

Presentation Night

Please note this change of date

Thursday 8 and Friday 9 December

PBL Celebration Days

Wednesday 14 December

Year 6 Graduation

Friday 16 December

Barellan Pool Excursion

Last day for students for 2022

Thank You, Yenda Rotary

At Yenda Public School, we say a big thank you to Yenda Rotary. Recently, they made a generous donation towards our Year 5/6 Ballarat Excursion. This meant that the excursion was able to be subsidised. Thank you very much to Yenda Rotary!



Multi-Sport Day

On Tuesday, Jaden Vearing represented our school at the Multi-Sport Day at the new Westend Stadium. He participated in sports such as football, soccer, bocce, and golf along with students from other local schools such as Hanwood Public School, Griffith Public School and Kalinda School.

Thank you to Isabelle Gilbert for accompanying Jaden on this day. Well done, Jaden!



Child Protection Lessons

Over the coming weeks, all students will be participating in Child Protection lessons. These are a mandatory part of the curriculum and cover content such as personal safety and stranger danger. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school to speak to your child's teacher.

Morning Playground Supervision

A reminder that morning playground supervision at Yenda Public School commences at 8:30am each school day. When possible, students should arrive after 8.30am. Students who do arrive before this time are to remain seated under the COLA until the teacher on duty arrives. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

2023 Kindergarten Orientation

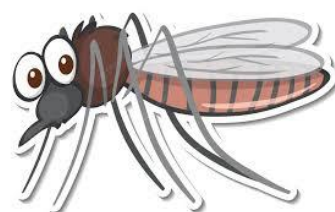
Our 2023 Kindergarten Orientation has commenced. The following are the dates and times for Orientation each week:

Friday 18 November	– 9.00am to 12.30pm
Friday 25 November	– 9.00am to 1.30pm
Friday 2 December	– 9.00am to 3.00pm



Insect Repellent

As we have had a large amount of rain recently, and the weather is getting warmer, there is an increased chance of more mosquitoes in our school grounds. Students are encouraged to bring roll-on insect repellent in their bags to self-apply as needed. Spray or aerosol insect repellent is not allowed at school.

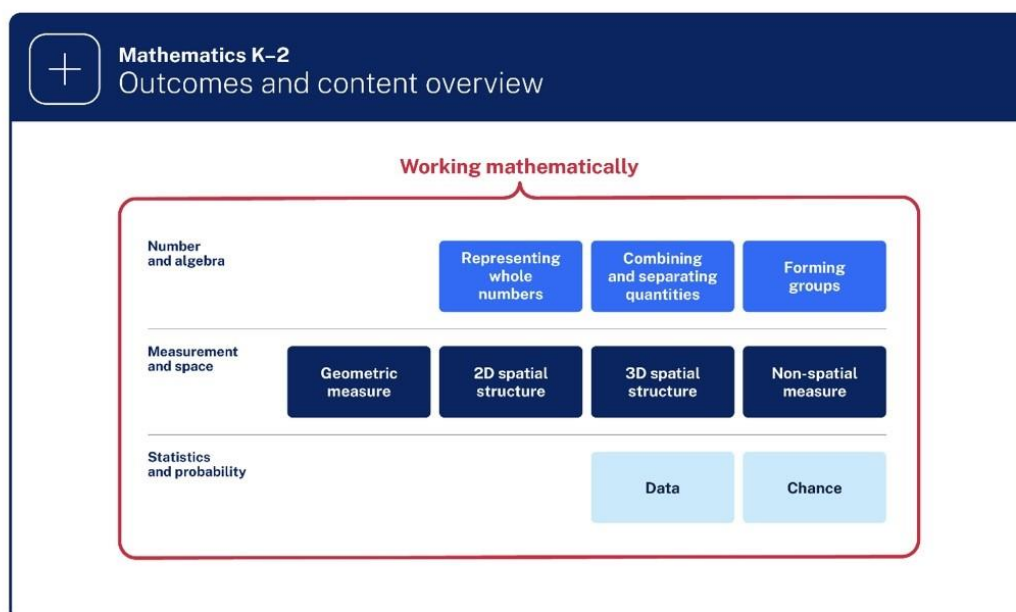
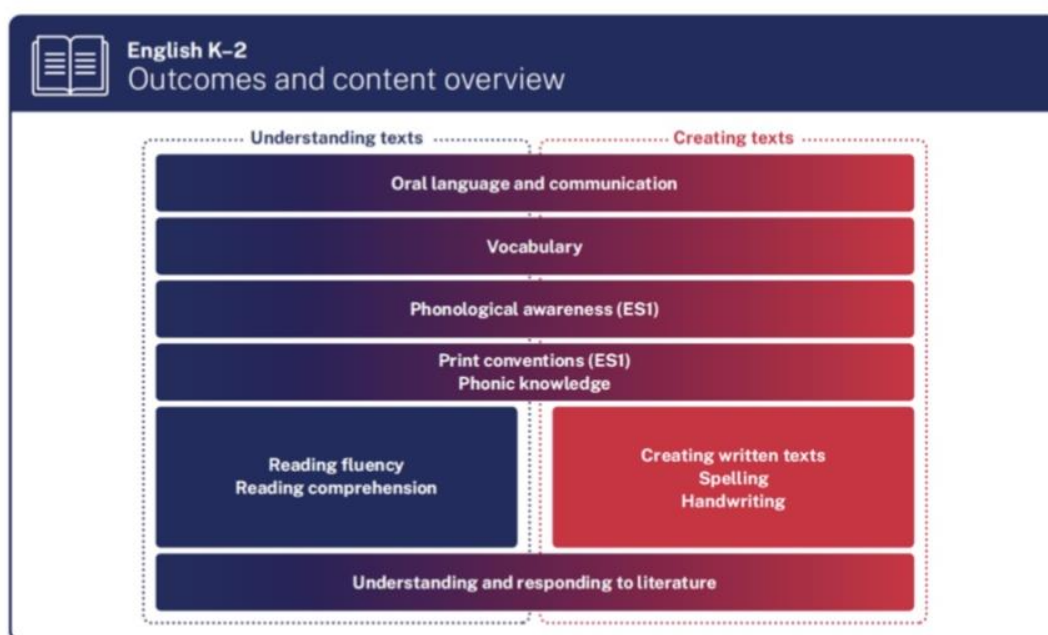


New K-2 English and Mathematics Syllabuses

This year, we have been one of only two schools in our region selected to trial the new K-2 English and Mathematics syllabuses and associated units of work. This trial has taken place in our 1/2D classroom, and is known state-wide as the Accelerated Adopter initiative. Next year, the new K-2 English and Mathematics syllabuses will be implemented in all NSW schools in the infants grades.

Being in the Accelerated Adopter initiative has allowed us to be at the forefront of trialling the implementation of the new syllabuses and units of work, as well as providing feedback to the curriculum team and for staff involved to undertake professional learning. Thank you to both Mrs Drayton and Mrs Chilvers for all of their work in this area throughout 2022.

If you have any questions regarding the new K-2 English and Mathematics syllabuses, please contact Mrs Chilvers (our Assistant Principal, Curriculum and Instruction) or Mrs Drayton (our 1/2D class teacher). The following diagrams are of the content areas in the new syllabuses:



ASSEMBLY AWARDS

Principal Award – Imogen Stockton

Class Awards

KR – Lara Evans, Deklan Dowe, Kenzie Ward, Peyton Eldridge, Sawyer Rossetto

1/2D – Quade Walter, Felicity Stockton, Austin Lodding, Georgie Harman, Olivia Wilkinson

3/4P – Phoebe Vearing, Stella Forster, Alexis Meginley, Hamish Morley, Robert Nehme, Benito Carusi, Emme Turner

4/5B – Noah Everett, Dean Serafin, Jaxon Cafe, Shae Stafford, Havana Carusi

5/6B – Rowdy Damini, Ryan Signor, Kevin Hay, Michael Nehme

ICAS Assessment Achievement

**English
Year 3**

Credit – Chandre Thomas

**Spelling Bee
Year 4**

Credit - Jaxon Cafe

**Writing
Year 3**

Credit – Chelsea Dempsey

**Mathematics
Year 2**

Merit – Joie Damini

Distinction – Damon Tsai-Kellett

Year 3

Merit – Emme Turner

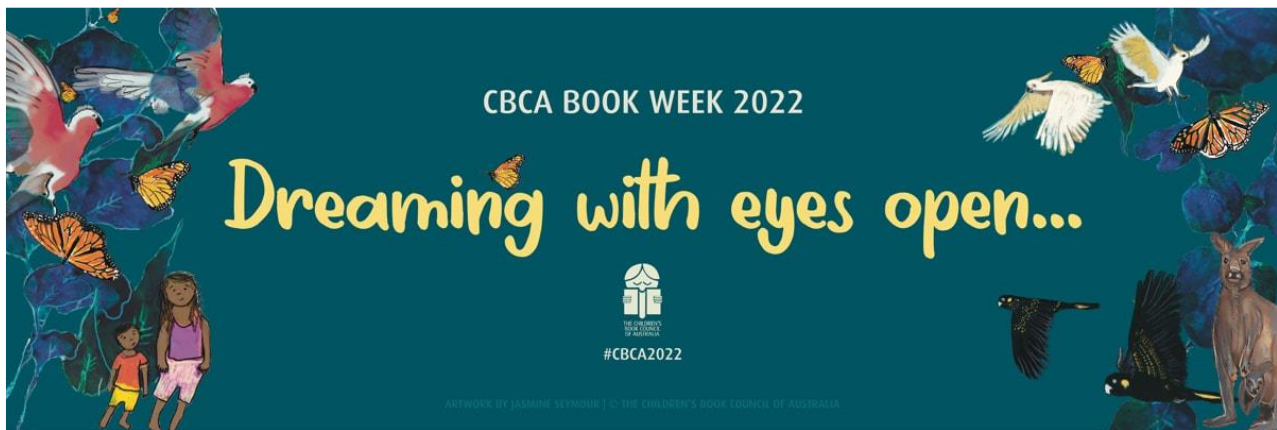
Year 4

Credit – Jaxon Cafe

Cupcake Donations Required

The P&C is asking for donations of cupcakes, to be sold following the Book Week Costume Parade on Wednesday 16 November. Cupcakes can be left at the office on Wednesday morning.





BOOK FAIR and BOOK CHARACTER COSTUME DAY

Next Wednesday, 16th November, we will be holding a Book Character Dress-up Day and Parade at our school to celebrate our BOOK FAIR!

The theme for this year's CBCA Book Week was "Dreaming with eyes open..." and we are encouraging students to come to school on Wednesday dressed as a character from a book they love!

Parents are invited to join us for a Parade of Book Characters at 10.30am followed by a picnic lunch in the playground at 11am. The canteen will have cupcakes on sale during lunch time.

At 11am, we will open our Scholastic Book Fair in the Library. Students will be bringing home a flyer about the range of books available at the Fair. Students, parents and families are encouraged to visit the bookfair during lunch time to make purchases. The bookfair will open at the following hours:

Wednesday 16th November: 11am – 12noon & after school 3.00-5.00pm

Thursday 17th November: Lunch time and after school 3.10-3.45pm

Friday 18th November: Lunch time

I will let you know in next week's Agenda if we are able to open again in Week 7.

I do hope you will support our school as every purchase earns commission to provide extra resources for our school.

Many thanks always,

Mrs Sue Chilvers (APC&I and Teacher Librarian).

Lest we forget

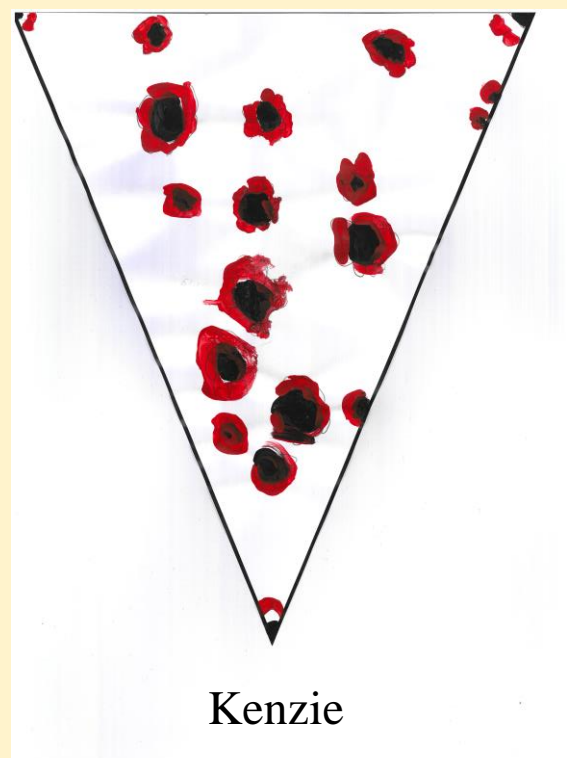
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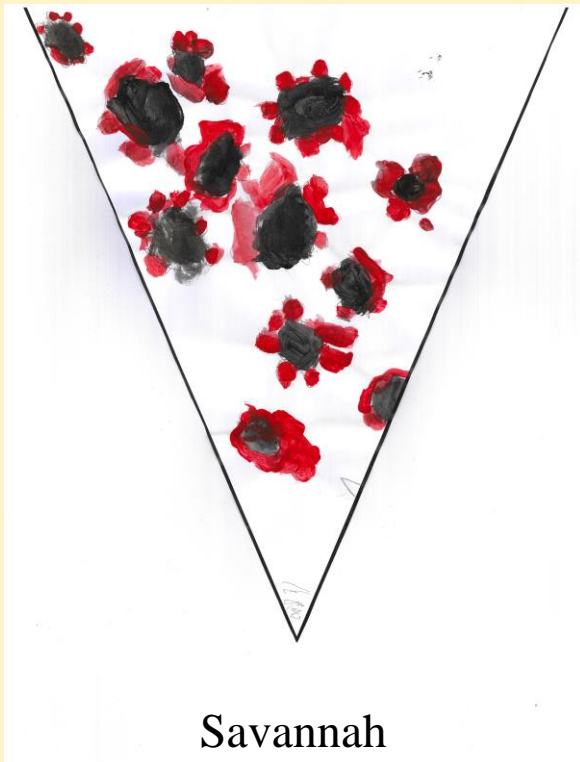
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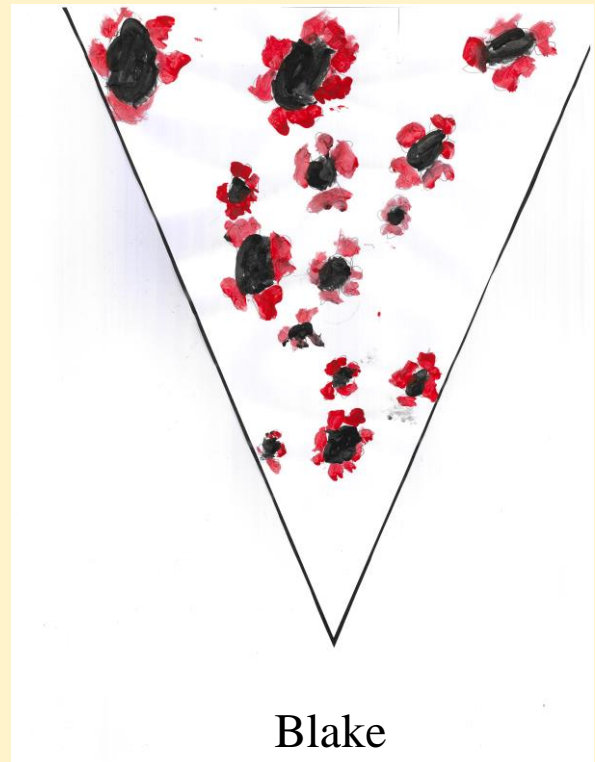
Deklan



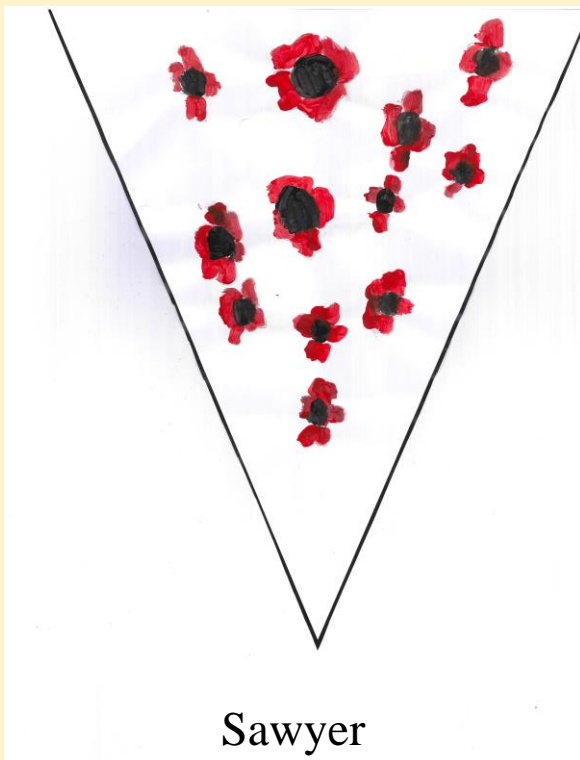
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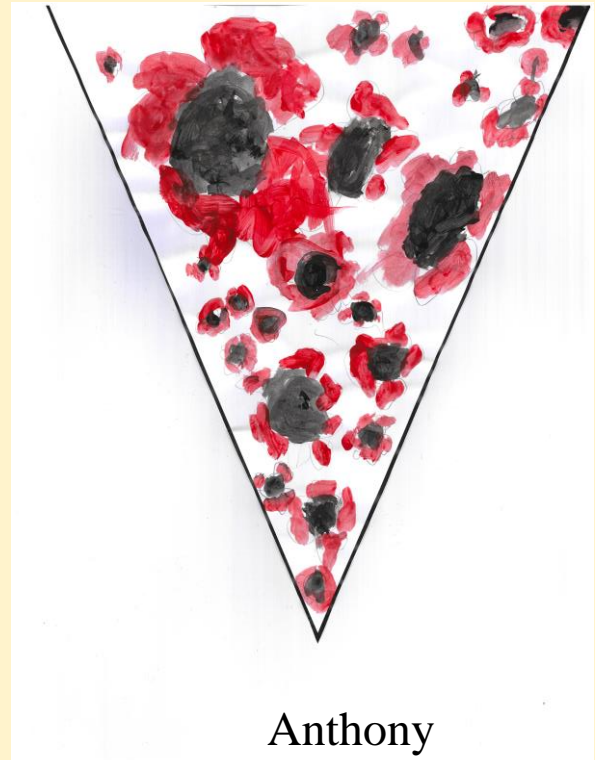
Savannah



Blake



Sawyer



Anthony



Jasmine



Alexis



Lara



Layla