



# NOBLE PARK PS

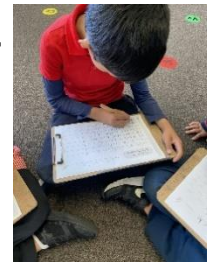
## What's happening in the *Junior Learning House*?

### Writing

Year 1 and 2 students have been learning how to write procedural texts. The students made fairy bread by following a set of instructions.



The students then wrote their own procedural texts.



### Reading

We have started our Little Learners Love Literacy reading and writing program. The students are learning about the sounds that letters make and have been reading many decodable books. Our Noble Park Little Learners are making great progress!



### Mathematics

We are learning about addition and subtraction and discovering many strategies to solve equations. Remember to practise your skills by completing your Maths Seeds tasks at home. You can find your password in your *Work at Home* book.

### Inquiry

The students are learning about living things. They are learning about what animals and plants need to survive.



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## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

### INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS

On Thursday the 11th of May, the students from the Senior Learning House began the Term 2 Inter-School sports program. The students participated in AFL, Netball, Soccer and Rookie Rollers. I was pleased to hear that the students showed great sportsmanship while strengthening their skills. I would like to acknowledge the Specialist and Senior Learning House staff that support this program each week.

### SCHOOL REVIEW

The school is currently preparing for our school review and the School Improvement Team, (with input from staff and the wider community) have completed the pre-review self-evaluation (PRSE). During the Curriculum Day on April 24th, staff worked collaboratively to unpack data and identify enablers and barriers to success. This was a very productive day, and I would like to thank Mirela Kanuric, Michelle Evans, Karlyn Cetin and Mitch Welsh for facilitating these sessions with all staff.



Schools are required to undertake a school review every 4 years to inform the directions of the school's 4-year School Strategic Plan (a legislative requirement for all schools). The school review also informs the development of the school's 4-year School Strategic Plan as well as provides assurance of ongoing compliance with the Minimum Standard related to curriculum and student learning.



### The school review dates are as follows:

- Preparation Day: Thursday the 18th of May
- Validation Day: Tuesday the 30th of May
- Field Day 1: Thursday the 8th of June
- Field Day 2: Friday the 9th of June
- Final Day: Thursday the 15th of June

### STUDENT FREE DAY MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup> JUNE

On Monday on the 5<sup>th</sup> of June, the school will be having a 'Student Free Day'. The students will not be required at school on this day. Staff will be involved in a Professional Practice Day where they will engage in tasks that are consistent with Department and school priorities.

### SCHOOL SUPERVISION TIMES

Student supervision is only provided between the hours of 8:45am - 3:45pm Monday to Friday. We ask that families ensure that their children are not arriving at school prior to 8:45am each morning. For families who require student supervision outside of these hours, 'Our Patch' provides before and after school care onsite.

## STAFFING UPDATE

The school has been successful in recruiting a groundskeeper staff member. Wayne Bach has already completed small maintenance tasks and has been working hard to maintain the beautiful gardens around the school. Peri Chatzoglou has joined our Senior Learning House as a Grade 5 teacher and Shu-Ting Lim has joined the Specialist Team as the Digital Technologies teacher this term. Please welcome these new staff members to the Noble Park School community.



Until next time, stay safe and take care.

Jodie Pyman

(Acting Principal)