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Curriculum News

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Stage Not Age Philosophy

Global Citizens

Creating Global Citizens is extremely important to us at KPS. There are three ways we aim to do this:

1. Studying other cultures, their history, language and their way of life opens up our minds to think globally.
2. The Hindi language will be offered as part of this study (P-2 currently) and connecting with other local schools involved in the cultural exchange program.
3. Hosting students from India creates a human connection, which is priceless. During Term 2 teachers and students from India spend 10 days with our students and teachers.

Experiencing the excitement of new cultures, engaging with a diverse community of students and by visiting and living in an international city is the makings of an engaged and powerful global citizen! During Term 3 a group of students and teachers have the opportunity to spend 10 days in India. Experiences include visiting the Taj Mahal and the cities of Agra and Old Delhi. Having home stays and spending time at an Indian school are among the opportunities offered.



Special Events From February



At Kananook Primary School we pride ourselves on providing the best opportunities for our students. Through these special events and extra curricular activities, we aim to further develop critical and creative thinking and personal and social capabilities.

3/4 Sommers Camp

Our Year 3 and 4 students attended a three day camp at Sommers. They participated in a range of activities, which included:

- Challenge swing
- Orienteering
- Initiative activities
- Mini golf
- Games room
- Team challenges

The teachers were amazed at how brave they all were!



Field Events

Congratulations to all the students who competed at the district Field Events at Ballam Park. We are all very proud of you.



Smart Bank Incursion

The Commonwealth Bank came to visit our junior students to talk about smart banking. They also discussed the difference between wants and needs.



Cross Country Trials

We held our annual cross-country trials for Years 3 to 6 here at KPS. The district cross-country event will be held next Term in May!



Badge Presentation

Our KPS leaders were presented with their official badges this Term. Thank you to Sonya Kilkenny for speaking and presenting the badges to our students.



Pasta Making Incursion

Prep to Year 6 students participated in a pasta-making incursion, where they got to learn the secrets of a delicious sauce. Students also got to make their own pasta from scratch!



Reading Volunteers

Our reading volunteers Andrea David come in every Tuesday to read with our Prep students. Thank you for your ongoing support of KPS.



Our Garden

Thank you to Mrs. May, Mrs. Rich, our wonderful parent volunteers and of course our student for making our garden look so fresh!

Building Update!

You may have seen some new fencing around the school lately. This is because our Mirrabooka building is getting a much needed update! A lot of work has been done over the last two weeks and we can't wait until it is finished and becomes our new Administration building. Thank you for your co-operation while the building works are underway.



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Coming up in April:

- Track tryouts – 4th
- Colour Explosion – 5th
- Last Day Term 1 – 5th
- Term 2 Begins – 18th
- Easter Monday – 18th
- ANZAC Day – 25th

Coming up in May:

- District Cross Country – 2nd
- School Council – 8th
- Mother's Day Stall – 9th
- District Track Events – 10th
- Maths Olympiad – 22nd

Dates are subject to change