

Literacy

In writing, students have been finalising news reports for the board. The main focus has been on creating content that includes direct and reported speech, headline, byline, images and captions.

In reading, classes have looked at a range of scripts in preparation of writing. They had the opportunity to play them out in class, focusing on stage directions, how the text was delivered etc.

Hoop-time

An amazing event was held at Kilsyth Stadium, where 16 Dorset teams competed in a round-robin tournament. Three separate competitions ran on the day: All stars, Future stars and Rookies, where students had the opportunity to play schools from within the local area.

Dorset had a mixed bag of results, with a fun day had by all students involved.

The new uniforms looked amazing and the students again demonstrated the Dorset Values throughout the day.

Some highlights:

* Liam Wilson’s big time block; ☺
* Jessie Brown’s long shot from 3;
* Bailey Burton’s spin move in the key;
* Mitchell Sander’s court time appearance; ☺
* Jess Gibbs’ tenacity at the ball;
* Morgan Jalocha’s rebounding;
* John Thang’s dribbling ability

and…

* The Heilyn and Joseph show!

Maths

Throughout the fortnight students have been completing online assessments in preparation of the weeks ahead.

Students have worked through a range of hands on activities that related to fractions and shapes including building a fraction wall, matching open nets, sketching 3-D shapes and identifying faces, edges and vertices.

Number talks have also been completed in classes, with students utilising a range of strategies to complete assigned questions.

SAKGP

SAKG began with Garden, with many jobs to complete ready for Spring time. Students have been weeding, composting and planting seeds in preparation of the growing season.

In the Kitchen, Gregg led classes through some new recipes which can be accessed on the website. Students have enjoyed the new food, often asking for second helpings.

Notes to Return:

Diaries (daily)

Athletics (not all students received)

Production tickets (booking online)

Coming Up:

Friday 25th August – 3/4 Hoop-time coaching

Wednesday 30th August – Book Parade

Friday 1st September – Father’s Day Stall

Tuesday 5th September – Senior Aths

**Tuesday (recurring) 2018 Transition (Prep)**

**5/6 students to assist.**

NEWS

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