Grade 1 Term 2 Bulletin

The Grade 1’s have returned from the Term 1 break recharged and ready for another term.

Term 2 will see the Grade 1’s continuing to develop their number knowledge as we investigate addition and subtraction along with number patterns. Later in the term students will develop their skills in understanding fractions and exploring measurement.

Our students have all become avid writers and they enjoyed writing about their own personal experiences last term. This term students will focus on the Writer’s Traits ‘Sentence Fluency’ and ‘Word Choice’ and will explore fictional imaginative writing.

We have had a number of children reach 50 nights of home reading! What superstars! Home reading is important as it supports children’s learning outside of the classroom. Students should aim for 5 nights of reading a week in order to build student’s confidence and reading strategies.

This term the Grade 1’s will spend time developing their emotional intelligence, with a particular focus on building social skills. We will also be immersing students in science in our topic ‘Stimulating Science’. They will be encouraged to think and act like scientists as they experiment with things that change.

At Hamlyn Banks Primary School we are Respectful, Safe and Learners. We encourage you to discuss with your child about what this means to them and celebrate when they receive certificates and wrist bands. We look forward to a positive Term 2.