



Revesby Public School

ACADEMIC SUCCESS – OPPORTUNITIES - PARTNERSHIPS FOR LIFE

Term 4 Week 4- 2019

Newsletter

Thursday, 7th November 2019



Relieving Principal Message

Kindergarten Orientation



Thank you to all families who joined us for our first kindergarten orientation last week. We look forward to seeing you next Tuesday at 9.30am.

If you have not yet enrolled, please still bring your child to the orientation and see our office staff to enrol your child.

Attendance Month - November

Attendance at school is absolutely vital for a child to achieve their potential. As such, we place a very high importance on ensuring all children at Revesby attend every day, unless they are very ill or have extreme circumstances. To encourage and reward excellent attendance, we will be having an "Attendance Month" this November.

Beginning on Monday 4th November, students who attend every day for the month, are at school on time and don't leave early will be rewarded with a movie, popcorn and drink. If your child is very ill and cannot attend school, a doctor's certificate will ensure they are eligible for the reward.

The Colour Run



A huge thank you to the P&C for organising The colour Run, it was a great success and students, families and teachers were all beaming from ear to ear!

Halloween Fun



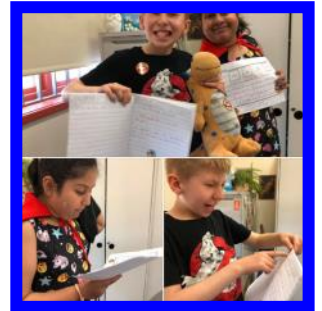
Thank you to our families and all students who supported Rural Aid (farmers drought relief), we raised a total of \$310.

Students had lots of fun dressing up for Halloween or muffin on the day.

Thank you to Miss De Santi for organising the fund raiser.

Sharing Work

I look forward to all the wonderful work students bring up to the Principals office. An absolute highlight of my day is listening to students learning goals and seeing their proud smiles. Keep up the great learning!



Junior t-ball Girls



On Friday 25th October the Junior t-ball girls had their first win. Well done to all the girls in the team and for showing great team work!

Perspective Drawings



Over the past 4 weeks on Friday, Stage 2 students have been working on their perspective drawings with Miss Salem. Students learnt about the vanishing point and how objects appear smaller the further they are from our eye. This encourages students to try different techniques to ensure they get that effect. Well done to all the students who participated. These six students were our finalists and place winners. Congratulations!

Remembrance Day

On Monday, 11 November 2019 at 10.45am, we will be holding a Remembrance Day assembly. We welcome the community to join us in remembering the soldiers, sailors and airmen who died during the service to their country.



P&C Meeting

P&C meetings are a great way to hear school news from the Principal, meet other families and ask questions you may have. We look forward to welcoming new parents and interested family members. Save the date: Our next P&C meeting Wednesday 20th November at 9.15am in the school hall. It would be great if you could attend.

Russ the Bus

On Monday, 11 November 2019, Russ the Story Bus, the Sydney Writers' Festival's beloved 'library-on-wheels' will be visiting Revesby Public School.

Russ the Story Bus is a magical bus for primary school students that celebrates storytelling, reading and creativity, and encourages a lifelong love of books.



Each student taking part will be invited on Russ to select a free book of their very own to keep, as well as take part in an interactive talk presented by a children's book author or illustrator. The author will share their love of books, discuss their craft and inspire children to think creatively about reading, writing and storytelling.

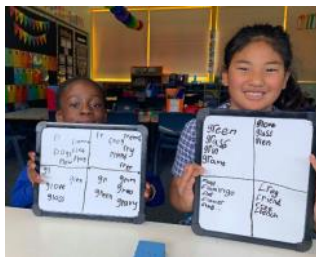
The author visiting Revesby Public is Frances Watts, an award-winning author of more than 25 books for younger readers. Her bestselling picture books include Kisses for Daddy, Parsley Rabbit's Book about Books, and The Fearsome, Frightening, Ferocious Box. Frances is also the author of the medieval Sword Girl series and the Stinky Street series (under the name Alex Ratt).

Elham El-Ali

Tier 2 News!

Stage 1

In Literacy, Stage 1 have been working hard to become better readers. We are working on using sounds that we know to read unknown words. Students are also trying to use fluency when they are reading so that they are able to understand the text better.



In Numeracy, Stage 1 have been trying to use efficient counting strategies. We are learning to count items in groups of twos, fives and tens. Some students are working hard to understand the place value of two digit numbers.



Stage 2

3/4 Emerald have been learning understand the place value of decimal numbers. 3/4 Green are learning to count forwards and backwards to and from higher 3 digit numbers. 3/4 Lilac are working hard to understand how to represent two and three digit numbers in a variety of ways.



Stage 3

This term, Stage 3 have gained a greater understanding about decimal numbers. They have been learning to accurately compare ragged decimals.



Maths in Stage One

Stage One students have been involved in a range of maths activities using concrete materials, technology and movement through maths.



Science in Stage One

Stage One have been working on the unit 'Watch it Grow'. We have been learning about caring for plants and have planted our own seedlings.



Year 2 STEM

Year 2 students have been working hard in STEM each Friday afternoon. They have been developing skills to plan, design and create a variety of structures with their allocated resources. We spend time reflecting on how well our designs have met success criteria. This has also been a valuable opportunity to learn important team work skills.



Sport in Stage One

Year 1 students participate each week in the K/1 sport program and have consolidated their gross motor skills throughout the year. Our Year 2 students have been developing skills required for a range of team sports.



PSSA NEWS

Soft Ball at Georges River Field

Date	Field	Opponent
8/11/19	Diamond 3/7	Padstow Heights
15/11/19		Semi Finals
22/11/19		Finals

Tee Ball at Georges River Field

Date	Field	Opponent
8/11/19	Diamond 7/8	TBA

Term 4 Week 2 & Week 3 CLASS AWARDS

K Blue	Zahraa M	Working hard in her first week at RPS	Hasham K	Contributing to class discussion in Science lesson about the weather.
K Pink	Ranveer S	Always trying his best in independent writing	Thirjot K	An excellent presentation on her family in news this
K Yellow	Benjamin P	Using expression & fluency in reading	Reeva R	A wonderful improvement with her handwriting
1/2 Aqua	Jack B	Outstanding number strategies	Ayham D	An excellent attitude towards learning
1/2 Navy	Mohamad H	Using fluency & expression in his reading	Elijah T	Independently using the split & jump strategy in Mathematics
1/2 Red	Gabriella H	Confidently using the split strategy	Andy T	Showing enthusiasm during the colour run
1/2 Violet	Mili T	Hard work & persistence in Maths	Nahoen R	Hard work & persistence in reading & writing
3/4 Emerald	Tyrone V	Working well in division activity	Ashmen K	Great work in division activity
3/4 Green	Xeni L	Modelling a range of different maths strategies	Hosain S	Improved structure with your writing
3/4 Lilac				
5/6 Lime	Khalid Y	Enthusiastically participating in maths this week	Mariama S	Being a considerate student in 5/6 Lime
5/6 Ruby	Violet K	Working hard in art club to complete artwork	Anastasia M	Confidently presenting her ideas in Mathematics
5/6 Teal	Safia A	Her character comparison	Josaia N	Contributing to discussions in reading
K/6 Gold	Jad H	For excellent writing of his weekend news		
K/6 Purple	Spencer B	Outstanding participation in School Spectacular rehearsals		
K/6 Sienna	Tyrese F	Fantastic behaviour at School Spectacular rehearsals		

K Blue	Amal E	A wonderful effort in mirroring during dance lessons	Houda E	A fantastic poster on her family history
K Pink	Laylarni T	An excellent effort in planning her "Little Scribe Story"	Isabella R	A great presentation this week
K Yellow	Jana S	A great effort in planning her "Little Scribe Story"	Amelie R	Presenting wonderful information about her family's history
1/2 Aqua	Kaivahlia M	Continuing to improve her reading	Dylan S	Using a clear voice during guided reading
1/2 Navy	Reyhana A	Becoming a more independent reader	Aida G	Taking care with her Little Scribe Writing
1/2 Red	Leo Y	Using skip counting to multiply & divide	Richie L	Being a considerate & helpful class member
1/2 Violet	Ryan J	A great start to his persuasive writing	Fatima J	An excellent effort in reading this week
3/4 Emerald	Dianna Y	Improved understanding of decimals	Isabelle P	Great effort in spelling
3/4 Green	Gurtaaz G	Good work with subtraction algorithms with trading	Ava B	Some great ideas developing with your Little Scribe story
3/4 Lilac	Ashmeen	A great attitude to her learning	Tony P	Improvement in numeracy
5/6 Lime	Omar K	Improvement in his spelling & handwriting	Alex N	Putting in effort in his school work
5/6 Ruby	Janie V	Outstanding work on fractions, decimals & percentages	Junior N	Writing good sentences in our writing assessments
5/6 Teal	Raphael L	Being an eager participant at his orientation	Natalie N	A diligent approach to her learning
K/6 Gold	Charbel P	For a fantastic start to his "Little Scribe Story"		
K/6 Purple	Saanvi T	Writing a good narrative with interesting adjectives		
K/6 Sienna	Tara P	A fantastic start to her "Little Scribe Story"		

What's happening at RPS

- Monday 11th November - Remembrance Day Assembly
- Monday 11th November - Russ the Story Bus
- Tuesday 12th November - Kindergarten Orientation
- Tuesday 19th November - Kindergarten Orientation
- Wednesday 20th November - St Joseph Banks High School
Transition Day Year 7
- Sunday 24th November - Robotics Competition

- Tuesday 3rd December - Year 6 High School Orientation Day
- Wednesday 11th December - Presentation Day
- Volunteers Afternoon Tea
- Year 6 Farewell Padstow RSL
- Thursday 12th December - Reports Go home
- Friday 13th December - Principal's Picnic
- Monday 16th December - Talent Quest
- Tuesday 17th December - Movie Day
- Year 6 Excursion
- Wednesday 18th December - Last Day of School
- Wednesday 29th January 2020 - 1st Day back at School 1-6 Only



Thursday, 7th November, 2019

Movement of Families in 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

To assist in preparation for the new school year in 2020, please return the slip below if:

Your family is definitely moving during the vacation period, and your child will not be returning to Revesby Public School.

Or

Your family will be away on holidays and will return after Tuesday 28th January 2020.

Mrs E. El-Ali
Relieving Principal

Movement of Families in 2020

Family Name: _____

Child/Children's names:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

My Child/children will not need a class placement at Revesby Public School in 2020.

My Child/children will return after Tuesday 28th January 2020 to Revesby PS due to extended holidays/ overseas travel. My child/children will return on _____.

Parent/Carer's signature: _____ Date: _____