



DATES TO REMEMBER

- TOMORROW - WORLD TEACHERS DAY**
November 1st - 5:30 -7:30pm Evening Art Showcase at Woodville Town Hall
November 2nd - Red Building STEM Excursion to Woodville High School.
November 6th - Years 6/7 Parliament House Visit hoisted by Peter Malinauskas.
November 7th - 6:00pm WGS Governing Council.

Dear Parents and families, 2018 Classes

Teachers and Leadership are currently organizing Classes for 2018; putting together class groupings according to year level, learning, friendship groups and positive relationships.

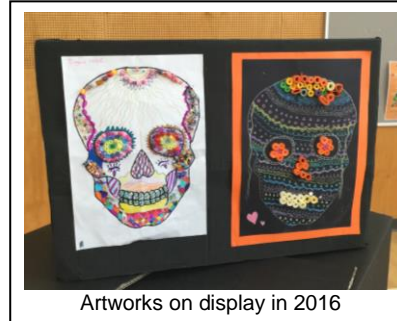
Can you please inform your child's teacher or contact the front office if you are planning to leave at the end of this year. Sometimes a change of one –two children can make a significant difference to how many classes we create.

We also survey the students regarding who they think they work best with and this is entered into a computer program along with all the other individual data such as behaviour, medical, NAPLAN, reading and maths data. If there is additional information that families wish to pass onto the school please do so via your child's current teacher. Please don't assume that information from previous years is retained.

Woodville Gardens School Arts Extravaganza All Welcome!

Next Wednesday evening, 150 children will be performing at the Woodville Town Hall for friends, family and staff. Many other students will have their art works on display in the annex, creating our very own pop-up Art gallery.

The performance starts at 6:00pm and a kiosk will be open from 5:15 selling snacks and drinks until 5:55, allowing time for the audience to settle before the opening number. The kiosk WILL NOT be opening during the performance out of respect for



Artworks on display in 2016

the performers as we wish to create an authentic experience for all students.



Flute Performance from the Arts Showcase

The performance will last until approximately 7:30pm, hosted by three of our Year 7 Ambassadors, Kiah, Ha and Taylor, including performances by Band, Choir, Woodwind and ensembles. Please come and celebrate our talented musicians and artists!

Basketball Results

Friday night basketball has started again capably lead by Mr Marek Bendyk, supported by Mr. Scott Foale and Mr Todd Featherby.

Both teams played hard and experienced success in playing as a team. The Hornets lost by 15 points but there was some great defensive play by Shalom who converted several rebounds. The Bulls had a comprehensive win of 21 points, responding to early pressure from the opposition. Strong performances were from Middy, Rajkarthick and Kushaan.



Shalom bringing the ball down the court.

Fiona Voigt – Principal

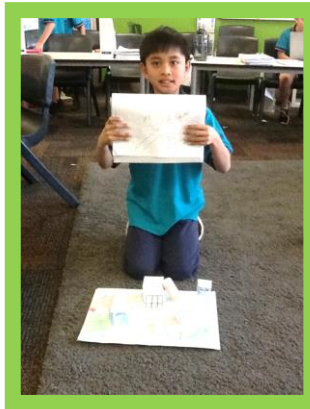


GREEN LEARNING AREA

Room 8007

In Maths, each student in 8007 developed a plan of a playground.

The playground design had to be drawn from the perspective of a Birds eye view. The plan had to include certain features and equipment that could be constructed from 3D shapes constructed from nets. The finished product had to match the student's original plan. Here are some photos of the process and their completed products.



Maths - Shape

Room 8008



Weaving

After visiting the Mikawomma Reserve the children in our class researched how the Kaurna people used natural material in their every day life. Bulrushes which is an Indigenous plant was gathered and used to make baskets, mats and fishing nets. Sandy and Bec helped us learn the skill of weaving using a range of mediums. During our school showcase of learning, we had parents who came to visit our class and were shown the weaving process.



Maths in 8012 and 8013

Room **8012** and **8013** have been busy working on two and three dimensional shapes in Mathematics. Students built on their prior knowledge through the exploration of two dimensional and common three dimensional shapes. Students became familiar with the common terminology based around naming shapes and identifying features such as (faces, edges and vertices). Students also explored and worked on various activities based on the similarities and differences between pyramids and prisms.

Students had the opportunity to work through a series of rotational stations which enabled them to take a part in a range of activities, using hands on materials. Activities included- drawing nets and construction of three dimensional shapes, grouping objects by identifying key features, using polydrons to construct nets and make three dimensional shapes as well as constructing castles by using a range of three dimensional shapes.

Vas Parissos and Bianca Sarabia

During **8012's** castle construction task, students identified and named all shapes included in their models. They completed a series of sketches of their castle models from various viewpoints (birds' eye, sided and front views).



Students discussing key features of three dimensional shapes.



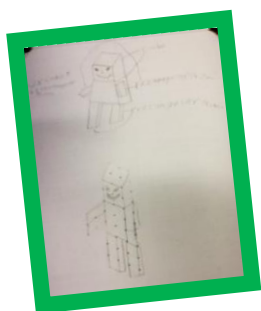
Using polydrons to make nets and create three dimensional shapes.



Students are building castles using three dimensional shapes. They are constructing, sketching and recording key features.

After lots of 3D shape discussion, exploration and construction, **8013** designed 3D shape robots as a final task for the unit. We used isometric paper to help plan, draw and design our robots. Next we made lists of the shapes required to make our robots and then drew up and constructed our own nets to complete the robots.

It was a challenging and fun task for all!



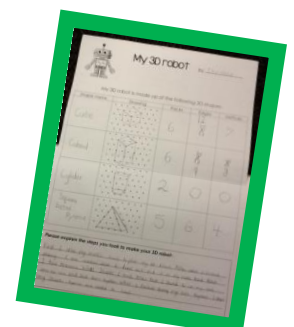
Phu's robot plan



Milah's 3D robot and house creations



Quynh Chi's 3D robot



Christina's 3D robot explanation

FosterCare

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Foster Carers can be single, couples, people at home, working full-time, part-time or studying. Free training and ongoing professional support (including 24-hour assistance) is provided. Find out more at one of our upcoming information sessions:

Monday 11th December
159 Port Road
Hindmarsh SA 5007
6.30-8.30pm

Wednesday 24th January
159 Port Road
Hindmarsh SA 5007
6.30-8.30pm

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Woodville Gardens
 School

Invitation



for families of Reception,
 Year 1 and Year 2 children

Do you want to help your child with reading and looking for successful strategies?

Why not come along to a reading workshop?

We'll be talking about ways you can help your child with reading and answer any questions you may have.

Thank you Margy and Kellie

When: Tuesday 31st October from 8.50 – 9.30am

Where: Staffroom; a crèche will be available for children.

Please return slip below to your child's classroom teacher if you are attending.

NAME.....

Number of adults attending from your family.

My child/children are in Room/s.....

Do you require crèche? YES/NO

If so for how many children.....