



Glowrey Catholic Primary School

23rd June 2023

Dear Parents and Students,

As we conclude term two I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all of our students on their efforts this first semester. Parents would have received children's half yearly report this week in which children's achievements are highlighted. Thank you for your attendance at last night's Parent/Teacher interviews in which teachers were able to set new learning goals for the second semester of 2023.

Congratulations to our Year Six students who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday. These children were extremely well prepared by both their parents and our staff.

On a staffing note we congratulate Mr Joe Gravina and his wife Ellen on the safe arrival of their second daughter Ruby. We would also like to congratulate Mrs Fran Vasiliadis and her husband Michael on the arrival of their son Nikolaos. Our warmest wishes are extended to both families.

Over the past few weeks many of our students have been attending excursions. These excursions are a very important part of the 'Inquiry' work students are studying about in school. My thanks to the many parents who have volunteered their time to assist our staff on these days.

Finally wishing all of our families a restful, safe and happy holiday break.

Yours sincerely,

Tim Kelly
Principal





Dear Parish Community,

We are thrilled to extend our warmest congratulations to our Year 6 Confirmation candidates on their remarkable achievement! Last Saturday, June 17th, Bishop Terry Curtin and Father Anh led a beautiful and meaningful Mass, surrounded by their loved ones and friends.

We are truly grateful to Mr. Catalano for his outstanding dedication and commitment in preparing our students for this important sacrament. The students were exceptionally well prepared, and their knowledge and understanding of their faith were evident throughout the ceremony.

It was a joyous occasion filled with prayers, music, and the presence of the Holy Spirit. Witnessing the students take this significant step in their spiritual journey was truly inspiring for all in attendance.

As a community, let us continue to support and encourage our newly confirmed members as they embark on this next chapter of their faith. May they find strength, guidance, and an unwavering connection with God as they live out their commitment to their Catholic faith.

Once again, congratulations to our Year 6 Confirmation candidates, and may the blessings of the Holy Spirit continue to guide them on their path.

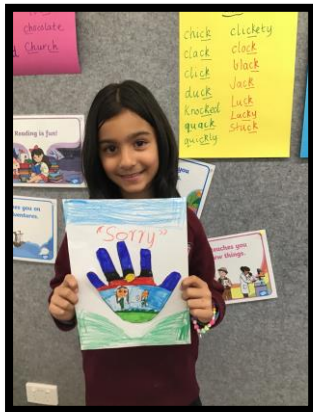
Leanne Daquino

Religious Education Leader

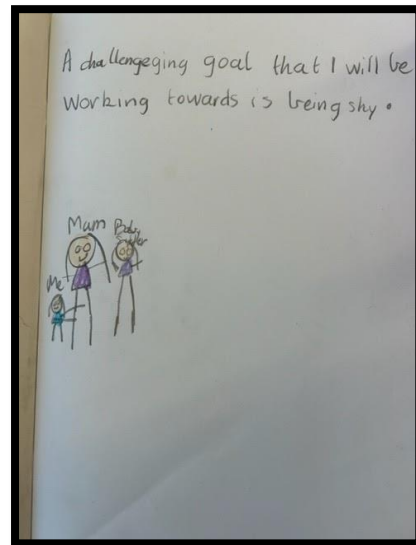


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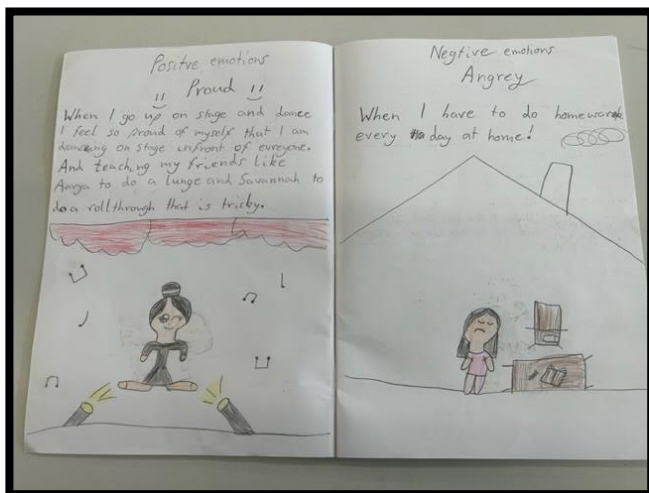
In Week 5 and 6 students at Glowrey engaged in age appropriate activities to learn about the significance of National Sorry Day and National Reconciliation Week. National Sorry Day is held on 26th of May each year. This year's theme was Be A Voice for Generations. National Reconciliation week is celebrated from the 27th of May to the 3rd of June each year. Here is a snapshot of some of the activities that students engaged in while learning about the significance of both National Sorry Day and National Reconciliation Week.



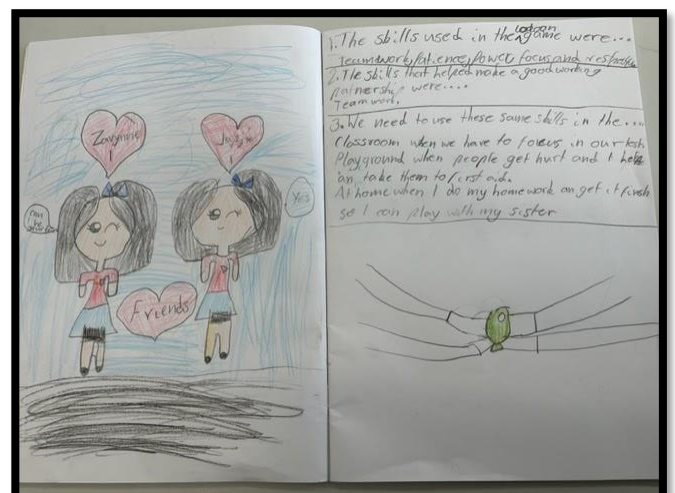
Snap shot of activities from various units of the Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships



Year 1 students identify situations that make them feel comfortable/positive emotions as well as some goals on how they can continue to build their personal strengths.



Year 3 students identifying how different scenarios can trigger positive/comfortable emotions of negative/uncomfortable emotions



Year 3 students identify skills that are helpful for working as a team.

Year 5 students identify strengths they admire in others

STRENGTHS I ADMIRE

FICTIONAL CHARACTER	REAL PERSON
This is: <u>Nemo</u>	This is: <u>Dance teacher</u>
I admire this character because they are someone who: (Describe their actions here.) <u>Nemo is a determined and he has great compassion. he is a very calm fish and he sets his mind to tricky challenges.</u>	I admire this person because they are someone who: (Describe their actions here.) <u>she has a great mind sets and her mind to whatever she wants to do. she also teaches us great tricks and helps me when I don't know something.</u>
The strengths I see in this character: <u>Determination</u> <u>Fairness</u> <u>Loyalty</u> <u>Courage</u>	The strengths I see in this person: <u>Humor</u> <u>Compassion</u> <u>Loyalty</u> <u>Enthusiasm</u> <u>generosity</u> <u>Determination</u> <u>Fairness</u>

CHARACTER STRENGTHS

Optimism	Honesty	Trustworthiness	Self-control
Humour	Courage	Compassion	Creativity
Fairness	Loyalty	Generosity	
Determination	Tolerance	Enthusiasm	

Year 6 students look at the intensity of emotions and how situations can trigger a range of emotions

15/5/23

LI: We are learning to identify events or experiences that might trigger different emotions.

ROLLER COASTER OF A WEEK
 Draw your own roller coaster to reflect your day.

Day	Event	Emotions
Day 1	I borrowed a cool book.	interested and happy, because I finally found a book I like.
Day 2	My mum came in the day for mothers day.	warm and happy, because I got to play with her, and show her my work.
Day 3	Srinikas birthday party!	excited and energetic, because I got to invite to a party, and it was fun.
Day 4	Went to a restaurant for mothers day.	happy and safe because I got to see my family and the food was delicious.

EXAMPLE EMOTIONS

nervous, proud, kind, loved, angry, happy, scared, excited, sad, surprised, jealous, awful, ashamed, annoyed, amazed, hopeful, miserable, embarrassed, proud, kind, loved, thankful, stupid, stupid, worried, upset, safe, lonely, afraid, confident, shy, strong, nervous, calm, frustrated, furious, mean, gully, ignored, uncomfortable, inspired, serene, betrayed, disappointed, determined, respect, nervous, curious, suspicious.

27/4/23

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EMOTIONAL INTENSITY WORD LIST

EMOTIONS BECOMING MORE INTENSE

apprehension	nervous	fearful	terrified
surprised	amazed	astounded	stunned
dislike	horror	disgusted	loathing
irritated	annoyed	angry	enraged
pleased	happy	joyful	ecstatic
interested	keen	eager	enthusiastic
unhappy	sad	miserable	despairing

RESILIENCE, RIGHTS & RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS LEVEL 6 - 8

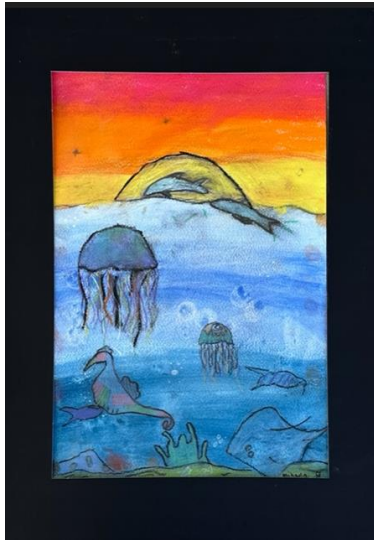
On Tuesday 20th June, Leila Gurruwiwi, the Melbourne Archdiocese Catholic Schools (MACS) Aboriginal representative came and spoke to different year levels about Aboriginal perspectives that linked with their Inquiry units.



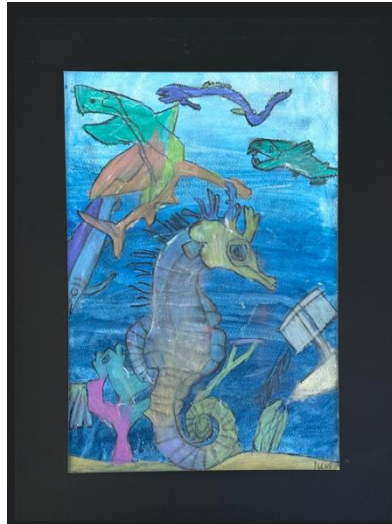
Year 5 and 6 Sea life Artworks

Here are a sample selection of completed Year 5 and 6 students' artworks titled "Sea life" whereby the students learned skills in observation drawing as starting points to create a balanced composition of sea life creatures and water plants. They focused on movement in the water and the sea floor using watercolour paints and dry pastels.

Ms. Carmen Mazzarotta
Visual Arts Teacher



Michaela 5F



Yuvi 5F



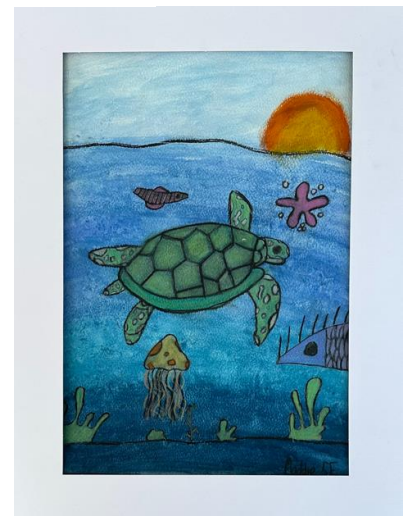
Blair 5F



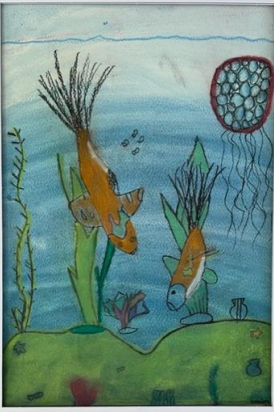
Salina 5F



Natalia 5F



Maddie 5F



Natalia 6C



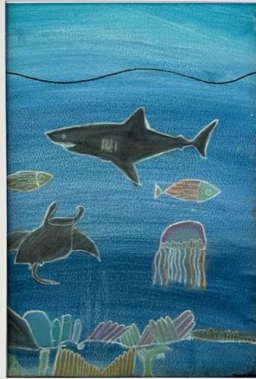
Zoe 6C



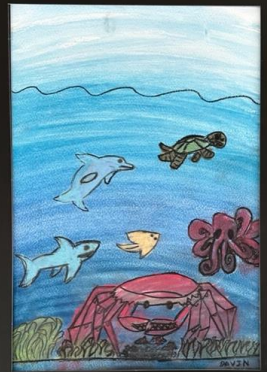
Pranav 6C



Diana 6C



Manan 6C



Davin 6C



Caley 6C



Eric 6C



Avreet 6c

TERM THREE SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday 10 th July	Term Three commences
Tuesday 18 th July	Year Two excursion to Lego Land
Monday 31 st July	School Closure Day
Monday 21 st August	Book Week Commences
Tuesday 29 th August	Father's Day Store
Thursday 31 st August	Father's Day Celebration
Friday 15 th September	Term 3 Concludes 3.30pm



SCHOOL UNIFORM



Please ensure your child has the correct school uniform and school shoes

Message from Academy Uniforms

Academy Uniforms will be closing **all stores from Thursday 29th June and re-opening 9am Tuesday 4th July.**

On-line ordering will also be unavailable during this time.

We have chosen the quietest few days of the year for this rollout to minimise the inconvenience to families.

Regards

Mark Sobiech
Sales Manager



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St Monica's College, Epping Year 7, 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Applications for Grade 5 students starting Year 7 in 2025 are now open and will close on Friday, 18 August 2023.

Application for enrolment is available on the St Monica's College website www.stmonicas-epping.com/apply
Complete your online form and submit with the documentation required.

For enquiries, please contact the College Registrar, Mrs. Lina Sirianni on 9409 8800 or email registrar@stmonicas-epping.com.



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