



# St Joseph's School Uralla Newsletter



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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents

Thank you to those parents and students who completed the survey we sent out last week. The data gathered has given us a clear direction in which we can now head when planning for next term. This is a whole new way of teaching for our teachers and a new way of learning for our students. No one has all the answers and we will continue to find a way through that we hope will support your child's learning, as your child's education is our main priority. These last couple of days our staff have been working collaboratively to create what we think will be the best way forward for your children. There will still be hiccups, but together we aim to support you and your child through "to the other side".

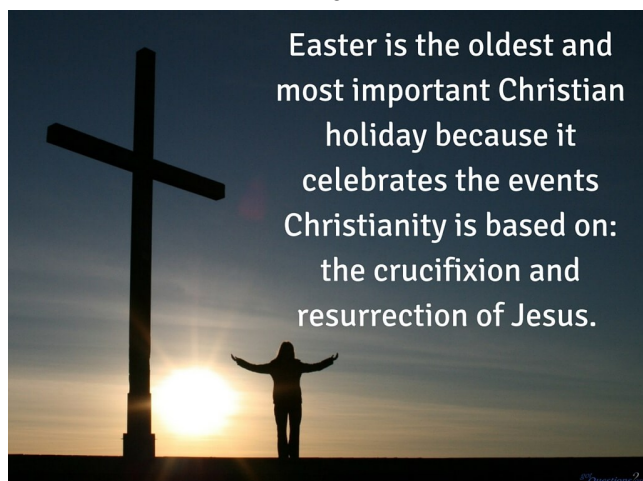
Thank you to our students for being so creative with their Easter Hats. Within our newsletter today you will see the amazing creative talent of all our students. Tomorrow, Thursday, at 10:00am, we will have our virtual assembly. You can access this through your child's email. Please try to log in a few moments before 10:00am so that we are all ready to start on time. We are inviting all the family and we ask that your child wears their hat to this assembly. See you all tomorrow!

I know that everyone's Easter preparations are vastly different to usual and it all seems a little weird and surreal but let's all make the best of it. We can still make this Easter a happy celebration – we'll just have to be a little more creative within the restrictions. It will definitely be a memorable Easter and something we'll talk about for years to come.

When we reflect on why we even celebrate Easter at all, we need to remind ourselves that Jesus was crucified, buried within a tomb and rose from the dead on Easter Sunday. Why? To show us that there is hope if we just believe in Him. His was the ultimate act of love to show us The Way to new life. Perhaps we can all come out of this a little better than when it all began, with the help of God and the support and love of each other.

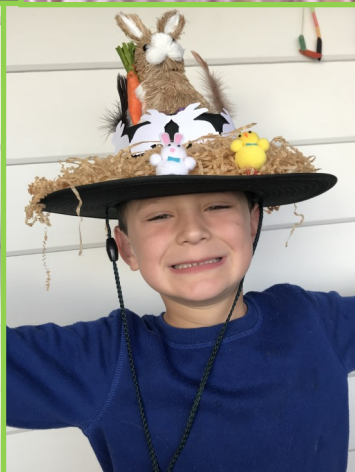
On behalf of all the staff at St Joseph's I wish you all a very safe and happy Easter.

*Kind regards*  
*Judy Elks*





# EASTER HAT PARADE





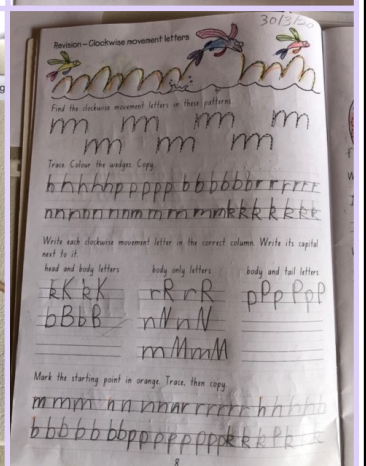
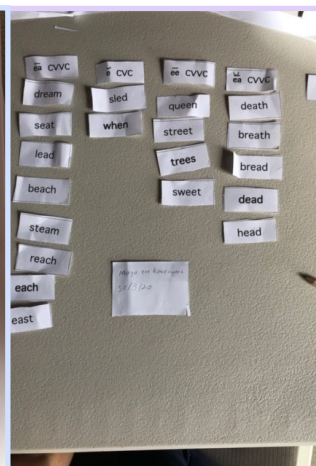
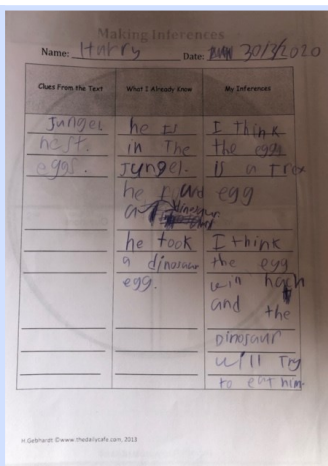
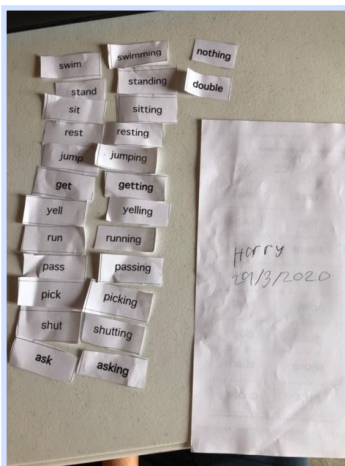
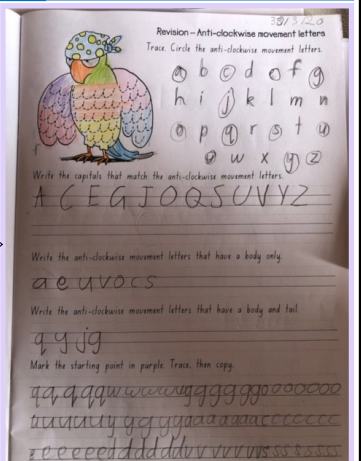


Sienna's has paper butterflies she made on it and Riley has paper Easter eggs he helped me make. We decided the butterflies represented new life coming out of the cocoon like Jesus coming out of the tomb. Charlotte with her Easter hat as well.



Some of Harry's work from last week.  
Sam Kauffmann

Some of Maya's work from last week.  
Sam Kauffmann

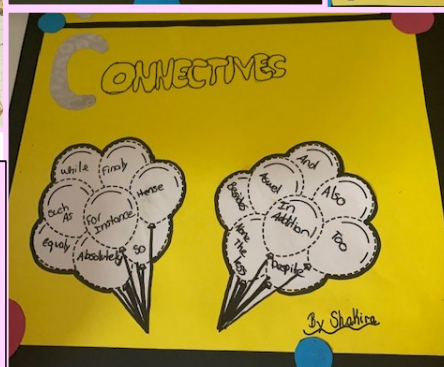
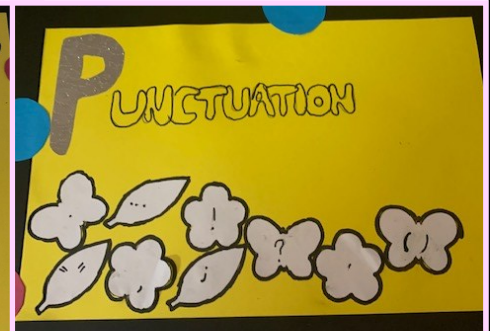
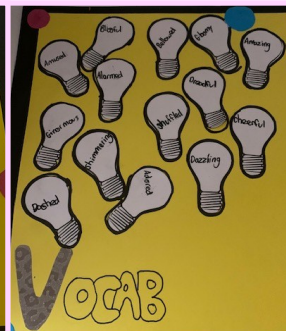
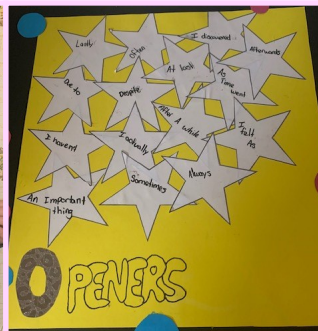




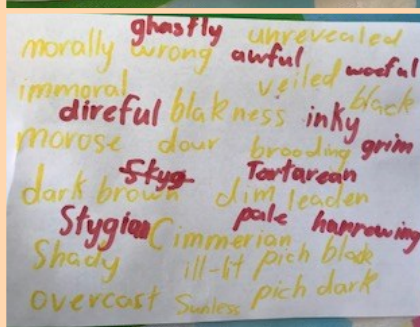
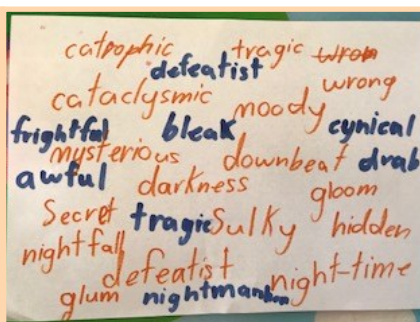
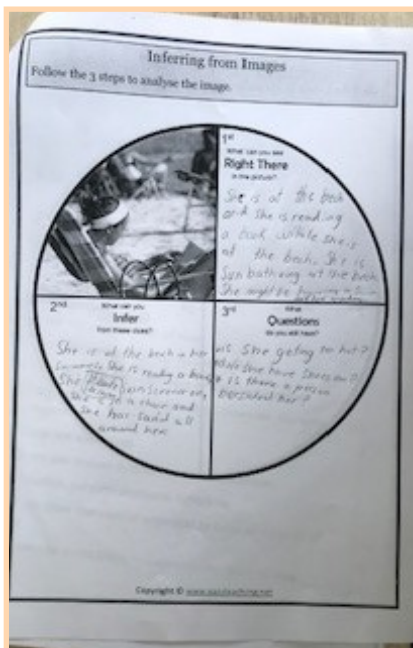
## ONLINE LEARNING



Shakira's VCOP Wall.  
"This is amazing - very clever work! Great wow words too! Thanks for sharing."  
Mrs Finlayson



Here are a few things Sienna has been up to, she enjoyed looking up WOW words. We did some art yesterday afternoon and she made a dream catcher so she didn't get bad dreams.  
Kylie Garside



### Just for Today

God grant me patience with  
The changes that take time  
An appreciation for all that  
I have,  
Tolerance of those with  
Different struggles, and the  
Strength to get up and  
Try again,  
One day at a time.  
Amen

### Dates to Remember

#### CANTEEN NEWS

Canteen will not be  
operating until we all return  
to school. We will have a  
new menu for you by then.

#### BIRTHDAYS

21 Apr: Mackenna  
Kliendienst  
24 Apr: Jade Redmond

