



Technology in Mellor

1) **BOOK CREATOR:** Children create all kinds of books, including picture books, comic books, photo books, journals, textbooks and more. Children create books of any size or orientation and add pictures that they have taken or created themselves.

2) **POWERPOINT:** Children have the opportunity to present their thinking through a series of slides and practise important skills such as typing, saving and printing.

3) **iMovie:** Mellor students will be exposed to creating iMovies to share their learning. Children can edit photos and video clips, add titles, themes, music, and effects to share their learning in a digital way.

4) **SOCK PUPPETS:** Students create their own lip-synched videos to voice narratives, information reports, HASS learning etc. Learning teams will work together with multiple puppets to record their conversations and learning. While recording, children have the opportunity to take their puppets to different places, move the puppets, props and scenery to animate them.

5) **GOOGLE EARTH:** Google Earth lets you fly anywhere on Earth to view satellite imagery, maps, terrain, 3D buildings, from galaxies in outer space to the canyons of the ocean. This will form an integral part of our HASS Geography inquiry as we explore our local area and Australia's connection with the world. The TimeSlider feature will be used to look at how our local area has changed over the years.

6) **EXPLAIN EVERYTHING:** Children create presentations or record screencasts to demonstrate a concept or illustrate a tutorial that they have been learning. For example, children may use the app to show how to partition numbers into hundreds, tens and units. Children are able to simultaneously write on page and record their voice to share their learning.