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What a busy start we have had to our final term of Prep! We have been regularly practising routines that support our day to day learning such as keeping our learning space tidy, moving safely with scissors and zipping up our bags.



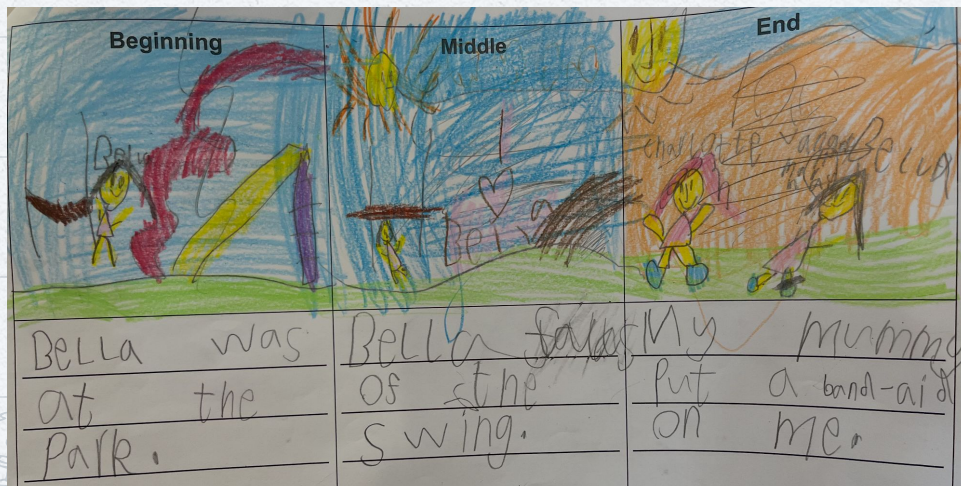
READING

This term in Reading, we have been continuing to learn our new letter sounds and heart words. We have explored digraph sounds (two letters to make one sound) such as 'sh' and 'th' and have been decoding new words. We have been building our stamina for independent reading, and practising reading fluently by reading to a partner.



WRITING

This term in Writing, we have been continuing to develop important writing skills such as sentence fluency, spelling and word choice. One specific focus has been including adjectives in our writing to add more interesting details for the reader. We have also begun exploring story structures by writing short narratives with a beginning, middle and end.



MATHS

This term in Maths we have been exploring a variety of learning areas. We have looked at 3D concept of measurement, practising new skills like hefting and pouring sand from one container to another to see if it will overflow. We have also been practising writing numbers! We have done this in sand, on the iPads, with peg boards and etch-a-sketches. We love writing our numbers!





CONCEPT

This term in Concept we have been exploring what it is like to be an engineer! Most recently we read *Goldilocks and the Three Bears* and designed “Goldilocks-proof houses”. Check out some of our designs!



We've had a wonderful start to Term 4 and we can't wait for all that is still to come! The Prep students have enjoyed the start of our Swimming Program, getting ready for the School Fete and our excursion to Legoland.

