

End of Term 3

Newsletter



This Term in Wattle



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Literacy

Students have been building their phonics skills through daily practice and exploring new vocabulary.

Numeracy

Students have been exploring number through hands-on activities with a focus on counting, combining and partitioning collections.

SWPBS

Our focus has been on showing respect by using kind words, listening to others and learning about public and private spaces.

Specialist

Visual Arts, P.E

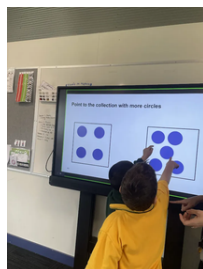
Wattle Spotlight

Wattle has had a fantastic term filled with learning, growth and exciting experiences. Students have been developing important life skills through cooking activities, including learning how to write and follow recipes.

A highlight of the term was our swimming program, where students had the opportunity to build their confidence, independence and water safety skills.

We also celebrated Book Week with a range of fun activities that encouraged a love of books, stories and creativity. During Science Week, classes explored different areas of science and worked on their own science projects, providing lots of opportunities for hands-on learning and discovery.

We are very proud of everything our Wattle students have achieved this term and look forward to Term 4, with many exciting whole-school events and learning experiences ahead.



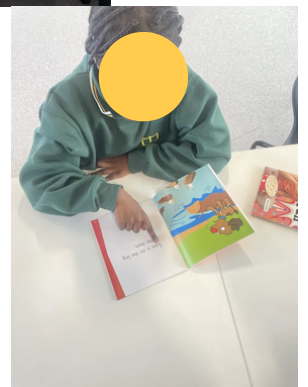
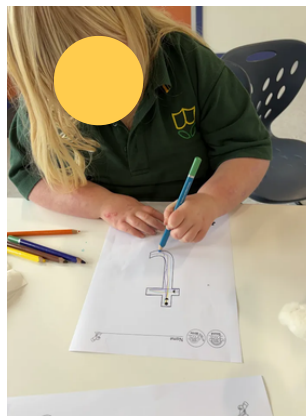
Announcements

- Students will return home with all their school belongings.
- Bring spare clothes for Term 4.
- Encourage you child to wear a hat and sunscreen for Term 4.
- Check Compass regularly.
- Term 4 begins Monday 5th Oct.

8A Highlights

TEACHER MESSAGE

Class 8A has had a fantastic Term 3 filled with lots of learning, growth and exciting experiences. Students have enjoyed developing their independence and life skills through cooking activities, including learning how to follow recipes and participate in each step of the cooking process. Swimming was a highlight of the term, with students building their confidence, independence and water safety skills. We also celebrated Book Week with some fun and creative activities, and Science Week gave students the opportunity to explore, investigate and participate in hands-on science projects. We are very proud of everything Class 8A has achieved this term and look forward to another exciting term of learning and whole-school events in Term 4.



Natasha + Dinithi (Di)



8B Highlights

Teacher's Note

What a Term, 8B!

What an absolutely wonderful Term 3 it has been for 8B! From dial tones to dive-bombs, our class has explored, discovered and celebrated so much together. Here's a look back at everything we've been up to.

We took a journey through time, exploring how the technology that helps us has changed over the years — from the good old rotary phone through to the smartphones we know today! It's been such fun comparing "then" and "now" and hearing what everyone thinks about how far things have come.

Our exploration of tools didn't stop there — we looked at all the tools that help us in the kitchen too, tying in beautifully with our cooking sessions this term. There's nothing quite like the sensory joy of cooking together, and let's be honest, the taste-testing at the end is always the best part! 😊

Maths has been wonderfully hands-on this term, with playdough, unifix blocks, icy pole sticks and scales all making an appearance. We've been exploring weight, volume, counting, sharing and grouping — proving that some of the best learning happens with our hands.

Swimming was a major highlight of the term, with a full week dedicated to diving into the pool! 8B showed a real love for the water and all its sensory joys — honestly, some of us barely wanted to get out! Beforehand, our lifeguard visitors came in to chat with us about water safety, and what a hit that was — full of movement, great discussion, and everyone sharing what they know from the beach and other waterways beyond our classroom walls.

What a term to be proud of! Term 4 is already shaping up to be another wonderful chapter, full of exciting learning and new experiences to help us all keep growing. Thank you for being on this journey with us, 8B families — we couldn't do it without your support!



-Cathie, Leah and AUdrey



8C Highlights

TEACHER MESSAGE

What a busy and rewarding Term 3 it has been for 8C! Students have enjoyed many practical and hands-on learning experiences.



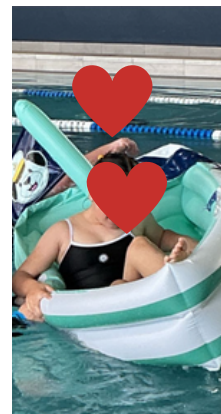
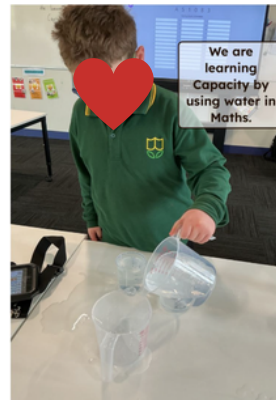
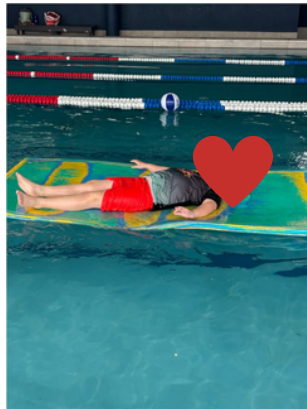
In Maths, students explored capacity using different containers and developed their counting, comparing and number skills through games and concrete materials.

Cooking was another highlight. Students identified ingredients and kitchen tools, followed visual recipes and practiced measuring, pouring and mixing. Tasting their creations was always a favorite part! 😊

During swimming, students built confidence in the water and practised moving safely using kickboards, pool noodles and flotation equipment.

In Integrated and SWPBS, students learned about public and private spaces, trusted adults and safe choices. Through The Worrying Worries, they also explored helpful strategies such as asking for help, taking a break and using slow breathing. We are very proud of 8C's progress this term. Thank you to our families for your continued support.

Well done, 8C!



– Aries, Rose, Ash, Neha

