Is your child starting school at Broadmeadows Valley Primary school in 2016?

Then they are invited and encouraged to attend our Prep Transition Program to prepare them for school life.

BEGINNING FRIDAY 6th November
FRIDAY MORNINGS for 4 weeks
9:15AM — 10:20 AM

Important Parent Information Sessions will also be held at this time to discuss the best way you can support your child with their education. Come meet the teachers and other important school staff members.

CALL TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD’S PARTICIPATION
Ph: 9309 4066
Learning Neighbourhood 1

This week LN1 began working on the new enrichment topic ‘We all laugh in the same language’. The inquiry question for this topic is what is unique about me and my family?

Students started off the topic by creating an ‘All about me’ self-portrait which included all the things that make them unique. They used their self-portrait to compare their similarities and differences with other students.

Maria- “Omiay and I both have the same eye and hair colour.”

Gurshift- “Hannah has blue eyes and I have brown eyes.”

Mohammed. H- “Thomas and I have different eye and hair colour.”

Throughout the term there will be opportunities for parents to be involved in, share and lead the learning about their culture. We look forward to having our LN1 families celebrating and sharing the learning with all of us.

What can you do at home?
You can begin to have discussions with your children about where your family comes from and what makes your family unique.

Jodie, Jamieleee, Amy, Marija, Cyn-di and Wendy

Learning Neighbourhood 2

Snapshots from LN2
THE ISLAND CAMP
Learning Neighbourhood 3

It has been another glorious week in LN3. We had Miti and Victor represent our school at the Regional Athletics carnival where they both did fantastic. Congratulations to both of you. The grade 6’s are reflecting as they are preparing pieces of writing to share at graduation about their time at BVPS. Students are working with both Mr Youlde and Mr Montalto making videos that will also be presented at graduation. Notes went out this week, make sure you return them as soon as possible to lock in your tickets.

The students are busy working during our Literacy block. We are finishing up our “Synthasising” unit and moving into Inference. Students should be commended with their efforts in understanding synthasising as it is a very advanced comprehension strategy. This is also the case for Inferring! Students have been immersed in their books during iRead and the discussions students are having during their Reciprocal Reading groups have been fantastic. Students are now writing a historical narrative. Students this week planned their narrative and have used planners to help write detailed settings, interesting characters and incredible problems. The writing in LN3 has moved up a gear and it is excited seeing students looking forward to writing.

Mathematics sees the end of division as we now move into fractions. The teachers have been impressed with the amount students have learned during the division understanding. We would like to thank parents for their efforts in helping their child build their understanding in addition, subtraction and multiplication over the last three weeks. This will make a significant difference to how much your child will learn during our fractions unit!

In “Our History” enrichment unit, we are deepening our understanding of Indigenous Culture. Students have been learning about traditions, artwork and hunting, more importantly the history, the culture and the impact of white settlement.

We openly invite any parents or family members to come into the neighbourhood! If you have any questions about your child or how you can help your child’s learning, please see any of the LN3 teachers.

Have a great week!
LN3

BOOK CLUB

Welcome to the first Term 4 Book Club.
If you would like to order any books or items please fill out the order form, which has been distributed to students, with your child’s name and class written clearly. All orders should be placed, with correct money, in an envelope or snap lock bag and given to the class teacher.

ORDERS MUST BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY Friday 24th October 2015

Calendar
Term 4

SWIMMING PROGRAM DATES

Monday 16th November – Thursday 19th November 12.15pm-1.00pm
Monday 23rd November – Thursday 26th November 1.00pm-1.45pm
CSEF can be used for swimming

Adult Learning will recommence next Wednesday 14th October at 9am.
"Combined English and Computer" training for parents and families.
Wednesdays 9 - 11am
Art Room
Computers provided but please bring a lap top if you have one.

Birthdays
Noah E
Mark S
Corey W
Maria K
Indianason F
Wahida W

Happy Birthday
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