The great start to the year has continued with all of us getting used to our new groupings and discovering things about each other.

The children have got used to the morning routine really well and are learning to take more responsibility for their own things.

Thank you very much to Fiona, (Willoughby’s mum) for offering to paint the cupboard for us. If anyone else would like to help please let one of the teachers know.

Thankyou also the parents who have brought in Playdough.

Our enduring understanding:

‘Understanding ourselves and others helps us to become better learners’.

We have been learning through surveys, letters, pictures and discussions what we like to do and how we like to learn. Some of the books we have read are: ‘Clive Eats Alligators”, “The Dot and ‘Charlie and Lola: I Will Not Ever Never Eat a Tomato’.

What to Expect From Grade 1

When you book the babysitter for Valentine’s evening, Tuesday February 14th, make your booking a little earlier so you can join us from 6.30 - 7 to hear what you can expect from your child’s Grade 1 year. We’ll meet in 1P classroom.

Learner Profile

To help us focus on our children developing as independent learners and reflective thinkers, you will receive a Learner Profile form to complete. To follow up there will be a time to meet with teachers on
Tuesday 21st of Feb. and Wednesday 22nd of Feb. Booking details next week.

Timetable:

There won’t be a timetable sent home this year.

All of the grade 1 classes have Library on Fridays.

P.E. days: 1C – Monday

1K and 1P - Tuesdays

1Z – Wednesdays

Can your child please wear runners on P.E. days.

Could you please send the children’s NAMED Art smocks back to school.

Second hand uniform shop has lots if yours has been misplaced.

Reminders:

If your child has a lunch order please also send along some fruit and a snack for the morning breaks. The lunch orders don’t arrive until after recess and there have been some hungry children.

We’ve already begun to accumulate un-named containers from lunch boxes, mostly the small ones. Please make sure anything that comes to school is named.

We would appreciate any donations of tissues for classroom use.

Thanks,

Connie, Jenny, Allira and Pauline