

Grade 1 Bulletin

Term 1 – Week 7

We hope you all enjoyed the long weekend.

Thank you to Gail for painting our blackboards with the children during Investigations. Thankyou also to Elle (Cherry's mum) and Andrea (Lucas' mum) for spending time cooking with 1C.

Our enduring understanding:

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

The children have shown curiosity in wondering about the brain and its function in learning. Our ‘Reporters’ surveyed children during our Investigations time and we now have questions to further research their areas of interest.

If any parent or friend/contact works in a related field and would be able to speak to the children about brain function, we would love to hear from you.

What we have been learning:

Words beginning with ‘wh’ and words using ‘ph’ in their spelling.

Differentiating between upper and lower case letters.

Writing to convince/persuade.

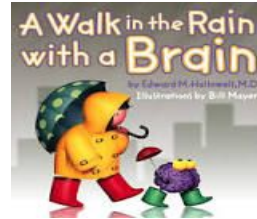
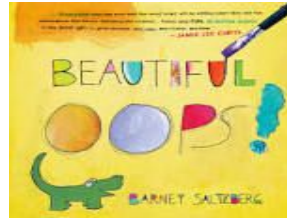
Counting by 2's.

Creating halves by folding.

What you can do at home:

Read books about the brain.

Some suggestions:



Find and count pairs of objects around the house.

Reminders:

We do still need an adult to help at the Design Studio during Investigations.

Could you please send along headphones for your children to use during computer activities.

There are still a lot of children without Art smocks. This week they were unable to paint without one.

Thanks,

Connie, Jenny, Allira and Pauline