The beautiful Autumn weather has helped provide a smooth start to Term 2.

With our unit about Living Things under way the children have been identifying living as opposed to non-living things, a discussion worth continuing at home.

We plan to plant some seedlings and would love to hear from anyone able to assist us with collecting seedlings and planting.

Any plants or seed packets would also be appreciated to stock our ‘Florist’ shop.

Another request is for Silkworms. We plan to establish some living habitats.

**Reading:** Most children are remembering their blue book bags which is great. It is helpful reading the insightful comments in the yellow record books, thank you. Premiers’ Reading Challenge codes will be sent home this week. Please read the newsletter for more information.

**Mathematics:** Grade 1 are working on telling the time – o’clock and half past particularly. It would be great if you are able to practise this at home. They are also identifying 2D shapes and noticing them in everyday life.

Grade 2 are working on addition and subtraction number problems and using number lines.

**Term 2 levy:** There are still some forms that need to be returned please.

**Junior Choir:** Miss Johnson welcomes any children who would like to join the Junior Choir which will be on Friday mornings at 8.15 in the Italian Room.

Some family activities to support our unit are the attached ‘Eggshell Planters’ and the Stonnington Council website below for a fabulous Calendar of Environmental Events.


**Anzac Day:** Just a reminder that there will be no school on Anzac Day, Monday April 25th.