Weekly Roundup

**What’s Happening in Foundies**

**Week 7**

**Monday 23rd May – Friday 27th May**

**Calendar Dates**

- **May**
  - Wednesday 25th – National Simultaneous Story Time
  - Monday 30th – Friday 3rd
  - June 1st – Book Fair

- **June**
  - Thursday 2nd – Dress up as your favourite book character
  - Thursday 2nd – Grandparents hour 2:20-3:20pm
  - Monday 6th and Tuesday 7th – PCS Has Got Talent Night Junior School
  - 10th – Incursion Money Due
  - 22nd/23rd – Science Incursion

**Mad About Science Incursion**

This week students should have all received a note informing parents of our upcoming Science Incursion. Students will be participating in hands-on science experiments and activities that will link in to our Term 2 topic of “Why is it so?” Students are asked to return the permission form and $11 no later than the 10th of June. Students will participate in one of the sessions on either the 22nd or 23rd of June.

**CURRICULUM**

**What are we learning this week?**

- **LITERACY FOCUS:**
  - We will be developing our pre-writing and Fine Motor skills. We will be listening for initial sounds in words when reading and writing.
  - Sound Focus: 'Sh' and 'Th'
  - Reading Focus: Pointing to each word when reading and looking at the pictures. Predicting

- **NUMERACY FOCUS:**
  - Counting to 20.
  - Comparing measurements—longer, shorter, heavier, lighter

- **TOPIC FOCUS:** Why is it so? What do Scientists do? Making predictions and observing changes.

**Indonesian Focus:**

- Counting to 5:
  - Satu (1)
  - Dua (2)
  - Tiga (3)
  - Empat (4)
  - Lima (5)

**Out of Uniform**

If your student is out of uniform, due to wet or lost clothing please ensure you provide a written note. These notes are suitable for a couple of days out of uniform but not long periods of time. Please remember we do have second hand jumpers and jackets for sale for $2 at the second hand uniform store, open Wednesdays in the back of the Performing Arts Room.

Just a friendly reminder that school starts at 9am sharp and doors open at 8:45am. Please ensure your child is here on time so they do not miss any valuable learning time.
Foundation Stars of the Week

- Seth H FHP
- Tahlia M FJP
- Mia & Chaz FJS
- Oscar FMZ
- Jayden FBN
- Marley FOR

Foundation Great Mate!

- Mia S FBN
  for always helping others and being a kind and caring classmate
LOST PROPERTY

Located in Performing Arts foyer/ old Canteen, opposite the Library.

There are two bins full of jumpers and jacket which can’t be returned as the labels have faded or are non-existent. Please use the weekend to ‘re-ink’ your child’s first and last name on the tag or band around the waist for speedy returns. There are drink bottles and lunch boxes in the bins, as well. Permanent Laundry Markers are available at all offices for your use.

Special thanks to Josephine Hughes for her work in Lost Property this year. If you are able to spare half an hour a week to sort through and return lost items, your time would really be appreciated! I will endeavour to leave non-uniform items on the seat out front of Lost Property on a Friday morning for your perusal.

Thank you in anticipation.

Nicole Jones. Art Room – or pop in on Wednesday morning to see Josephine!