



Thornton Public School

Respectful, Responsible, Resilient



Principal: Mr Stuart Wylie

21st October

Happy Week 2 to everyone

What an excellent start to Term 4. Once again there is lots happening at school. I would firstly like to congratulate Mrs Sok and her amazing team for the fantastic job they do with Kindy organisation & Tadpoles for students in 2020. So far we have 106 on the books. I had the honour of addressing parents at the Tadpoles sessions and it was so great to see some many students and parents joining Thornton P.S. This extremely valuable experience gives teachers the opportunity to watch our new Thornton P.S. students for 2020 and build relationships for successful transition into big school.

Well done to Mr Atherton and the talented bunch of students who represented our school at cricket last week. Mr Atherton spoke highly of the students' sportsmanship throughout the day. There were lots of smiles and wickets, but unfortunately the team lost. Best of luck next time!

Currently Stage 3 students are on their way to Bathurst for a 3 day excursion. There was lots of tired eyes this morning as they left the school. This is a great opportunity for students to experience first-hand what they have been learning about in class and see parts of Australia that they may not have been to before. Everyone at TPS wishes that all students have a wonderful time. Please follow the Facebook page for photos from the excursion.

Lots of great things to look forward to for the rest of the term. Next week we have Year 2 students going to swim school to prepare them for swimming in the summer holidays, which are only 8 weeks away. We also have the Thornton Public Schools' 100th year Birthday and our Spring Fair Celebrations in week 4 to look forward to.

Let's have a great rest of the term!

Mr Wylie



Deputy Diaries

Welcome to Term 4!

We were so happy to see all 706 wonderful students return to school in such a respectful, responsible and resilient way! (and of course, with no broken bones!)

Term 4 is certainly shaping up to be one to remember!

Our classes and P&C are working hard in preparation for our 100 year celebrations, in week 4!

We cannot wait to see as many of you as possible during our week long celebration. Don't forget to check out of 100 Year Celebration website, dedicated to keeping everyone up-to-date with all of the amazing events happening across the week!

<https://sites.google.com/education.nsw.gov.au/100years/home>

This term we welcome two new staff members to our team. We welcome our new permanent Assistant Principal Mrs Eleanor Roberts. Mrs Roberts brings a wealth of leadership and teaching experience. We also welcome Miss Rebekah Malone, who has been appointed to TPS as a targeted graduate.



Welcome ladies!!

Last term our Tadpoles graduated as Frogs and will be joining us for Kindergarten Orientation, starting in week 5 with Mrs Sok and the Early Stage 1 team. We are so excited to have our little people start their big leap in transitioning to school!



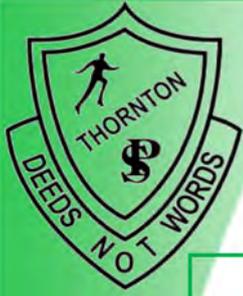
Deputy Diaries

A few lucky classes have been participating in our school's Chinese language lessons. Lessons are happening with educators from China, via webcam, where our students are learning all about the Chinese language and culture. Such a fantastic project and our students are loving it!

As always, our teachers were busy over the holidays designing some amazing learning centres to develop our student's ability to be critical and creative thinkers. Take a look at some of the awesome things happening in our classrooms.



Until next time,
Mr Collins and Mrs Wright



Important Dates

Date	Time	What's On
Thursday Odd Weeks	1.50pm—2.20pm	Kindergarten Assembly
Thursday Odd Weeks	2.25pm—2.55pm	Stage 1 Assembly
Thursday Even Weeks	1.50pm—2.20pm	Stage 2 Assembly
Thursday Even Weeks	2.25pm—2.55pm	Stage 3 Assembly
2nd —8th November	See link	100 year celebration
28th Oct—7th November	By Bus	Year 2 Swim School
Thursday 14th November	2pm	Sports Champions Assembly
Thursday 7th, 14th and 21st November	TPS	Interrelate
Tuesday 3rd December	9am	High School Transition
Monday 16th December	9am year 3-6 12pm years K-2	Presentation Day

Hat reminder

Students at TPS are required to wear hats whilst playing in unshaded areas to minimise the risk of life threatening skin diseases later in life.

As part of the uniform policy and sun safe strategy, student's hats must not have writing or drawings on the outside of them. Students will be asked to put these in their bags until they are cleaned and will be asked to play in shaded areas.

Hats are available from the school office for \$15.00

We thank you for your support.



SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR 100 YEAR CELEBRATIONS



Thornton Public School is honouring 100 Years of quality education with a week long celebration.

The program of commemorative events is as follows:

Saturday 2nd November - 1-3 pm - Open Day for Ex Staff & Pupils

Wednesday 6 November -9.15am Formal Assembly and showcase of student talents

Friday 8 November - 1-6 pm - 100yr Birthday Party and School Fair

Keep your eye out for more information on our Facebook page and newsletters



<https://www.facebook.com/ThorntonPS/>

Thornton Public School

100 Year Celebration Program

Saturday 2nd November- Friday 8th November 2019



Now live to view for everyone is our [100 Year Website](#) where you will find a full program guide and information about our 100 Year Celebrations

100 Year website link- Program Guide:

<https://sites.google.com/education.nsw.gov.au/100years/home>



Are You An Ex-Student of Thornton Public School?

As part of our school Centenary we are conducting a Memory Collection Project to capture your memories of your time at the school.

Please consider taking our Memory Collection Survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FXFL5VB>

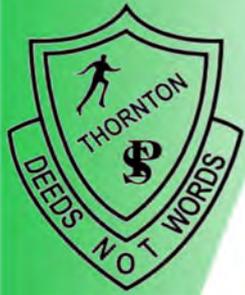
All responses will remain anonymous and will be used as part of our digital presentation and to inform our teaching and learning on the history of the school. Hard copies of the survey are available from the school office or from Thornton Library.

Thornton Public School First School Pupils 1919



Did You Know?

Our school opened in April 1919 with 38 pupils. Prior to the opening of the school some children had travelled the two miles to attend the school at Tarro. However, as the then Principal, Mr E H Harris, noted of his new students “some had not been to school, and the majority but little.”



Assembly Award Winners



Kindergarten PBL Award Winners



Kindergarten Merit Award Winners



Stage 1 PBL Award Winners



Deputy Principal Awards



Stage 1 Merit Award Winners



Early Stage 1

Early Stage 1 staff and students have jumped straight back into learning this term! Whilst a few changes have occurred this term the students have managed exceptionally well, displaying resilience, maturity and friendliness.

I have been extremely lucky to have been permanently appointed from this term onwards as an Assistant Principal at Thornton Public School. For the remainder of the year I will be the Assistant Principal on ES1 Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday sharing the role with the amazing Mrs Soklaridis whilst I take part-time maternity leave for the remainder of the year. Mrs Soklaridis will be the ES1 Assistant Principal on Thursday and Friday for the remainder of the term. Mrs Soklaridis and I are working very closely together to ensure all of the students in ES1 are continuing to receive a quality education. I look forward to meeting you all- please come and say hi!

I am also extremely lucky to share the teaching of the wonderful students in K/1H with Miss Tempe Oke with whom many ES1 students are familiar. Miss Oke and I will teach together on Wednesday and she will take the class on Thursday and Friday.

This term, ES1 students have begun to use the new iPads to enhance and support their learning by recording their reading and researching information amongst other things. Below are some photos of the iPads in use in the classrooms. Watch this space for more great learning stories and photos from all ES1 classes!

Kind regards,
Mrs Roberts





KJ

In KJ we have been enjoying learning about the world around us by using fun and engaging hands-on experiences. Here are some of the things we have been learning about:

Money



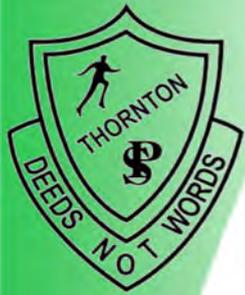
Drawing
spring
flowers



Using our senses to observe the environment

Virtual and Augmented Reality



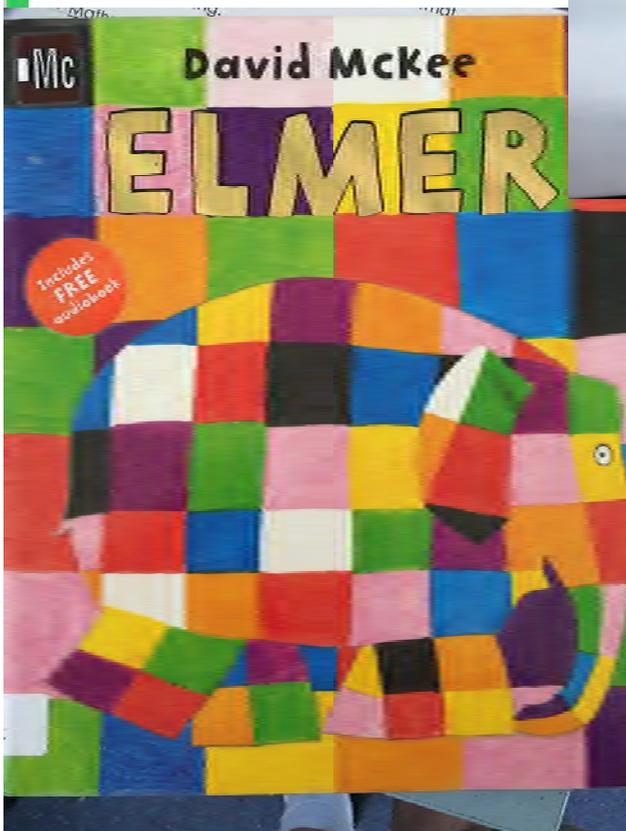
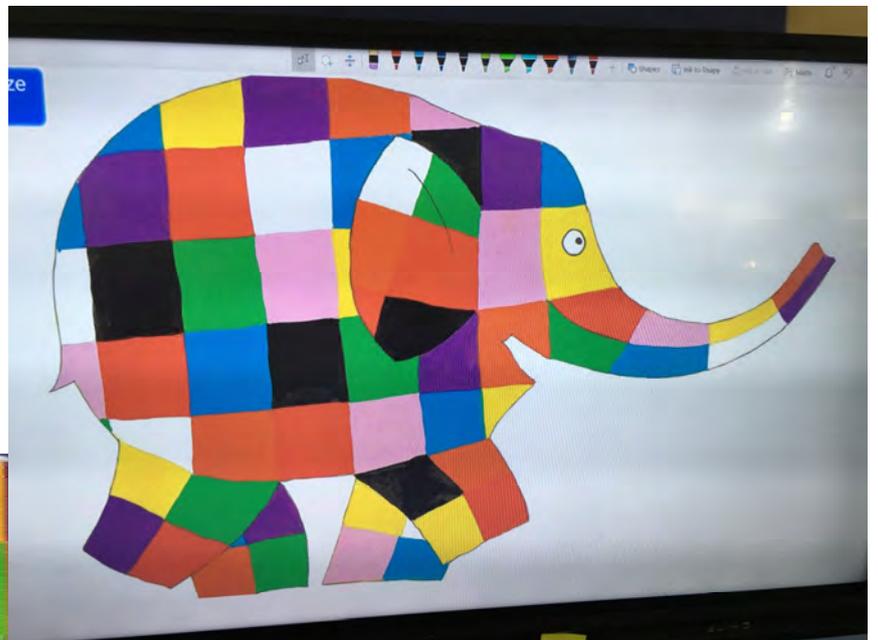


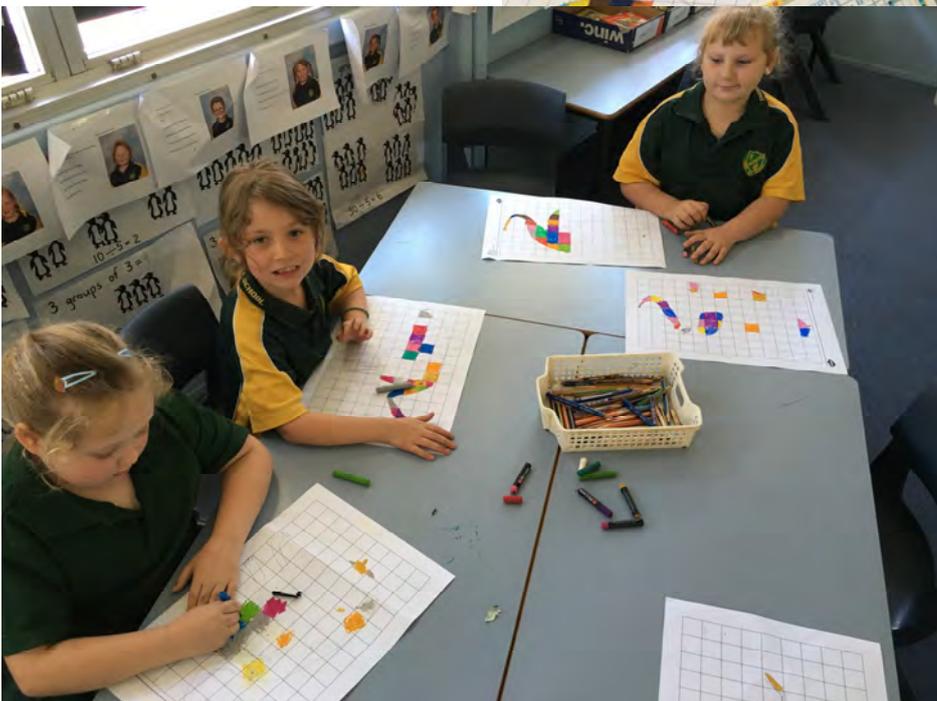
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1S have been busy working on an area of Study in English, around a book called 'Elmer the Elephant'. We have completed word study activities and comprehension building tasks.

Today we used a 2cm grid to draw and colour Elmer the elephant using oil pastels.

Our next area of investigation will be to learn about that magnificent creature we call the elephant!





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3Terrific (Mr Middleton relieving teacher)

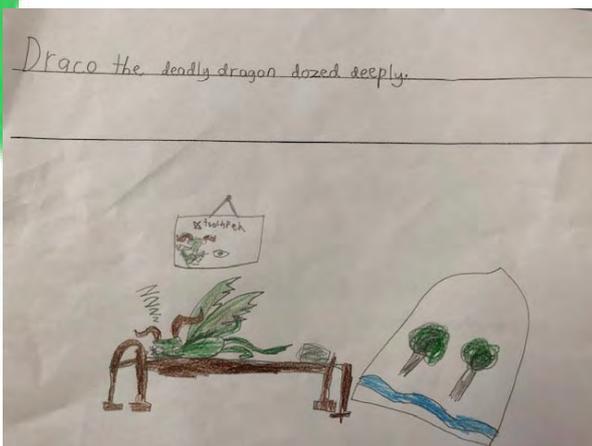
At the start of the final term of the year, 3T have been reading and writing about dragons and knights. We have also been learning about alliteration and trying to use it in our writing.



Tilly 3T



Angus 3T

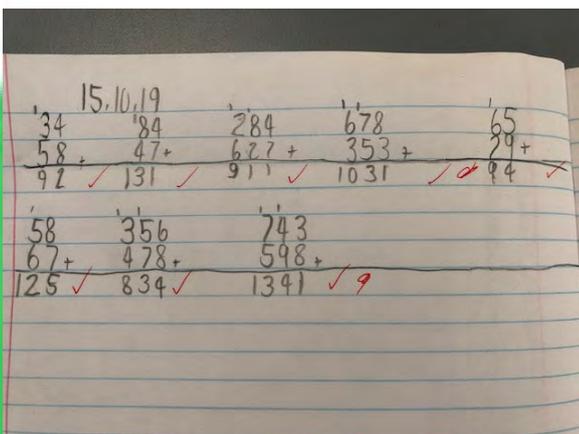


Jesse 3T

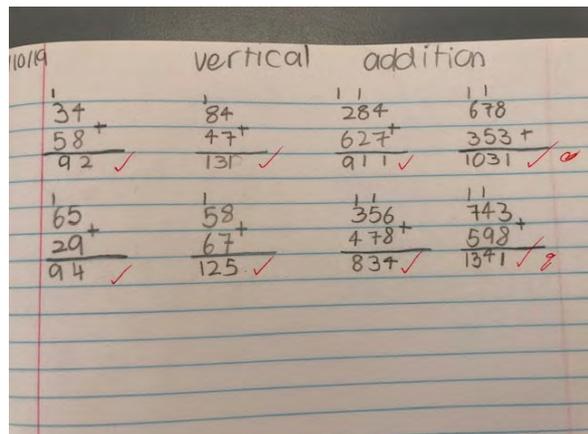


Emma 3T

In Maths we have been working on place value and why it is so important. As well, we have been looking at addition of numbers up to four digits.



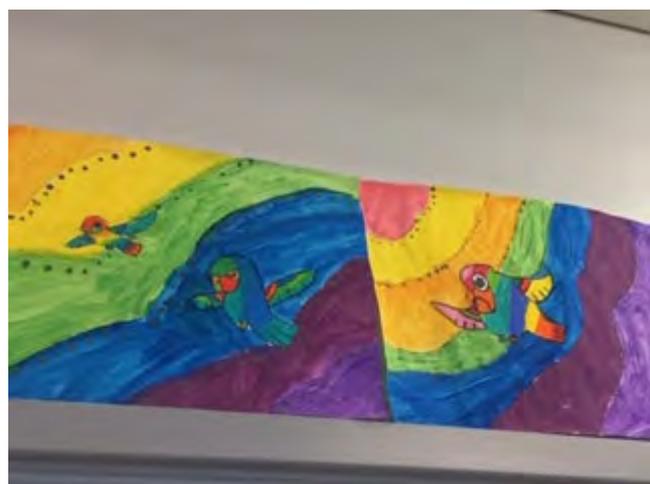
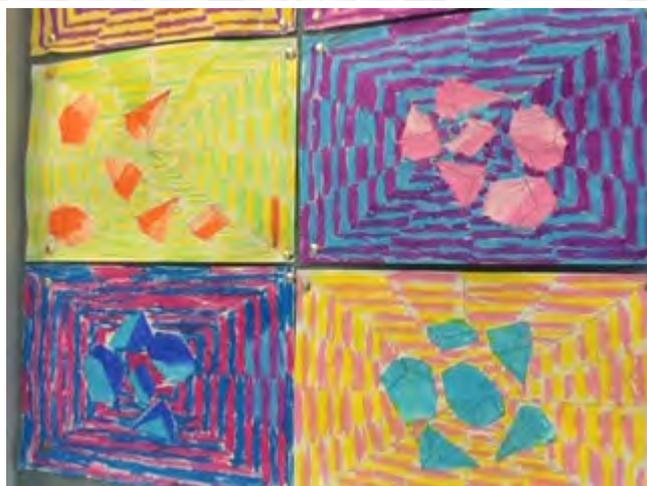
Eden 3T



Amelia 3T



4M



Japan

Japan is one of the most popular places on Earth. Lots of tourists like to visit Japan.

Japan is made up of many mountains and islands. They also have a population of over 126,000,000 people.

Japan is on the ring of fire. That means that is where most volcanic eruptions and earthquakes happen.

Japan has a lot of animals that are found nowhere else in the world. For example, the Siberian snow tiger. Same with snow monkeys. They have learned to go into hot baths in the winter. Japan also has white cranes that catch fish for them as well as themselves.



Japan has many arts as well as their cherry blossom trees. They also like to do paintings of houses, waves and even trees!

The Japanese language is different to our English language or should I say way different. They say hello like this (nee-how) Neawa. Like I told you much different. They use pictures instead of words.

Mount Fuji is a famous mountain in Japan. It erupted almost 10,000 years ago and it hasn't erupted since then. A few years ago near Mount Fuji there was a volcano that erupted. It caused at least 10 towns to be destroyed. Some Japanese people lost their children, husbands, wives and pets.

Mount Fuji is the biggest mountain in Japan.

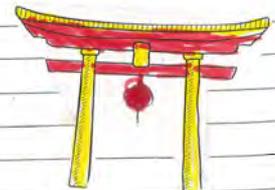


Other holidays and festivals are children's Day where all the boys tie paper streamers to poles and seven five three festival were girls aged 7 and boys aged 5 and all 3 year olds are taken to shrines to pray. There are two main religions in Japan Shinto is the oldest religion and Buddhism is believed to look after the dead and dying.



Charlotte

Tokio



JAPAN charlotte

Japan

Japan is a very interesting country and in this information report I will tell you all about Japan.

Geography - Landforms

Japan is made up of lots of islands. There are 4 main islands and 6852 small islands. Japan is above tectonic plates so there is usually about 40 or more earthquakes a year.



Geography - cities / famous places

Three quarters of the population of Japan lives in cities. A lot of Japanese cities have been destroyed due to American bombing and earthquakes. Most Japanese families live in tiny apartments the size of normal kitchens.



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Animals

There are 39 kind of animals in Japan. Half of they animals are at risk of extinction because of habitat loss and pollution.

Two animals in Japan are The snow monkey and the Kai fish. Snow monkeys live in snow and take hot baths.

Transport

Because Japan has lots of people they have to get to places fast so they don't get held up in traffic. That's why they invented the bullet train. The bullet trains are called Shinkansen. And they are the most efficient way get around the country fast.



Festivals and religions

Japan's most important holiday is Shogatsu (New years eve). On Shogatsu all the shops, offices and factories close and children dress up in Kimonos and pray at their local temple.



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Josh P 4M

Japan (continued again)

Transport: People do take cars in Japan but the roads are always full of traffic so most people take the train. The Japanese Bullet Train uses magnets to hover above the train tracks. This hovering technique makes the train go incredibly fast. The train goes about 500 kph!

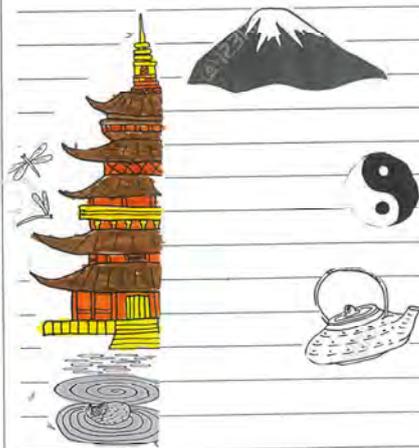


Animals: Japan has a few native animals. The Kai fish is a medium-sized fish that usually has orange and white markings and has a strange shaped head. The Snow Monkey is a normal monkey that takes bath in volcanic hot springs.



Japan (continued again)

Traditions/Customs: Did you know that Christmas lunch in Japan is KFC! With KFC the Japanese also eat raw horse with onions and rice, cubic apples and water melons and Sushi. Japan is famous for its Sushi. Vending machines in Japan contain EVERYTHING!



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Japan

Josh P 4th

Intro: Japan is a very interesting with loads of unique things about it.



Geography: Japan is made up of thousands of islands. Japan is an archipelago. Japan's capital city is Tokyo. The four main islands are Honshu, Hokkaido, Shikoku and Kyushu. Japan is on the edge of it's tectonic plate so it has lots of earthquakes. Japan has about 2-3 earthquakes daily. Another city in Japan is Kyoto. It is a smaller and calmer place than Tokyo. It is more of a village than a city. A volcano in Japan is called Mount Fuji. Mount Fuji last erupted in 1707. It is 3776 metres high. In the north of Japan the climate is cold and the climate is hot in the south. Tokyo has about 40 earthquakes yearly. Honshu is the biggest island. You can fit the entirety of Japan into New South Wales 3 times!

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Japan Continued?

Work and school: In Japan the police shoot a paintball on your car if you're speeding or breaking a road law. You are also allowed to fall asleep at work because you do so much in Japan. Children in Japan go to school on Saturdays along with the other weekdays. School starts at 8:20 am and finishes at 4 pm.



Population and People: The population of Japan is 126 million people. The population rises incredibly slowly. Cities in Japan are always very crowded. The roads are always full of traffic so people take the train.

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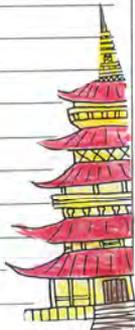
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bullet train travels 300km per hour. If you speed in Japan your car gets shot with a paint ball.

Art

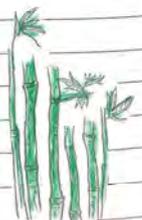
Japan is famous for lots of art works. Lots of tourists go to see Japanese art. In Japan the ocean is very important so a lot of art is about water and fish.



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Tokio



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Japanese islands can fit into NSW twice. Japan has four main islands and 6852 smaller islands.

Japan has really big storms called typhoons. They can cause a lot of damage too.



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Japan

Introduction

Japan is a fascinating country that lots of people like to visit.

Geography

Japan is made up of four main islands. Japan has some amazing buildings. Japan has up to 1500 earthquakes a year. This is because Japan is in the edge of one of the tectonic plates. One of Japan's biggest volcanos is Mount Fuji. But Mount Fuji is dormant. Mount Fuji is 3776 metres long. Japan have massive storms called typhoons. These storms can cause a lot of damage. Japanese people call their country Nippon. Japan has this island called Hokkaido. Hokkaido have large snowfalls in winter. Japan has hot springs which are volcanos.



Pods: Japan's temperatures are similar to Sydney and Brisbane.

Population and People

Japan has the eighth largest population in the world. There are 126 million people living in Japan. People in Japan live for a long time because they mostly have a healthy diet. They eat a lot of sea food and rice. Japan is six times bigger than Australia. All the people who live in Japan are Japanese.

Language

Japanese is the official language of Japan. Japanese people use little pictures to write words. Japanese people call their money Yen.

Traditions and Customs

Japan's traditional food to eat on Christmas is Kentucky Fried chicken. Japanese people eat raw horse meat and onions. Japanese people have cubed fruit.



5M

5M Super Hero Writing

Super Tiger (informative)

Have you ever been robbed by... Melting Monster?!? Who's Melting Monster you say? She is an evil villain who has robbed many people who live in Merrylands. But not to worry the kind and strong Super Tiger will always save the day!

Super Tiger is just an ordinary girl, until she claps her hands. You will hear a loud BOOM and a strong light will explode out of her eyes. After the light disappears you will see her flying with her amazing cape, tiger print costume and her long flowing dark brown hair.

She has the powers of super strength which she uses to save people in danger. She has laser eyes which she uses to fight Melting Monster, and most importantly of all she can morph into any animal!

Super Tiger's nemesis is melting monster. Melting Monster has golden blonde hair and a black spy costume. She wants to rob everyone and become the richest person alive! Her and Super Tiger have been fighting since they were children so they know many things about each other.

Super Tiger's only weakness is Poison X, it's a poison that Melting Monster's evil crazy father made. Poison X is the only way for Melting Monster to defeat Super Tiger. Melting Monster has to find a way to get Super Tiger to smell Poison X, if she does, Super Tiger will be unconscious for three hours. The only way she can be cured faster is if someone gives her dragon breath.

Merrylands wouldn't be such a safe place without Super Tiger, they all look up to her and know their safe with her around. Although nobody knows her true identity they all treat her like family, and they know they can trust her.

By Nazli S

The Suit is the best hero ever to exist (persuasive)

The Suit is the best hero ever to exist. It stopped the President of America from committing planetcide. It can become anything or anyone and will do whatever it takes to protect Earth (and any other planet and space). The Suit protects Earth from the Evil Umbrella Corp who wants to destroy Earth.

If the suit wants to turn into any super hero it can! If it wants to be a tank it can! If it wants to be a nuke/space ship that when it explodes doesn't die, it can! If it is fighting a super villain, it can just turn into the villain for a bit and then maybe turn into batman and finish the fight, it can! And best of all, it uses its power for good. It can turn itself into any hero so it doesn't matter how powerful the other hero is.

The Suit and its partner protect Earth from the Evil Umbrella Corp. They try to take over the Earth in insane experiments, like bringing demons from another dimension through a portal. The Suit also makes sure that escaped experiments like it are always protecting the Earth and destroying Umbrella Corp like it.

No other hero could stop the monstrosities that Umbrella creates. Superman would die because of radiation. Spiderman can't handle it. The Avengers are too occupied Only The Suit and it's sidekick can save the Earth and annihilate the malicious, immoral Umbrella Corp.

By Mohammad Hadi Sandhu.

Captain Carrot (imaginative text)

Crash! The buildings plummet to the ground as Mr. Grape executes his plan to take over the city of Newcastle. "Not on my watch!" Shouted a mysterious voice from the distance "Who could that be?" Wondered Mr. Grape " It is I Captain Carrot! Ready to ruin you're evil plan!" " No it can't be." Mr. Grape thought to himself. These two always have their fights.

One day Captain Carrot wins, the other Mr. Grape will absolutely shred him. They have been fighting ever since they were children. It all started with their parents Ms. Raspberry and Ms. Broccoli these two were always at each other ready to do whatever it took to win there clashes although the funny thing is they were the other way around so Ms. Raspberry was the good guy and Ms. Broccoli was the evil one.

TK TK TK TK the vault opens vvvvvvvvvvvvvv the vacuum turns on it sucks up all the green and gold valubles "STOP!" Shouts Ms.Raspberry " One question..... Why?" Questioned Ms. Broccoli " Because its against the law! Exclaimed Ms. Raspberry. This went on for days. That was one of mmaaaannnyyyyy fights they had.

The ultimate clash began Mr. Grape uses his grape squeeze it missed him. Captain carrot strikes a massive kick it hit him buy as all looks good a strike of evil disadvantages you ssssssseeeeeewwwww a missile flew straight at captain carrot " Agggggggggghhhhhh!!!" It seemed impossible for him to survive although his inner super strength helps him rise back up. Captain carrot super speeded around Mr. Grape and created a giant tornado. Mr. Grape flies in the air for a very very, very long time. Once he got down captain Carrot punched him in the face with his incredible super strength. The battle was won no more Mr. Grape no more fights.

Captain carrots days were now boring he didn't get the glory of saving the city anymore. He even had to get another job as a prototype of how juicy the carrots were at Woolworths. He wished Mr.Grape was still here.

By Clayton K



6AC and Stage 3

T'was the night before Bathurst....

As the anticipation for the Stage 3 camp to Bathurst builds for both students and staff, 6AC have been conducting some research into the different attractions that will be visited during the 3 days of action.

Here is a snapshot of some of the places year 5 and 6 students

WHAT ARE THE JENOLAN CAVES?



- The Jenolan caves are Australia's most accessible and popular cave.
- They are a highlight of the greater Blue mountains world heritage area
- They also hold tours there like children and night tours

Railway

The scenic railway is at a 52° incline. In 2013 the fifth generation train travels a 310 metre track through a cliff. Did you know that passengers can choose their own level of adventure? By adjusting their seat position from 64 degrees a cliffhanger position, a laid back position or the original position of 52°.



The forest floor at Jamison Valley

The boardwalk at Jamison Valley 2.4 km track of raised boardwalk. On the way we will see the original coal mine entrance, a replica miners hut and a bronze sculpture of a miner and his pit pony. The boardwalk is full of native flora and fauna.



HISTORY- ANALJAH

Mount Panorama's history includes its name before the English came. Did you know that it's indigenous name is Wajilui? Or that it was originally known as The Bald Hills? Be that it got its name back in 1934 when Bathurst Regional Council held a competition to rename the mountain and a local resident, Kathleen Walsh, suggested Mount Panorama. Mount Panorama is a public road, available to everyone, outside of race times. The circuit was officially opened in April 1938 (Easter).



mount-panorama.com.au

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HERITAGE
PARK BATHURST
THE BATHURST EXPERIENCE

The camp was used for training units for war, before soldiers were sent to Singapore and Papa New Guinea.

An army was established on a property off limekilns road, Bathurst 1940.



After the war had concluded the camp had become a popular reception and training centre for European refugees. It became one of the most major migrant reception centres in Australia, and accepted around 80,000 refugees around the years of 1958 - 1952.

During our Bathurst excursion we get to enjoy the sheep & cattle show! Learn all about the farm animals. Have a try at milking them. See the shearing.



PICTURES

Scenic world has many magnificent views, for example the beautiful forests and animals within. Many colours surround the area making tourists/visitors want to stay.



Names Of The Three Sisters

Starting from the left, The Three Sisters names are, Meehni, Wimlah and Gunnedoo. Meehni is the highest sister with a height of 922 metres, Wimlah is the second tallest with 918 metres then Gunnedoo is 906 metres tall!





Library



Premier's Reading Challenge

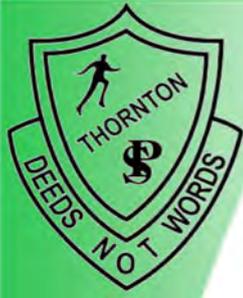
This year we have had 483 students at Thornton Public School complete the Premier's Reading Challenge. Well done to all these students, they will receive their certificates towards the end of the year. The Premier's Reading Challenge allows our students to read a variety of different books and encourages a love of reading. At Thornton PS library we have many books for a range of abilities. We look forward to next years challenge.

We have quite a few overdue items. Please make sure you check at home for any books that belong to our library and return them as soon as possible. Remember that students in K-2 must have a library bag to borrow.



KL are great borrowers. They love their reading.





SPORT

GIRLS PSSA KNOCKOUT CRICKET

On Friday the girls cricket team played Bolwarra in the PSSA cricket round of 16.

Bolwarra won the coin toss and elected to bat. Despite some consistent bowling by Thornton, a strong display with the bat saw Bolwarra reach an impressive total of 181 after 25 overs.

Despite the large run chase, Thornton gave it their best, however Bolwarra's bowlers and fielders limited Thornton's run chase to 63.

Well done to all the girls in the team, who before this year hadn't played a game of cricket. An incredible achievement to reach the final 16 in NSW. The girls displayed great sportsmanship and the school PBL values throughout the knockout and should be proud of their achievements.

Thanks to all the parents who have assisted and helped on game days this year.

Anglican
Church

Beresfield-Thornton



Community Christmas Fair

Saturday, 7th December, 2019

9am – 1pm

Apex Lions Park & St Paul's Church Hall, Beresfield

Come and join us for a fun day!!!

Our Christmas Raffle

School Performances

Kids Activities

Craft and Christmas Craft Stalls

Cake Stall

Market Stalls

Devonshire Tea

BBQ



**And don't forget the
Art Show**



1-2-3 Magic & Emotion Coaching

RESOLVE DIFFICULT BEHAVIOUR IN CHILDREN 2-12 YEARS OLD

A PARENT EDUCATION COURSE

AT Woodberry Place of Friends – Schools as Community Centre
Woodberry Public school, Lawson Ave, Woodberry NSW 2322

ON Thursday's 24th Oct to 7th Nov 2019

AT 12:30 – 2:30pm

PARENTS WILL LEARN

- How to discipline without arguing, yelling or smacking
- How to sort behaviour
- How to handle challenging and testing behaviours
- Choosing strategies - the 3 choices model
- Using emotion coaching to encourage good behaviour
- Strategies for encouraging good behaviour

PARENTS RECEIVE

- A workbook to apply the concepts learnt to their families
- A certificate of completion

WHO IS RUNNING THE COURSE?

The course facilitator is **Amy Blackwood Woodberry SACC and Belinda Reed Mindaribba LALC**

Both presenters for this course are licensed course facilitators

REGISTER TODAY

Facebook – Woodberry Place of Friends/Events/123MagicandEmotionCoaching

For more information contact –

Amy Blackwood or Dana Constable on (02) 4964 2174

Belinda Reed (02) 4015 7000

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For over 85 years, the School Banking program has provided a fun, engaging way for Australian children to learn about the value of money and smart saving.

Get your child involved

To get started, all they need is a Youthsaver account. They can then make regular deposits at school on School Banking day and be able to participate in our exciting Rewards Program.

Track their savings

Your child can track their savings through the School Banking Savings Tracker or the CommBank Youth app, which is available to download from the App Store. It helps teach children real-life money skills, in a fun and secure digital environment.

To find out more visit
commbank.com.au/schoolbanking

Raise funds for your school

School Banking isn't just helpful for your child. It's also a great fundraising activity, as CommBank provides your school with financial support through our School Banking Contributions Program.

Stay tuned for more

Get ready to meet the Dollarmites and receive more School Banking information when your child starts school.



Three ways to open a Youthsaver account for your child.



Apply online at commbank.com.au/schoolbanking



Log on to your CommBank app (if you bank with CommBank)

Head to the menu on the top left corner, select 'Products & offers', then 'Bank accounts' and 'Student & youth accounts', scroll down to Kids and tap 'Open account'.



Visit any CommBank branch

What you'll need

You'll need an Australian residential address and personal identification for you and your child. You can use a birth certificate, passport, driver licence or citizenship certificate.

If applying in branch, please bring along your child's birth certificate and/or any applicable Court Order to help us identify you as the parent or legal guardian.



Your child will receive a Dollarmites deposit wallet when you open a Youthsaver account in branch, or in the mail if opened online. They will use this wallet to make their School Banking deposits.

Things you should know As this advice has been prepared without considering your objectives, financial situation or needs, you should, before acting on this advice, consider the appropriateness of the product for the Youthsaver account. The Commonwealth Bank's dispute resolution process can be accessed on 13 2221, Commonwealth Bank of Australia ABN 48 123 123 124. The CommBank Youth app is free to download however your mobile network provider charges you for accessing data on your phone. The CommBank Youth app is available on iOS operating system 9.0+. Terms and Conditions available via the app. NetBank access with NetCode SMS required. You can set this up when applying for a new account. Existing customers simply visit commbank.com.au/youthapp and follow the steps. Only one child can log on per device for security purposes. If the child is under the age of 18, the Bank will accept one of the following documents as acceptable identification on its own. Please note citizenship certificate can only be used as identification in branch. Birth certificate or the birth extract issued by an Australian state or territory. Birth certificate issued by a foreign government, the United Nations (UN) or an agency of the UN. Citizenship certificate issued by the Commonwealth. Citizenship certificate issued by a foreign government. Note: If written in a language not understood by the person carrying out the verification, the document must be accompanied by an English translation. Note: If written in a language not understood by the person carrying out the verification, the document must be accompanied by an English translation. The (NAAFI) or another accredited translator who currently holds an equivalent accreditation. NAAFI is the Australian government owned National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters. When a parent/ legal guardian is a signatory to the child's account, they are required to be identified to the acceptable identification standard.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to assist on the day and during the lead up to the fair.

If you could spare time to help in any way, please contact the P&C via email –

thorntonpublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au



Do you have a couple of free hours in your day?

We would love some extra helping hands in our P&C run canteen

Without our wonderful volunteers we would not be able to open our canteen so we appreciate all the help we can get!!

If helping out in the canteen is something you are interested in please send us a message with the day/s you are available – thorntonpublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au