KH Classroom Newsletter

What’s New?

This term we will be starting a new History unit, focusing on Personal and Past histories. Students will be investigating relationships in families through stories read in class.

Each week we will be focusing on rich texts suitable for Kindergarten. This week’s text is ‘Wilfrid Gordon Partridge McDonald’, by Mem Fox.

‘Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge’ is a wonderful book, and one of my absolute favorites! The story follows a little boy, Wilfrid, who lives next door to an old folk’s home and has become good friends with all of the residents. Upon hearing his parents say that his favorite resident, Miss Nancy, had lost her memory, he goes in search of answers. Wilfrid asks each of the residents what a memory is, and gets many different answers. He then goes in search of items to fit each of the answers, and takes them to Miss Nancy, to help her find her memories that she lost.

Students have really identified with this text and have been producing some great work in their morning learning centres. Later in this term our unit focus will shift to a Science, ‘Paddock to Plate’ unit, and we be working with informative texts for the remainder of the term.

In Week 6 of this term students will be participating in Book week activities. Students in Kindergarten will be going on a walking excursion to the Town library. A day will also be organized for students to come dressed in their favourite book character. Please check the school’s newsletter for more information.

Also in Week 10, students in K-6 will be competing in the school’s tribute to the Glasgow Commonwealth Games. Students will be assigned a Commonwealth country and compete in fun activities to score points for their country. Again more information will be available in the school’s newsletter.

Stay warm!

Mrs Hain ☺