

Stage 2 Weekly Update...

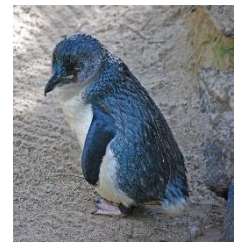
Teachers have enjoyed the opportunity to meet (virtually) with parents this week to discuss each student's progress and the next steps required to move forward in their learning. Semester One Reports will be sent home next week.

Stage 2 Shout-Outs for excellent effort, attitude and work this week go to the following students:



Ruby Y, Jamie N (4G), Thomas N, Anissa H (4B), Olivia W, Ami D (4/5T), Ethan N, Lara L (3/4R), Sienna G, Charly C (3A), Matilda W and Tim L (3H).

Year 4 are excited to embark upon Project Penguin 2020! Although presented in a modified format this year, students will have the opportunity to become conservation experts and youth ambassadors for the locally threatened Little Penguins of Manly. Next week you might see our Year 4 students wearing their bright, blue "Project Penguin" T-Shirts. They will be learning all about Little Penguins, threats to their habitat and positive actions that they can take to protect the species. Students will be creating their own community education program to highlight the importance of protecting the penguin colony of Little Manly.



Students are consistently striving to adopt the learning characteristics of our BHPS Learner Superheroes, Blaze, Elektra, Aurora, Caspian, Octavia and Nova. This week teachers are continuing to look out for students who are displaying the collaborative characteristics of Caspian in the classroom.

Our PBL focus at the moment is Respect and all students are encouraged to show respect for our school by consistently taking pride in themselves and our school by wearing the correct uniform, looking after their own and others' belongings and treating all people and things with care and respect.

RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

EXCELLENCE



Here is some more wonderful work from one of our Stage 2 Students...

The rain was pouring down... A story by Scott H - 4G

One day I was in my house. My mum and dad were out shopping so I had the house to myself.

Suddenly, there was a flash of lightning and it started to rain. After that, what made things worse was when all the lights went off. I was in a blackout. I started to get worried as a blackout means no TV, no video games and no iPad.

As soon as the blackout started, my dog, Pepper, hid under the couch and my cats hid under the bed.

Suddenly, there was a huge loud noise. I looked up and it was hailing. I hid in the bathroom but I didn't stay long because as soon as I got in there, there was a crack in the roof! I got out of there as fast as I could.

I started to get really scared after that because it could destroy the house. So, I ran out of the house and hid in the shed. The shed we built was very strong. I knew that if I stayed in the shed until it was over, I would be safe. Unfortunately, there was a lot of stuff in it so I had to squeeze in with all the equipment.

But then I saw an astonishing sight. The hail was getting bigger. In a moment, the shed was destroyed and I didn't know where to go. I couldn't go back to the house because I knew it was crushed.

But then I got an idea! We have this giant roofed forest. A while ago we were going to call the tree cutters with their machines. But we had to cancel because we had to go shopping. So, I knew I could hide in it until the storm was over. We had the forest because we owned a huge block of land.

I ran down the grassy meadows until I reached it. I hid in the forest until the storm died down. I was safe once again.

The End