



Coorabell Public School

Community Newsletter

Always Do Your Best

Term 2 Week 2 - 4th May, 2020



INFORMATION

We are a nut aware school



VALUE OF THE WEEK

INTEGRITY

Be honest and trustworthy



P.B.L.

To Be Considerate,
To Be Positive, To Be Safe,
To Be A Learner

► PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I hope you and your family are managing to make the best of the situation we all find ourselves in at the moment. Thank you to all the families who have collected their second learning packs last Wednesday. If you did not get a chance to collect the learning pack, can you please contact your classroom teacher to arrange a pick-up time and date that suits you.

As I mentioned in my last email, all NSW Public Schools are moving into Phase 1 – A managed return to school schedule. This means your child/ren return to school for one day per week beginning week 3, May 11 2020. You are encouraged to keep your child at home for the rest of the week to continue Phase 0 where children are working from home.

Your classroom teacher will contact you to arrange the day that your child can attend school. The main priority is to limit the number of students to an absolute maximum of 10 and preferably 7 in each classroom. Some teachers are allocating the day of the week that they wish your child to attend and other teachers are offering preference days that may suit you best. If the allocated day does not suit you, please contact your classroom teacher ASAP so we can try and best accommodate your requests.

Every child must bring a drink bottle and the book pack to school on their designated/agreed day. The school buses are fully operational. It is also highly encouraged that your child is dropped off at the gate to maintain social distancing

protocols. Please phone or email the school if you need to speak to your classroom teacher, administration or myself.

I am hearing many stories about other school principals and teachers inundating children/parents with copious amounts of school work that they must complete each week. I'm sure these teachers believe they are maintaining a level of quality teaching and learning where in many cases all they are doing is sacrificing student family wellbeing for the sake of a few weeks of misconceived academic gain. Can I once again implore you to prioritise your own family wellbeing and relationships above and beyond any academic activity which is causing you or your family duress. Last Wednesday I had the opportunity to talk to many parents as they were picking up their book packs and was pleased to hear many happy stories about parents enjoying activities with their children that they would not normally do such as gardening, cooking, playing sport in the back yard or bird watching. Great to hear families making the best out of a highly unique situation.

Thanks again for all your ongoing support. We will continue to keep you updated with any relevant developments in regards to the school.

Many thanks

Geoff Coghlan

PS. Check out the pictures of some remote learning taking place. Also I read 2 excellent pieces of Creative Writing from Jake & Jacob. Great work everyone!



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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

'The happiness of any society begins
with the well-being of the families that
live in it'

Kofi Anan



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UPCOMING EVENTS!

TERM 2 2020

May	11	Students return 1 day per week
Jul	3	LAST day of Term 2

TERM 3 2020

Jul	21	FIRST day of Term 3
Aug	5	School Photo day
Sept	22-23	Life Education Van
	25	LAST day of Term 3

TERM 4 2020

Oct	12	FIRST day of Term 4
Dec	16	LAST day of Term 4



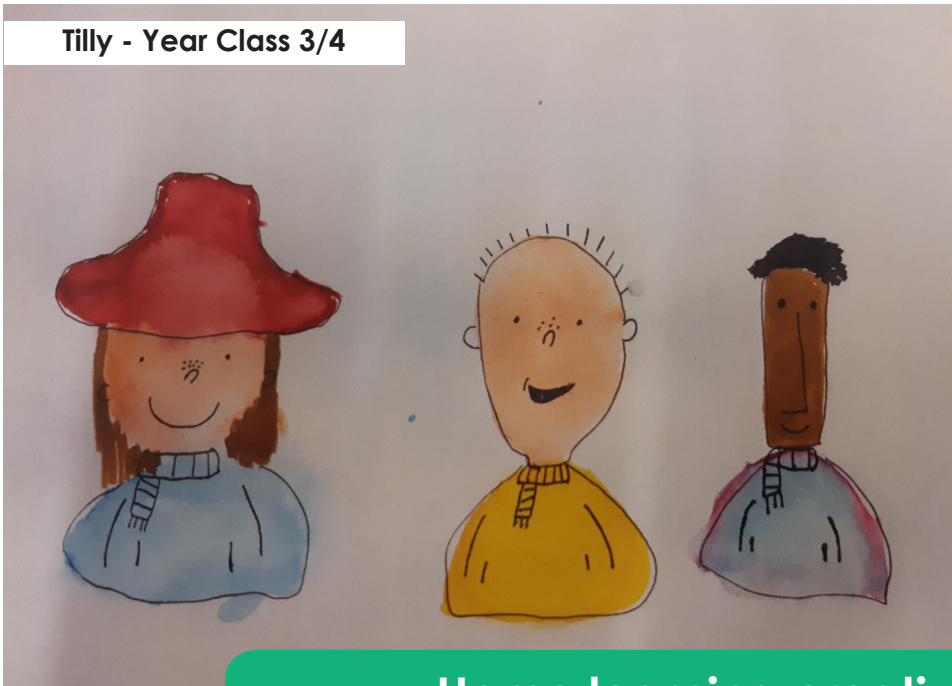
REMINDERS



Don't forget to bring your drink
bottle and backpack when
coming into school next week.



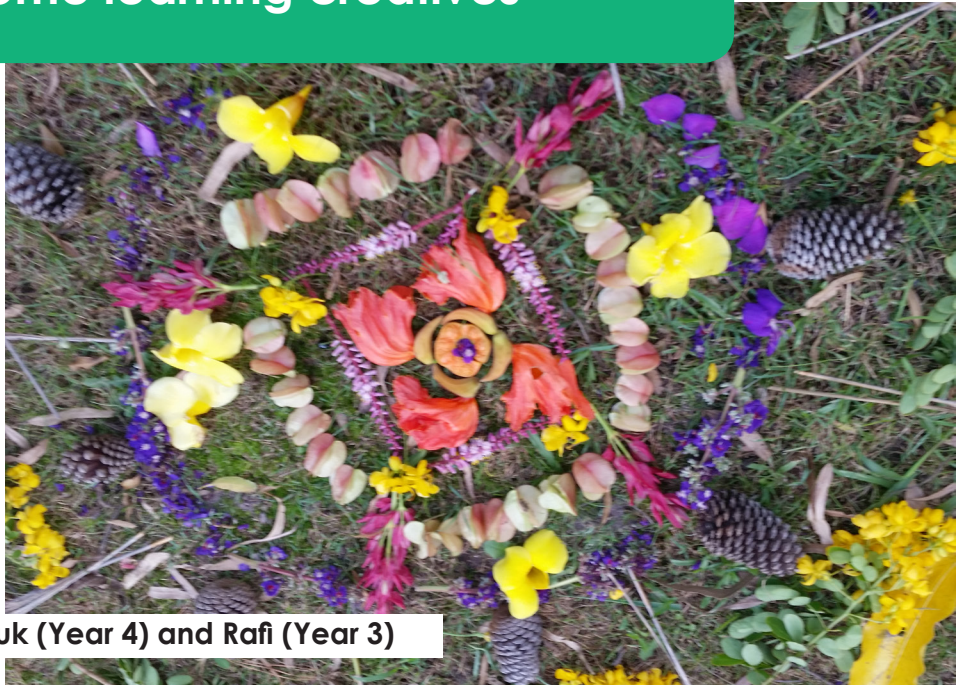
Tilly - Year Class 3/4



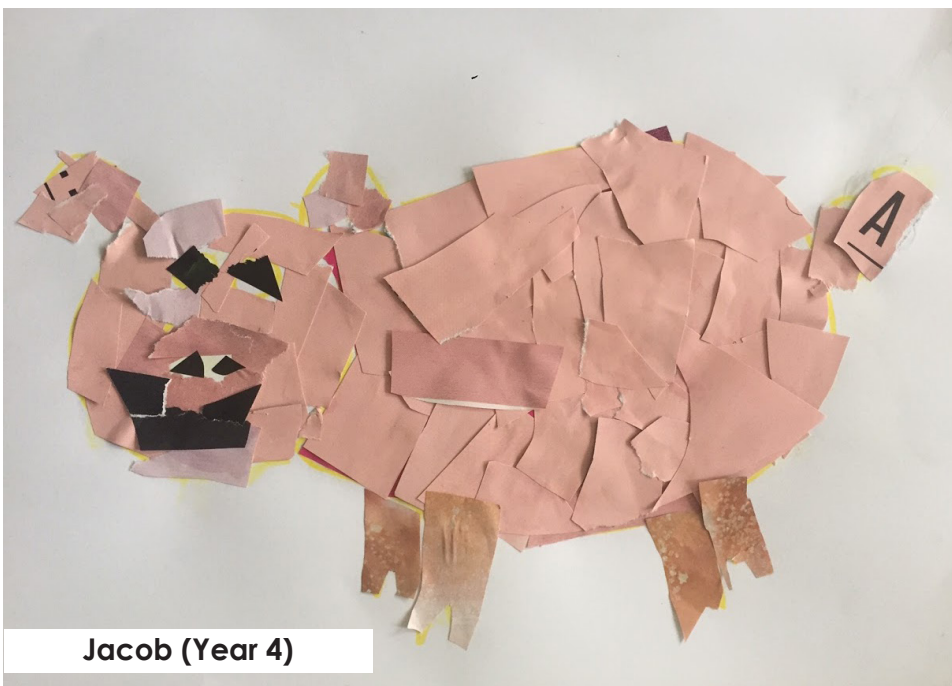
Mitsuki - Year 6



Home learning creatives



Anoouk (Year 4) and Rafi (Year 3)

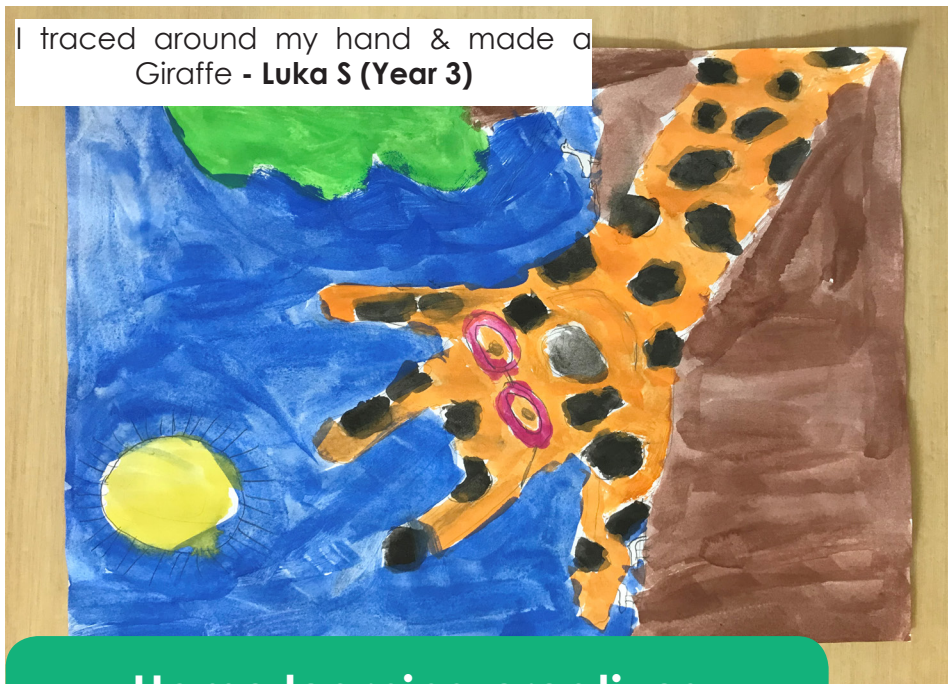


Jacob (Year 4)

Oscar (Year 3)



I traced around my hand & made a
Giraffe - **Luka S (Year 3)**



Shanti (Year 6)

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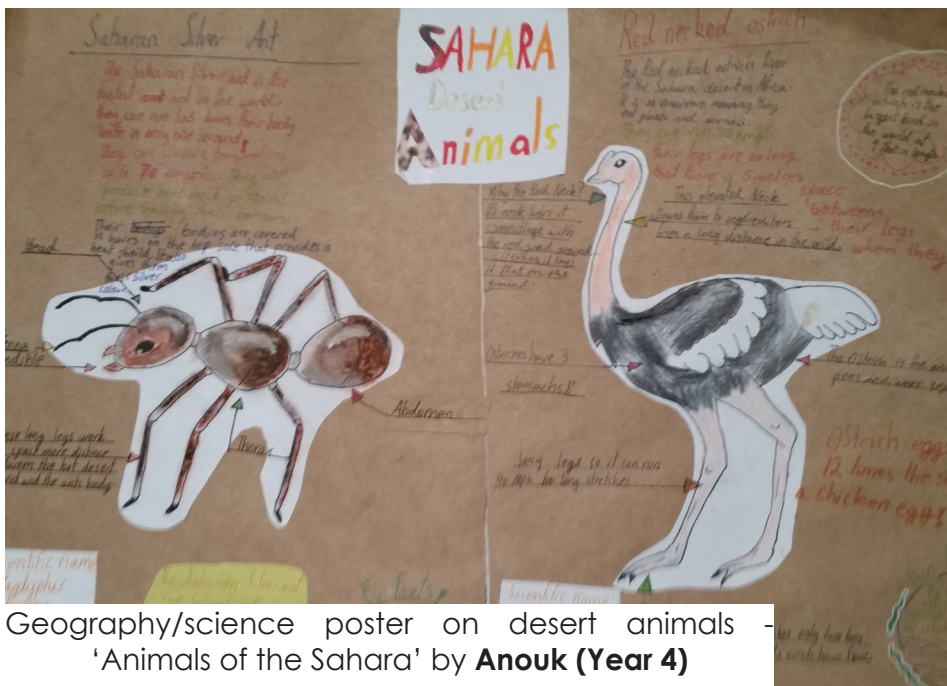
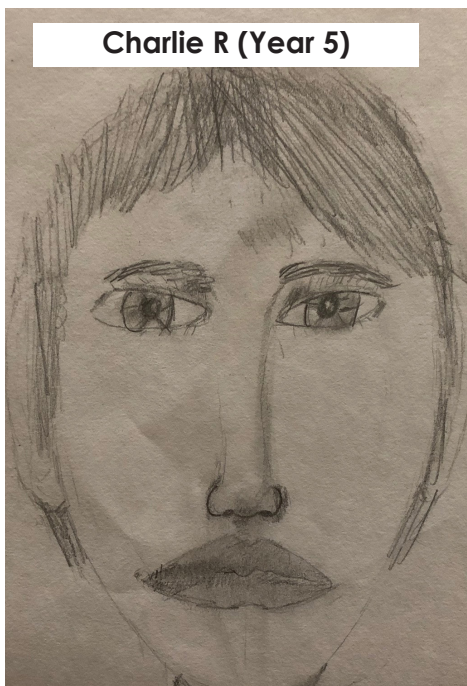


Uma (Year 4) - shadow artwork



I drew this picture without lifting
the pencil - **Luka S (Year 3)**

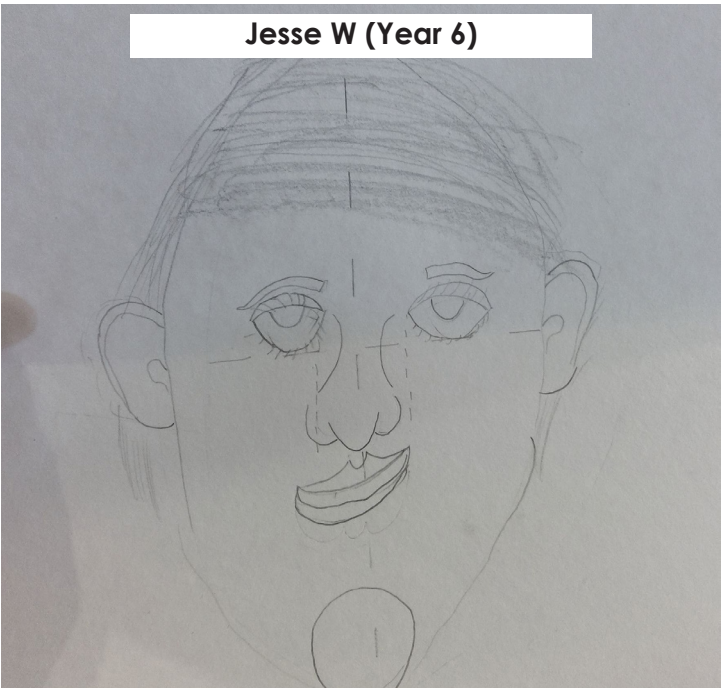
Charlie R (Year 5)



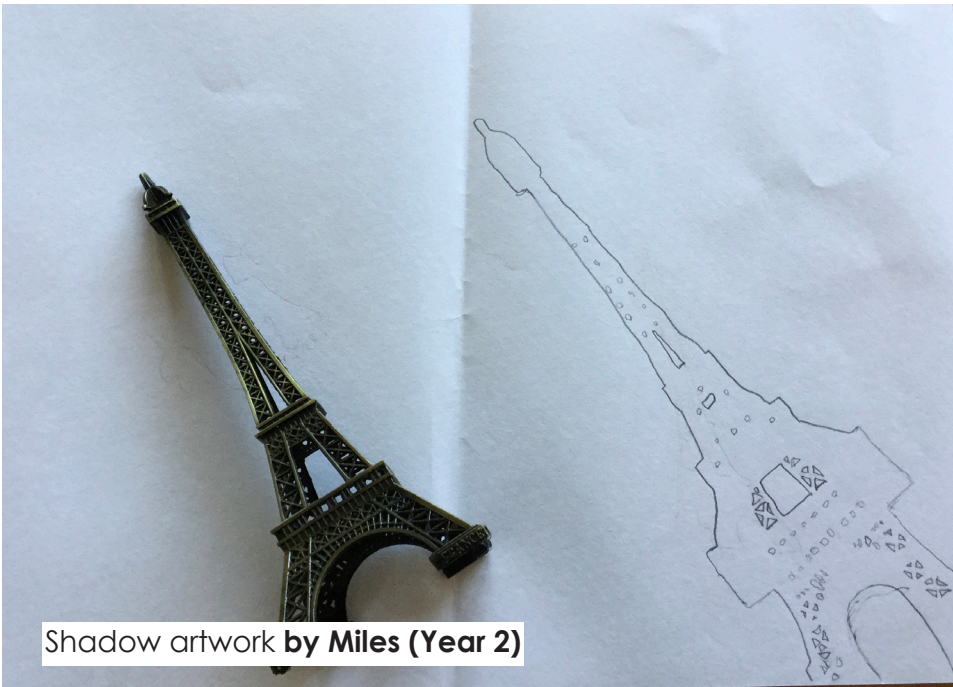
Geography/science poster on desert animals -
'Animals of the Sahara' by **Anouk (Year 4)**



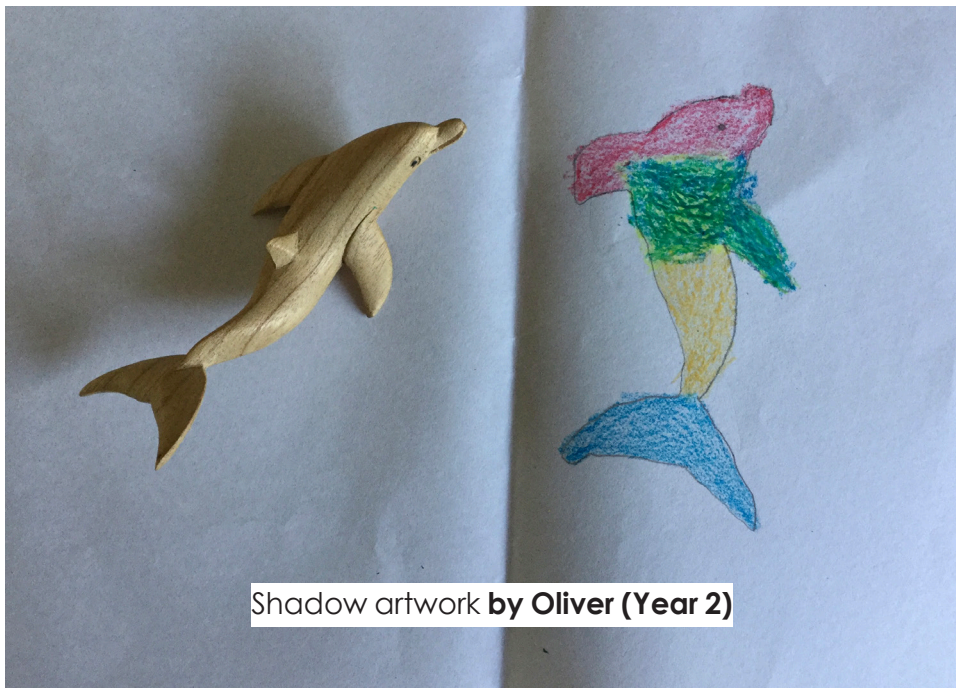
Flower Collage by Indy (Year 4)



Jesse W (Year 6)

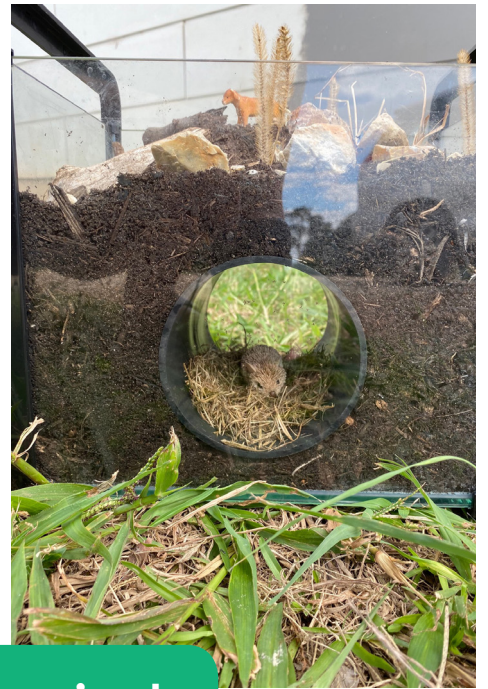


Shadow artwork by Miles (Year 2)

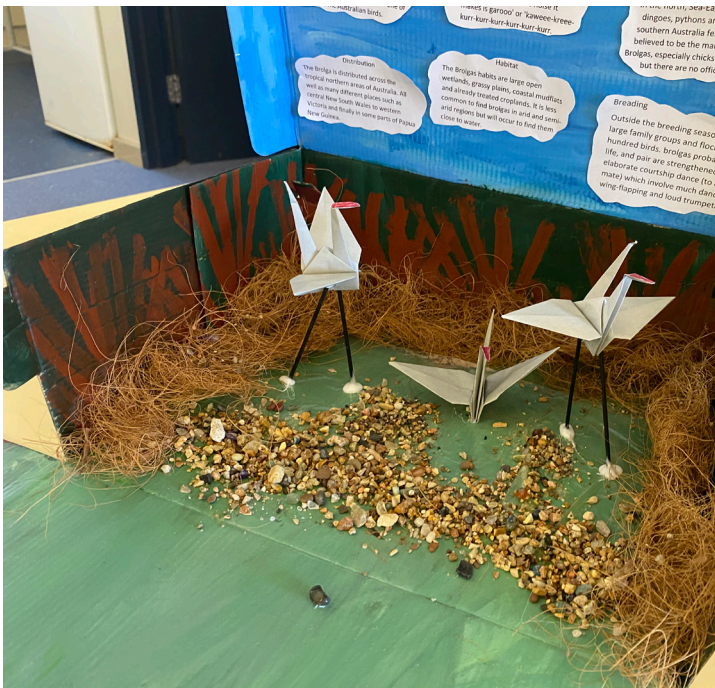


Shadow artwork by Oliver (Year 2)

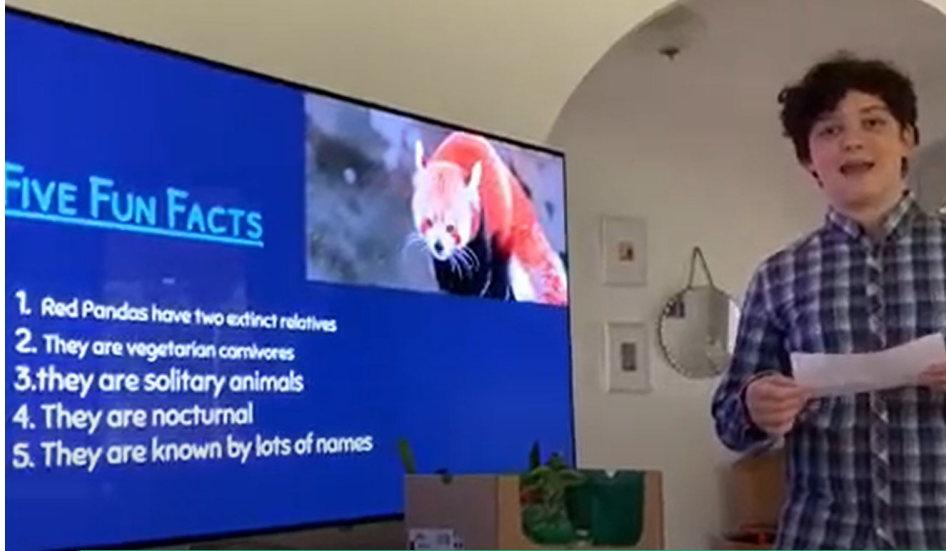
Home
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Year 6 Home learning habitat projects



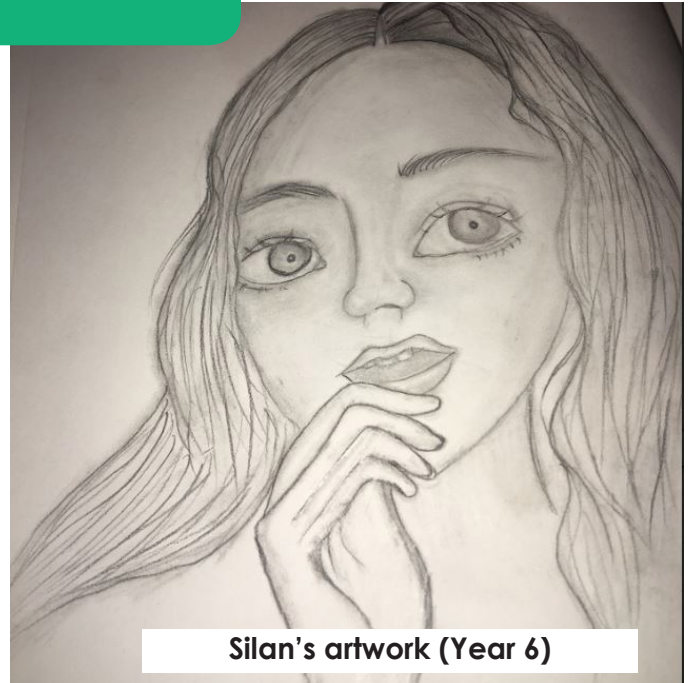
Benji's habitat speech (Year 6)



Georgie (Year 6) juggling



Year 6 Home learning habitat projects



Silan's artwork (Year 6)

P & C NEWS

P&C General Meeting

Coorabell Public School

Tuesday 12th May 2020, 6pm via ZOOM

Contact simon at coorabellpandc@gmail.com if you'd like to attend the zoom meeting