

7/2R TERM 1, 2021 newsletter

WHAT A START!

Hello families of 1/2R, our first few weeks of 2021 have been lots of fun getting to know each other! We have played lots of games, looked at how we work together as a class and learnt about each other. We have been practising our *social and communication skills* in many different ways.

Enjoy looking at the learning,
Rachel and Jacinta



FUN MEETING ROXY

Roxy came in for a visit. The children loved having a cuddle and asked lots of questions.



GRADE 1 BUDDIES

The Grade 1 students have continued with a Buddy Program this year. They have met with their Grade 6 buddy twice now and had lots of fun!



MORE PHOTOS





OUR ESSENTIAL AGREEMENT

Last week we read two great books called "Be You" by Peter H Reynolds and "The Golden Rule" by Ilene Cooper, discussing the important ideas from each book.

The students then worked in groups to decide the most important 'ways to be' in 1/2R. We then shared these ideas as a big group. We also discussed what 'Essential' and 'Agreement' meant.

Finally, we voted on what was most important for our classroom. We refer to this agreement daily and use it to reflect on how we treat ourselves, others and also our classroom.

1 / 2 R LEADERS

Our class have been busy learning about leadership the last few weeks and how we can 'all' be a leader at West! The grade 2s who wanted to be a SRC Leader had to speak in front of the class, telling everyone why they would like to be on SRC.

Everyone in the class had a chance to run for Environmental Leader.

Our class then voted and the 1/2R SRCs are: **Keira Mott and Demitri Tonzing.**

Our 1/2R Enviro Leaders are: **Juan Eborra and Coco Hartshorn.**

We know these students will do a wonderful job as our elected Class Leaders for 2021

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