**LITERACY**

**Sounds of the week (week 3)**
- Monday – g as in girl
- Tuesday – h as in house
- Thursday – j as in jellyfish
- Friday – l as in lizard

**Word of the week:** is

**Class sentence:** It is fun at school

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

**WEDNESDAYS**
- 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th February
- Prep Testing Days
  - No school

**10 DAYS OF SCHOOL**
- Friday 12th February

**OPEN MORNINGS**
- Between 29th February and 11th March
- Prep K and Prep M

**LABOUR DAY**
- Public Holiday
  - Monday 14th March
  - No school

**CURRICULUM DAY**
- Tuesday 15th March
  - No school

**PREP FAMILY PICNIC**
- Friday 18th March

**END OF TERM 1**
- Thursday 24th March

**START OF TERM 2**
- Monday 11th April

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**OTHER CURRICULUM AREAS**

**MATHS:** Sorting and classifying

**SCIENCE:** The weather

**HISTORY:** ‘All about me’ & ‘My family’

**GEOGRAPHY:** Features of our school

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**Front and Back Gates**
- Teachers will continue to walk students to front and back gates for after school pick-ups at 3:25pm. This will allow us to hand over your child safely before the rest of the school is dismissed.

**Whole School Assembly**
- We plan to take the children to their first whole school assembly in the gym next **Monday, 8th February**. The children will come to their classrooms at 9:00am as normal and then we will walk them to assembly in class groups. Parents are welcome to stay for assembly.

**PMP**
- All Prep children will be starting PMP next Tuesday 9th February so can they please wear runners to school each Tuesday.

**Prep Family Picnic**
- A social family picnic for all Prep children and their families has been planned for Friday 18th March. Please put this date in your calendars and we will provide further information closer to the day.

**Open Mornings**
- Over the two weeks between 29th February and 11th March, Prep K and Prep M will have their classrooms open to allow families the opportunity to observe their child’s classrooms in action. More information will come home regarding these days and your availability.

**10 Days of School**
- On Friday 12th February we will be celebrating our first 10 days of school!