



Community Connections - K-1 BD

OUR SCHOOL VISION: We inspire individuals to flourish, embrace challenges and make a positive difference to our world.

Unit of Inquiry *Sharing the planet.*

Central Idea:

We have the responsibility to take care of our planet.

Lines of Inquiry:

An inquiry into what we notice about the world around us.

How you can help at home?

- When walking in nature and different environments talk with your child about what you see and ask what the children see or get them to point at different things they notice. Name plants and animals in the environment
- If you have pets or plants at home encourage your child to help look after them. Discuss what they need to be healthy.

Literacy:

- Learning through stories and songs
- Focus on asking children to repeat phrases and positive reinforcement when they use and gestures/signs
- Tracing names and letters, explore the sounds of the letters.
- Continue to use visuals and simple key word signs in communication and encourage children to use visuals in their communication.

How you can help at home?

Read to your child and discuss the pictures. Ask your child to repeat words and common sentences, such as good morning, more please.

Numeracy:

- Number songs and rhymes
- Counting during play
- Talking about shapes and colours

How you can help at home?

Math is everywhere! Encourage your child to engage with the mathematical world in everyday situations. Point out and say numbers when you see them, count when you can, such as fingers, shoes, toys, point out shapes and colours.

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K-1 BD staff:

Belinda



Amy



Karma



Steph



Specialist lessons:

Visual Arts	Monday
PE	Thursday

Important Dates:

- Wk 1 - Monday 12th October - Pupil Free Day
- Wk 2 - Friday 23rd October - Grandfriends Day
- Wk 3 - Wednesday 28th October - Year 1 excursion
- Wk 8 - Thursday 3rd December - Whole School Awards
- Wk 10 - Friday 18 December- Last day of Term 4

Important reminders:

- Please remember to pack labeled spare clothes everyday.
- As the weather gets warmer we will be engaging in water play. Please feel free to send swim wear such as a rashie (swim top), a towel and crocs.
- Remember a hat.
- Please label all clothes and items, such as lunchboxes and drink bottles.