



Creative experiences – links with our community.

On Tuesday of last week Grade 1 had an amazing excursion to visit (and work with) the ladies of the Sihab Women's Sewing Group.



As part of their Unit of Inquiry "Celebrations & Traditions", the excursion was organised by Ms Joanne to link in with their art focus. The workshop was a great experience, allowing the students to collaborate with the women and create a wall hanging using traditional motifs of Oman. You can see it hanging proudly in our admin area.



Over our two interview days the group had a stall selling many of their exquisite items and I know many parents (and staff) purchased treasures.

TERM TWO STARTS BACK
TUESDAY JANUARY 5

KG STARS



To finish off a busy, and long, first term our KG children shared some of their learning songs with parents.



Over the past 16 weeks it has been a delight to watch these little learners grow and develop so many new skills.



We all look forward to seeing them continue to blossom in Term Two.



School Happenings

SICK CHILDREN

- As we have entered the cooler months of Winter we are noticing an increase in coughs and sniffles. PLEASE, if your child is ill, the best place for them is tucked up at home. We urge you to not send children and medicine to school – it is so easy for viruses to spread when in contact with classmates.

UNIFORM STANDARDS

- As we approach the cooler days there has been an increase in non-uniform items being worn, particularly sweatshirts/jackets and leggings/trousers. We ask you to please support your child in coming to school looking like a proud SIS student. School sweat jackets are available from our uniform store and you can purchase at any time. Leggings must be either white or navy (dark) blue, and long pants must be the school uniform ones. Thank you for your help with this.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

You will have received confirmation of your child's Term Two After School Activity which begin in **week starting January 17**. We know they will enjoy these and the various skills they will develop over the time.

A couple of points to remember –

- Students are unable to change group during the term – the ASA they start is the one they continue.
- **ASA's will finish at an earlier time – 3.30pm.** Please ensure your child is picked up at this time. If they are not, and continue to be picked up late then they will be unable to continue involvement in their activity.



Snapshots of our Vibrant Learning



Have a safe and happy holiday break and we look forward to seeing you all back on Tuesday 5 January.

Kind regards
Maree Butler☺

