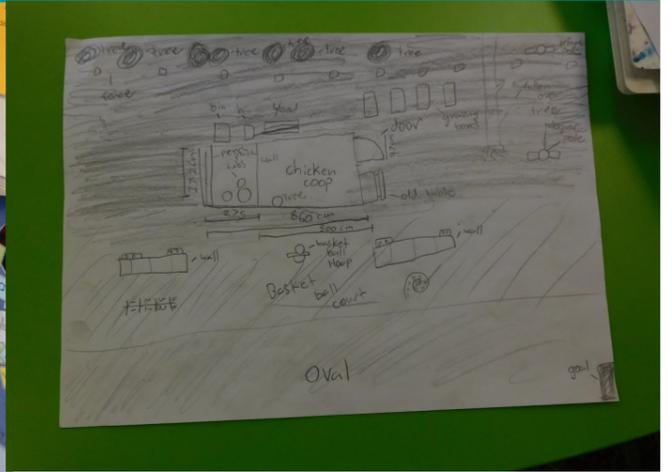
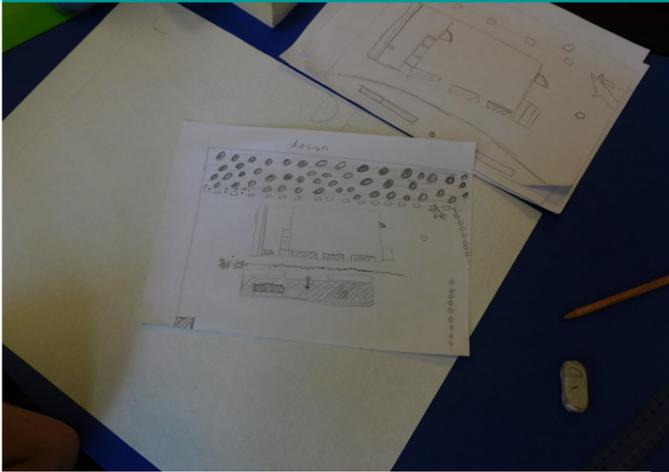
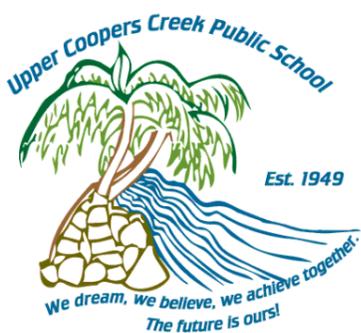


Upper Coopers Creek Newsletter Public School



Term 4 Week 7

Thursday 18 November 2021



Dear Families and Friends,

P&C Catering: A huge thank you to our wonderful P&C for providing (at very short notice) a delicious morning tea and lunch for the teachers attending professional development on Wednesday. Nicky tells me that the compliments were flowing!

Kinder Orientation: Today was our final Kinder Orientation for the year. We had a wonderful time with our new kindies and can't wait for them to start school with us next year. If you know of any families with children who will be starting primary school next year, please tell them about Upper Coopers Creek and invite them to get in touch.

In the classroom: This week in the classroom in maths we have focused on multiplication and area. In English the younger students worked with our pre-service teacher, Lynn, to write descriptive sentences about the sounds birds make and the ways they move. The older students worked on our annual school magazine. In science the younger students began designing a wearable dinosaur defence shield while the older class perfected their chicken house designs. In mindfulness this week, we have looked at kindness and empathy and on how to focus our awareness on acts of kindness.

Recycled materials for dinosaur designs: The younger students are creating wearable dinosaur defence shields from recycled materials such as boxes, containers and cartons. Nicky has asked if families could speak with their kids about their designs and to please send in anything they think might be useful for these creations.

Dates To Remember

Tues	23 Nov	Mullumbimby High School Orientation
Tues	30 Nov	Byron Bay High School Orientation
Wed	1 Dec	School Concert
Mon-Fri	6-10 Dec	School Swimming
Mon-Thu	13-16 Dec	Surfing Lessons

Bundjalung Country

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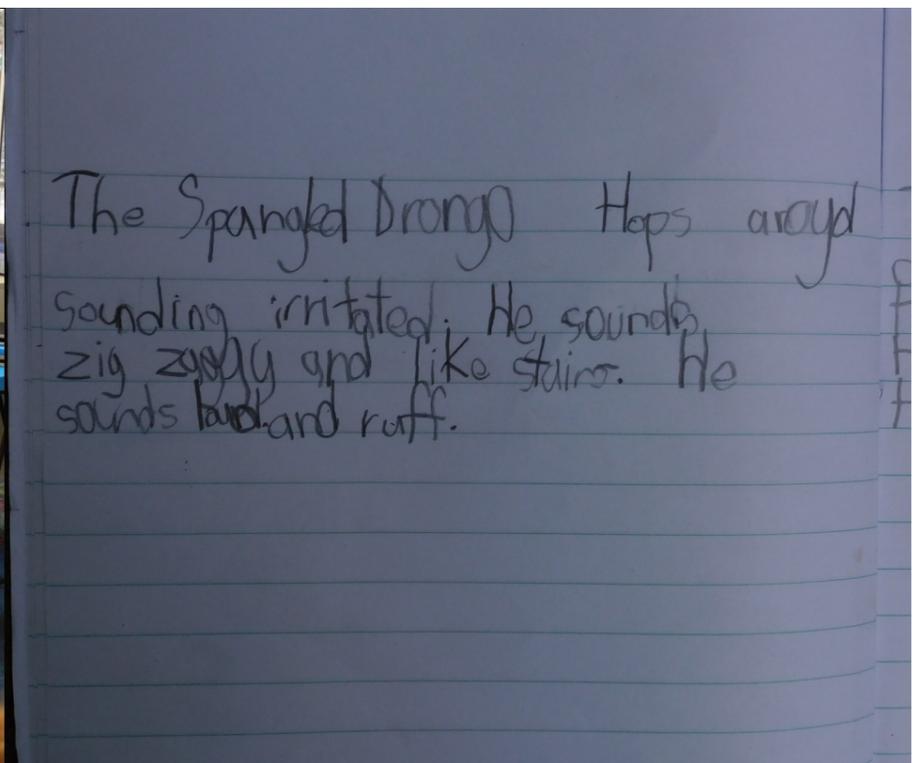
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We pay our respects to the people of the Bundjalung nation upon whose country we learn and teach.

Tell Them From Me: Next week the year 4—6 students will be taking part in the “Tell Them From Me” student survey. The survey asks students about a range of school experiences, including their engagement and well-being at school and beyond. It also asks students about teaching practices and the learning environment. A consent note is attached if you do **not** wish your child to participate.

School Swimming Scheme: School swimming lessons will be held for all students in Week 10 at Trinity Pool. These lessons are especially important for younger children and those who may not feel confident in the water. These lessons offer targeted care and attention that build crucial water safety skills and confidence for every student.

Surfing: Thanks to the Sporting Schools Grant, in Week 11 the whole school will head to Byron for four days of surfing lessons. These lessons are a lot of fun and a great way to learn about beach and surf safety.

Year 6 Farewell: The Year 6 students have decided how they are going to celebrate their final day of primary school. After surfing on Thursday, they are going to have lunch and go to the Byron Pool with their school friends.

