



EVERGLADE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

This week has seen our classes learning more about Matariki. As our country's newest public holiday, Matariki has a significant history to it, as well as a scientific basis.

We also know that this Friday 24 June is the **MATARIKI PUBLIC HOLIDAY**. There will be no school on that day.

School will resume on Monday 27 June.

We wish everyone an enjoyable Matariki Weekend.



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In the next two weeks we will be having our **Transition Mornings for incoming five year old pupils**. We commonly use the term New Entrants or Year Zero for pupils who start school as the year is progressing. Our Transition Mornings are valuable for all. They give useful information to families, and they give us at school a greater understanding of our incoming pupils and their needs.

Our two sessions are on:

- Tuesday 28 June from 9.15 to 10.45am
- Thursday 07 July from 9.15 to 10.45am

If you know someone who lives in our school zone, and whose child will turn five between July and September, please check in with them. Sometimes in the busy rush of life we can forget to do the simple things, like enrol our child to start school. A reminder from you may be just what they need.



Writers Piece

Our writing this time comes from Room 4, one of our Year 1 classes.

In Room 4 we read “ The Very Hungry Caterpillar” story and wrote about the story. We looked at the caterpillars on the swan plant at school and also made caterpillars with egg cartons.



A butterfly laid an egg. The egg hatched and a caterpillar came out. On Sunday the caterpillar ate four strawberries. But he was still hungry. On Monday he ate one cake and a slice of watermelon. His stomach was sore. He ate some leaves. He was feeling better. He made a cocoon. Then he turned into a butterfly.



By Salina Reddy

On Monday the caterpillar ate one apple. But he was still hungry. On Tuesday he ate a watermelon and a cupcake. His stomach was sore. He was better and he is fat.

Andrew Morgan



The caterpillar laid an egg on the leaf. The caterpillar came out from the egg. He ate cheese and ice-cream and one cupcake and one pickle. He was still hungry and he got fat. He made a cocoon. He turned into a butterfly.

By Silvia Holland



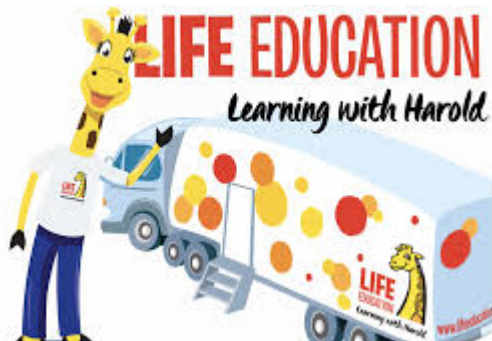
A butterfly laid an egg. The caterpillar hatched out of the egg. On Monday the caterpillar ate one apple. On Friday the caterpillar ate two strawberries. On Saturday the caterpillar ate one muffin and one watermelon. The caterpillar went in the cocoon and the caterpillar turned into a butterfly.

By Nikau Smythe



The butterfly laid an egg on the leaf. The caterpillar hatched out of the egg. First the caterpillar ate 2 pears. But he was still hungry. On Tuesday he ate four strawberries. He got fat. He made a cocoon and then he turned into a butterfly.

By Zion Purcell



Next Monday sees the start of our Health Education Programme, using the **Life Education Caravan**. This is a key resource for schools, as it provides a specialised venue for classes to focus on an aspect of the Health Education curriculum. Each class will spend two sessions in the Caravan over the coming two weeks, as they work through their chosen focus. Areas of focus align with the Health

Education Curriculum, and are:

- Identity and Resilience
- Relationships and Communities
- Food and Nutrition
- Human Biology
- Substances
- Understanding our Bodies

We look forward to the Caravan joining us for the next two weeks.

Next newsletter: Wednesday 29 June

Regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Robinson", is displayed on a light yellow rectangular background.

John Robinson
Principal