

Positive Behaviour for Learning



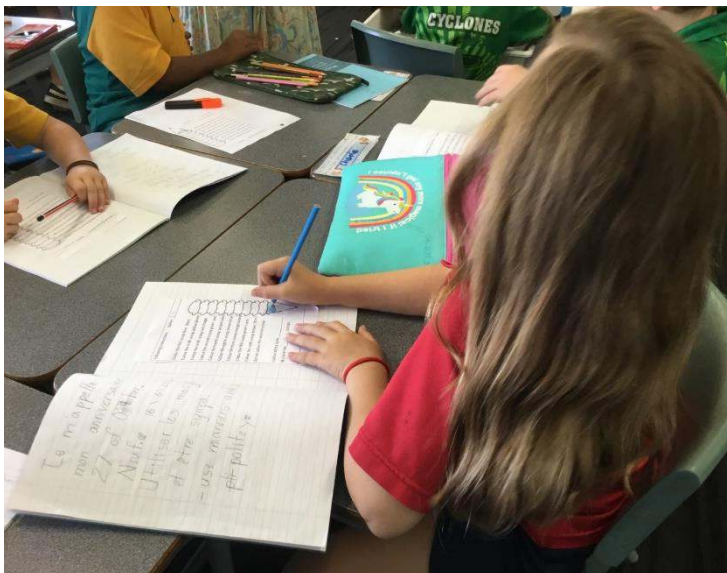
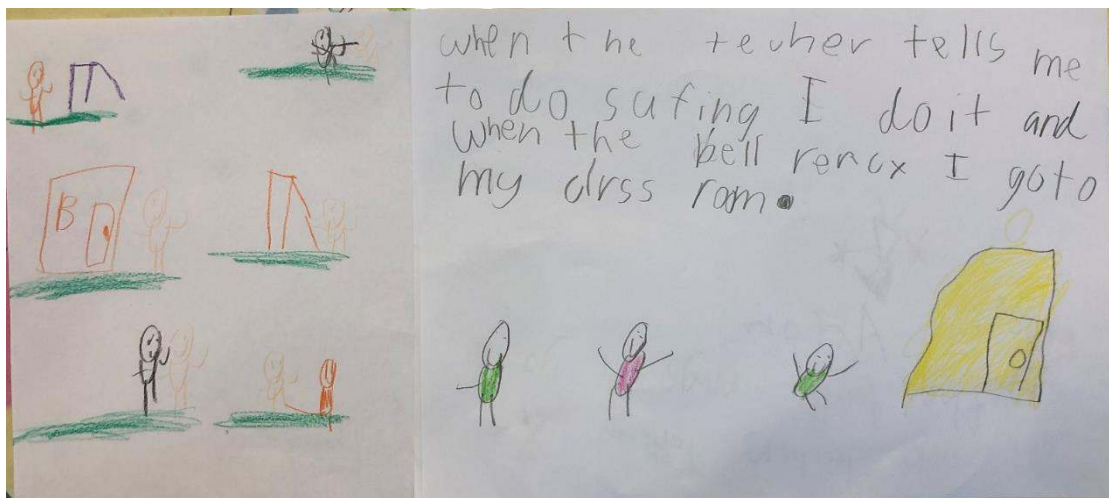
PBL Fortnightly Focus

Follow instructions - First time, every time

At The Willows, our families value respect and when students are following the instructions given by adults at school, they are showing Respect to themselves, their family and the school. This fortnight our focus has been, ***Follow instructions- first time, every time***. All classes have lessons teaching the Fortnightly Focus to re-inforce the high expectations that we have for our students at The Willows.

Across the school our students have discussed why following instructions is important and how it shows respect. The students have created posters, played games and participated in a variety of activities where following instructions is important. This focus explicitly teaches students to always follow adult instructions at school, which keeps people safe and shows respect.

Year 1 students have been following instructions and writing about how they follow instructions. Great work Year 1.



Student Council News – Fundraising Term 3

After several successful fundraising efforts our Student Council are excited to announce they have raised \$1311.20 so far for 2021. They would like to say thank you to our school community for their donations, which are greatly appreciated by our charity of choice, Ronald McDonald House Charities North Australia Branch.

The Student Council are planning the publicity for their next event and wish to inform the students to get their awesome and amazing socks ready for “**Rock your Socks Day**”. Thank you to the P and C for the new socks which arrived recently after the school fundraiser.

On **Thursday 2 September** students can come to school rocking their cool socks. Bring along a gold coin donation and let's see how much money we can raise in Term 3 for Ronald McDonald House Charities.



Student Council Fundraiser

for Ronald McDonald House Charities



Rock your Socks Day

Thursday 2 September 2021

Bring a gold coin donation



Wear your fun and colourful socks to school

Ephemera 2021

This year *Ephemera* was a beautiful showcase of artworks by local and nationally-renowned artists. During the Strand Ephemera from the 17th to the 25th of July, The Willows had student artwork as part of a larger school display, featuring small sculptures of sea creatures. This art piece was well received and our artists enjoyed seeing their creatures on display.

On the Council website there are photos from the event and other information about the artists. ephemera-tsv.com.au



EPHEMERA AQUARIUM

Townsville Primary School Students with Cassie Roberts and Lisa Ashcroft



NAIDOC Week Poster Competition

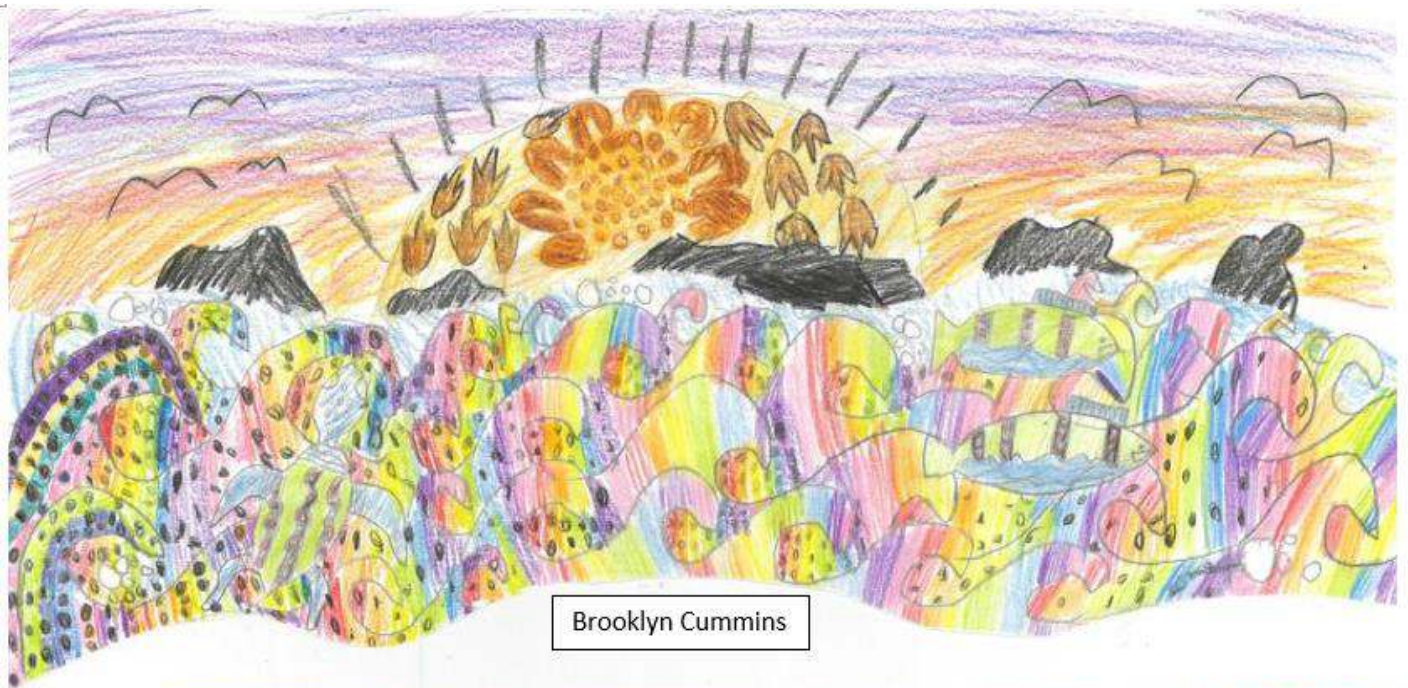
As part of NAIDOC week students created their own **Heal Country** posters showing their connection to Country, inspired by the story '**My Country**' by Ezekiel Kwaymullina. The NAIDOC theme of Heal Country, invites the nation to embrace First Nations' cultural knowledge and understanding of Country.

There were almost 100 entries from across the school, each unique and showing special places that are important to the artist. Congratulations to each and every student that submitted a poster to the competition. We are proud to present the winners, who have each received a certificate and prize. The winner was Brooklyn with her colourful depiction of the sea. The runner-up prizes were awarded to Ezekiel, Elijah and Olivia. We loved seeing the variety of special places in nature depicted.



**HEAL
COUNTRY!**





Brooklyn Cummins



Olivia Taggart



Ezekiel Harbour



Elijah Traynor

Positive Behaviour for Learning – 75 Stars in Week 5

In Week 5 students who have gained 75 stars or more on their Star Chart, will be celebrating by participating in fun activities with their class. Every student is well on the way to achieving this goal.

Students will be participating in activities such as; Board games, tech activities, art and craft, outside games, obstacle courses and computer time. We always look forward to acknowledging our students during these rewards.