Welcome to 5L!

I am pleased to be teaching your children again this year! It is great to build on the relationships that we established last year. We are already off to an excellent start with students enjoying the increased responsibilities and opportunities that are available now they are in Stage 3.

Units of Work Term 1

In addition to English and Mathematics, 5L will be undertaking the following units of work in Term 1:

- HSIE - Gold
- PDH - PBL / Life Education

Homework

Each week homework will consist of spelling, reading and maths activities. Homework is to be returned on Friday’s. Class Dojo points are given to students who return completed homework.

Classroom Reward System

We are using Class Dojo and Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) for our class reward system. Students receive positive dojo points for being safe, respectful, responsible, learners. The number of points received during the week means students are able to get Possum Prides, that go into our weekly draw, and PBL Awards which count towards bronze, silver and gold certificates that are presented at our whole school assemblies.

Special events for 5L in Term 1

- Dance to Fit
  10:20 – 11:00am Wednesday

- Library
  2:00 – 2:55pm Tuesday

- Music
  Weeks 5, 7, 9, 11
  9:00 – 10:00am Friday

- Sport
  Friday

We are SAFE, RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE LEARNERS
### Release from Face to Face Teaching (RFF)

RFF is taken by Mrs Ellks and Miss Daly on Wednesday’s. Mrs Ellks will be teaching HSIE and Miss Daly will be teaching Mathematics. I have been so proud of the students for their excellent behaviour in these lessons. Mrs Ellks and Miss Daly have told me 5L is the best class they teach!

### Mathletics and Reading Eggs

Mathletics and Reading Eggs are online programs used by the students at school to assist in developing skills and understanding in these areas. Students have passwords that can be used at home.

### Library

Our Library time is on Tuesday’s with Mr Byrne. During this time, students will participate in activities that develop their ability to locate resources and research topics. The love of reading is also promoted. Regular borrowing is encouraged.

### Contacting the School

If you have an issue you would like to discuss about your child, please feel free to contact the school to make an appointment by phoning 4729 0392, or call in and see me before or after school.

Thanks for your support

Mr Grant Little