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Grade 1 / 2 June 2017 Newsletter

Changing your reader.

We are lucky at Rye primary school as every single day the whole school stops and participates in SURF reading time. We all nestle down with our readers and our "good fit" books and enjoy reading our chosen books.

After this time our students are reminded on a daily basis, to change their readers. If your child is reading the same reader over and over and it is boring you to tears, please remind them that it is an important job that they should be doing. As teachers we check their reading diary during the week but depend on the students to change them when necessary.

Parent teacher interviews..

Parent teacher interviews are coming up very soon.(week two of term three). Leanne will not be available on the night so grade 1 / 2 Bainbridge/Leeder are getting in early and interviews will be next Thursday 29th of June. Notices will be going out this week or just come in to room 8 and write your name on the timetable.... Interviews will start at 1:30 pm. So get in early!

What we are learning..

Over the next two weeks we will be learning about;

- *We are writing our own stories in Writer's notebook.*
- *We are working on counting.*

- ***We are learning about telling the time.***
- ***We are learning to find the meaning of words by the words around them (in context).***
- ***We are learning about sequencing when we are reading.***

Investigations.

Have you seen what some of our students have been working on during Investigation time?

Henry has been doing an information report on limestone. Did you know limestone is made up of dead marine skeletons and that toothpaste has limestone in it or even that paint uses limestone to thicken it? We are so excited by Henry's findings we are hoping to take BB's grade to the Limestone kiln to have a look.

Noah has borrowed a beautiful book on butterflies with stunning illustrations and has followed up in Investigations by copying the painting style and making some lovely butterflies.

Zali, Ruby and Rose Jennings have been really busy making some amazing masks. Come on in and have a look at the cat, elephant and puppy. They are stunning.

The grade one/two team. Ange, Leanne, Lynne , Sandi , Anthony and Caitlyn. x

