1/2C Term 1 2012

1/2 C have been very busy this term!
Maths: 1/2C does Maths every day. Students have learnt to finish number patterns, use different strategies to solve addition and subtraction problems, divide objects into halves and quarters, measure using a ruler and tell the time on the hour and the half hour.

Writing: This term students have been writing information reports. Everyone has published an information report about a type of transport. They have looked at the purpose, the language used and the structure of information reports. They have also learnt about using paragraphs, topic sentences, action verbs and nouns in their writing.

Sport: Students have enjoyed participating in the Sport in Schools program. They have played a range of sports and activities that develop their fundamental movement skills. Each week they discuss the importance of living a healthy and active lifestyle.

Computers: Students have been developing their skills using Microsoft Word. They have been practising changing the font style, size and colour. They have also been adding images, borders and backgrounds to their work. All the students have enjoyed working with computers.

Road Safety: As a part of a PD/H/PE unit, students have been learning about road safety. This includes pedestrian safety, car safety, bus safety and bike safety. Students have been very knowledgeable in this area and have each created a poster with a road safety message.

Creative Arts: Students spend Friday afternoons with Mrs Collins with a focus on Creative Arts. They have created beautiful art, learnt new songs and watched videos with a transport theme. Every Wednesday 1/2C has had fun dancing with KSF, 1S and 2/3G. During Week 8 they learnt and created movements to a transport song that they then performed at assembly.

Transport Unit: All term the students have been learning about different types of transport from a variety of resources. They have looked at who uses the different transport types and have studied transport timelines. This unit provided students with the opportunity to go on an excursion to the Maritime Museum in Sydney. At the Museum they were able to view many different types
of boats and ships including the world’s fastest boat, the *Spirit of Australia*. Students also had a great time touring the HMAS *Vampire*, an ex-Navy ship from 1959.

I have had a great time teaching the students of 1/2C and wish them luck for the rest of the year.

Have a safe and happy holiday.

Miss Hemmings
Making transport

Painting transport

Reeve with his dozer

Kane’s finished Jet

Art created with Mrs Collins
Road Safety Posters