

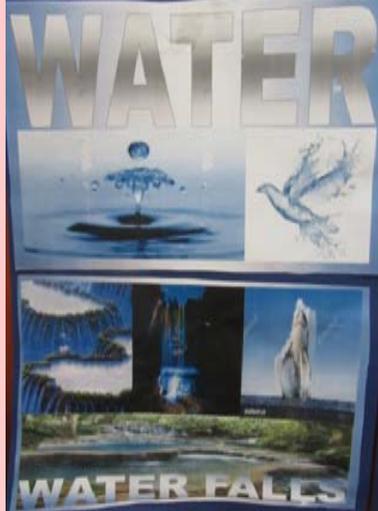
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Wanalirri School Newsletter Week 5 Term 1 2017

Dear Parents and Families, our term's work on Rivers and Streams continues. There is some wonderful artwork to see at school, including collages of saved "water" images (right). You are always welcome to come and see what students are doing.



100% Attenders Week 4 Ely, Daemon & Keiran



ABOVE: In RE, students learned a "handy" way to make an examination of conscience.

Making Space For Learning

NAPLAN 2017

Students in Years 3, 5 and 7 will sit NAPLAN tests in May this year. We are starting to prepare students so that they are familiar with the style of tests and the kinds of problems they may be asked to solve. An information note is attached to this newsletter, but parents and family members can also ask teachers for more information. At present, Daemon, Quinceton and Ely are preparing for NAPLAN.

Some pretty serious moves are continuing to be busted by students at Wanalirri. Dancing is a great way to refocus tired students and is one example of a "Brain Break". Ask the students about Blind Man's Bluff, Right/Left/Over, Feather Blow, Marching, Cups and other fun MSFL Brain Breaks.



Ash Wednesday Prayer Service Wednesday 9.30am

A Prayer Service will be held at school at 9.30 on Ash Wednesday. It is the beginning of Lent and the Season of preparation for Easter. All are welcome to attend. Attached to the newsletter is some information from Bishop Saunders about Lenten regulations.

LEFT: Ash Wednesday 2016:
Daly-Ann putting ashes on May's forehead.



**Week 4
Learning
Fun**



Students worked hard all week, even after school. Pictured are many examples of artwork completed, and some photos of the boys reading at assembly.

Prayers and Assembly each Friday 9.30am

The most important reason to come to Assembly on Friday is to see the children's work and help them celebrate their efforts. The students are always excited at Assembly time and love having family members come to listen to them read, see their work, watch them dancing or singing, or to enjoy something good to eat from Friday Cooking. Thanks Nancy for coming last Friday. Welcome everyone!

