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Wanalirri School Newsletter Week 2 Term 3 2016

Dear Parents and Families, This term students are learning to write information texts and explanations in English. They are learning about the Holy Spirit and how we can use God's gifts to make ourselves and the world better. In Science students are learning about body systems and how scientists plan experiments and report their findings. Place value and division are the focus in Maths, and in Art children are learning about dance. We hope to perform part of a dance for you at assembly this week. At our last School Community Group meeting, director Alfie White commented that the school was going very well and all the kids were learning. We hope this opportunity to learn is taken up by all Ngallagunda children with the help and support of the adults and family members responsible for them.

**100% Attenders Week 1
well done students
Courtney, Keiran & Daemon**



Tour Guides



Students invited Fr Simon and visiting seminarian Jason Yeap to Flat Rock for a swim and some damper. In great tour-guide style, the kids entertained with backflips and swimming, then Quinceton and Sionel topped it off by catching a goanna. Our guests were most impressed.

**Assembly tomorrow-
Thursday**

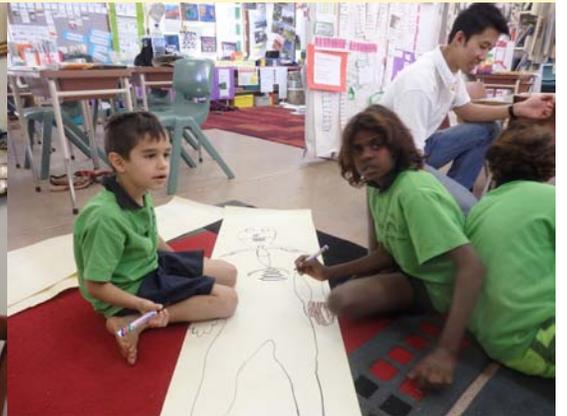
Please come to our assembly at 9.30 tomorrow. The students are preparing a song, dance and reading to show you. We will have a short School Community Meeting afterwards to share plans for the term.





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During Fr Simon Mutai's recent visit to Ngallagunda Community, he and seminarian Jason Yeap visited families and celebrated Masses at school, at the Hester family house and at the teachers' residence. Father also accompanied Wanalirri students and staff on an excursion and Jason joined a Science class as we learned about the Skeletal System. Both visitors spent some time in prayer at our Wanalirri Grotto, recently blessed by Bishop Saunders.



LEFT & ABOVE: Fr Simon and Jason joined us for classes, excursions, dinners and prayer in what was a wonderfully pastoral visit.



BELOW: An unfortunate accident but a timely reminder to all travellers. Fr Simon and Jason were very lucky to escape unscathed from a rollover just north of Ngallagunda Community.

