

Year 5 Passion Projects!

At the start of this term, the year 5s started their Passion Projects. A Passion Project is a writing project where you get to choose one topic and write four different text types on it such as a narrative, information report, persuasive and a poem. The first step is to make a passion page. A passion page is a page where you can put pictures and photos of everything you adore. For example, some people have got pictures of their family, their favourite food and their favourite brand. The second step of the Passion Project is to plan out our text types, because of remote learning, we did this on Seesaw which turned out to be a lot easier than we thought. The third step is to draft our writing so we can edit it to make sure it's ready for publishing. Finally, it's time to publish!

- Written by Basira Azami and Mehdi Ghulami from Room 16.

We interviewed some students and asked them:

What is the best part about doing a Passion Project?

"The best part is that you get to get creative and you get to have thinking time about what your passion is." – Michelle Truong Room 16

"My favourite part is that you get to pick the topic that you want to write about when you are stuck for an idea." – Wilfred Room 16

"My favourite part is writing persuasive texts." – Jazz Room 16



Elvina Room 17



Malani Room 17



Dates to Remember

Curriculum Day:
Monday 2nd November

NAIDOC Week:
Begins 8th November

School Council:
Tuesday 17th November
12pm

Whole School Photos:
Wednesday 18th
November

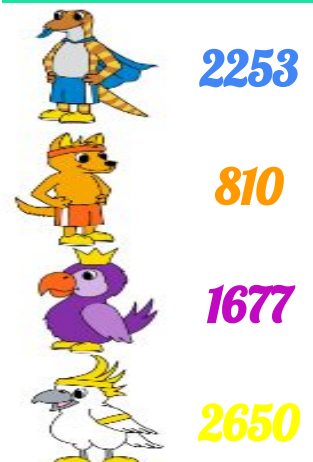
School Council:
Tuesday 8th December
12pm

Year 6 Graduation:
Tuesday 15th December

Virtual Assembly:
Thursday 17th December

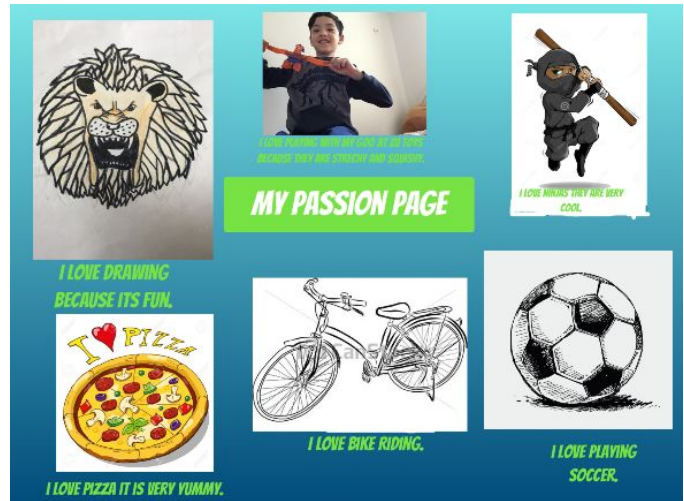
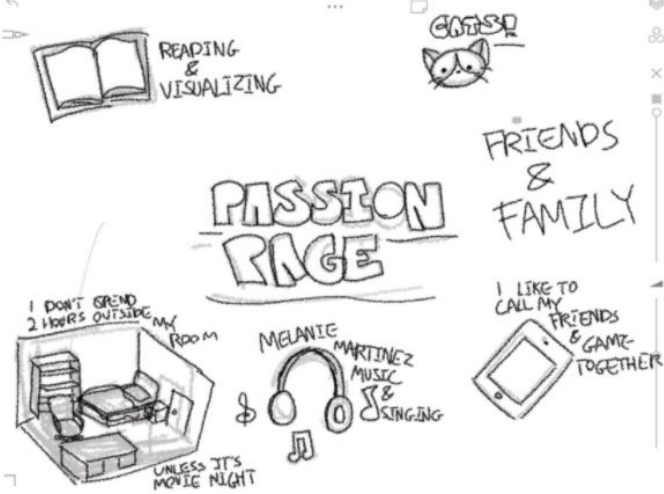
Last Day of School:
Friday 18th December
2.30pm

House POINTS



Sally Room 16

Soroush Room 16



Wilfred Room 16



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CSEF eligibility for Term 2 has now been extended so that families holding a valid means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents are eligible for CSEF up to 5 October 2020.

If you have received a new concession card between April 14th and October 5th, you may be eligible to apply for CSEF in 2020.

If your application is successful, families will receive \$62 per student on your family account, which can be allocated as required to excursions and camps as they arise throughout the year.

If eligible, please complete and email the attached form to river.gum.ps@education.vic.gov.au, or return to the office by Friday 20th November.