Mrs Godwin’s Fab Fours!

RELIGION
We have been learning about how Jesus used his imagination to tell Parables. Parables were told to teach lessons about how to live like Jesus. We have also begun using our MJR books which we love—we are not moaners and groaners, we are learning the different ways we can handle disappointments that we might face in life. Rather than moan and groan, we zip our lips!

In Science, we have been having fun with magnets. We have learnt what magnets are attracted to, how strong magnets are and last week we discovered that the earth has magnetic poles—we tested this by trying to put magnets together with south and south matching—that didn’t work!

ENGLISH
This term we are learning all about narratives. We have practised writing fantastic introductions that tell the reader all about the characters and the setting without making it obvious! We have read lots of stories to learn about the structure of a narrative, and soon we will be publishing our own stories. In reading, we have been examining different ways that we can find information in a text and we have done lots of practice using both fiction and non-fiction texts.

MATHS
We have covered lots of topics in Maths this term, lots of addition, subtraction, some fractions thrown in for fun, and we have been telling the time! We are now working on place value to 10 000’s and we love having a go at harder word problems.

History
We have been investigating what life was like for the First Australians prior to British settlement. We learnt some Aboriginal words, how totems were used and we have read different creation stories that explain nature. Now we are making picture books to retell these stories.

Around the World in 80ish days!
We are going around the world! Each fortnight we are researching a new country, in Art we are looking at art around the world and in T&L we are designing and building some famous landmarks from around the world, like the Eiffel Tower, Big Ben, The Pyramids of Giza, The Leaning Tower of Pisa, The Statue of Liberty and the Sydney Harbour Bridge.

HEALTH
We have been discussing Healthy Food options—when we found out what is actually in a McDonald’s burger bun we were shocked!

We separated snacks into green, amber and red categories—although the red may taste good, they are sometimes foods!

This is where we respond to our question of the week!