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## KoroBoro Grade 4 Math Project

### Community Support – article supplied by Mr. Adrian Laulama

The Tag footy group that uses the oval and floodlights every Thursday at Koro campus has made arrangements over the weekend for some flood light bulbs to be replaced. Lamana development and SBS electrical were the companies that assisted during the weekend by providing a crane and handyman to replace flood light bulbs.



# Koro Boro Community Support

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## Mr. Timbi Student Welfare

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### STUDENTS WELFARE & SCHOOL CULTURE CORNER *with Mr Timbi!*

#### *Welcome back to Term 2!*

We are thrilled and super excited to have you all back for just a short term of 9 weeks. We would like to extend our appreciation for your unwavering support and commitment through the 1<sup>st</sup> term and as always, we are all looking forward to work closely with you this term. Together, we embark on a journey filled with endless possibilities and opportunities to make a meaningful impact in the lives of our students and beyond. Let us embrace collaboration, empathy and perseverance as we work hand in hand to nurture the talents, aspirations and dreams of every individual student under our care.

#### **Wellness and Safety**

The Wellness and Safety of our students is paramount. We ensure that we implement all safety measures to foster a safe and secure environment where every child can thrive for the best at KoroBoro. It is always our priority to serve every individual student in a caring learning environment. We ensure to address any issues that arise on the spot to bring confidence to our students and ensure that we promote and foster a safe and caring environment. This does reflect in the delivery of our curriculum effectively by our committed teachers, support staff and supported by our hard working Educational Assistance(EA). Learning becomes more meaningful and fun thus making our students looking forward to attending school every day.

*1<sup>st</sup> Day morning drop off at Boro Campus*





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### Mindfulness

At KoroBoro, we have introduced Mindfulness at the beginning of the year (2024).

Mindfulness is a mental practice involving deliberately paying attention to the present moment without judgment. It involves observing thoughts, feelings, bodily sensations and the surrounding environment with acceptance and openness. Mindfulness techniques often include meditation, deep breathing exercises and body scans. The practice aims to cultivate awareness, clarity and emotional balance, leading to reduced stress, improved focus and greater overall well-being.

### One might wonder, what is Mindfulness?

Mindfulness is widely practiced in numerous international schools across the globe due to its remarkable benefits for students and staff alike. By incorporating mindfulness techniques into daily routines, the school aims to reduce stress and anxiety levels amongst both students and staff.

### Grow Your Mind Well Being Program

We are excited to introduce a comprehensive positive mental health and well-being program that will gradually be fully implemented and tailored to our school community. The program is designed to enhance resilience and well-being among individuals in KoroBoro.

Our primary goals are to raise awareness about the mental health continuum, diminish stigma associated with mental illness, encourage help-seeking behaviors and promote emotional well-being practices. By implementing this program, we aim to mitigate stress among students and staff within our school community.

To achieve these objectives, we will develop plans to integrate activities aimed at fostering and nurturing a positive mindset among both students and staff. We will continue to unpack this program gradually going forward.



*Mindfulness in 1SB class*



*Mindfulness in 6SA class*



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### Medical and BSP Talk

KoroBoro staff had the privilege of hosting Dr. Joseph Kinawa, a Medical Doctor from POMGEN, who delivered an insightful presentation on prevalent health issues impacting our community and nation. Dr. Kinawa's well-prepared session shed light on the surge of lifestyle diseases affecting our city and country.

Additionally, the BSP Life Team joined us to present their product, "**BSP Life Insurance.**" Their informative session encouraged staff to consider securing their future by becoming members of BSP Life Insurance. Stressing the importance of safeguarding one's life, the BSP Life team emphasized the need to ensure that future plans remain secure in the event of unforeseen circumstances. The presentations provided valuable knowledge and prompted staff to take proactive steps towards both health and financial security.



*Dr. Kinawa (right) with the staff posing for a photoshoot after his presentation.*

*A staff from BSP Life doing her presentation.*





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### Meeting Individual Learning Needs

At KoroBoro, meeting individual needs is at the core of our educational philosophy. We understand that every student learns differently, so we develop a comprehensive approach to address diverse learning styles and requirements.

Our dedicated team of staff work tirelessly to create a supportive environment where each student can thrive. From personalized learning plans to specialized facilities and resources, we ensure that no student is left behind.

We also have the **Bright Futures Club** with full time staff who work with students with special learning needs on both campuses. The tutors schedule them to their respective rooms and treat their specific learning needs and support them through their learning journey.

Whether it's through small group instruction, one-on-one tutoring, or through an adaptive technology, we tailor our approach to meet the unique needs of every learner. By fostering an inclusive atmosphere that celebrates diversity, we empower students to reach their full potential and excel academically, socially and emotionally.

At KoroBoro International School, every student matters and we're committed to nurturing their individual growth and success.



Students preparing breakfast for staff and other students.



The SRC Breakfast Club has ignited a wave of excitement within our school community by introducing a morning feast for the early birds at an unbeatable price of just K6.00 combo for toast and egg with a cup of milo/milk or tea for the start. It is happening every week on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:20am to 7:50am.

With a delectable spread awaiting them, students flock to the cafeteria, eager to kick start their day with a nutritious breakfast. This initiative not only satisfies hunger but also fosters a sense of trust and friendship as students gather to enjoy their breakfast together.

The affordability and quality of the offerings make it a hit among students, bringing back a buzz of energy to our mornings and setting a positive tone for the day ahead.

### SRC Breakfast Club!





# Prep BP

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## Prep BP Class Informer Article

Let's take a sneak peek into Prep BP class, where the first two weeks have been brimming with excitement as students demonstrate the essence of being a **RESPECTFUL and RESPONSIBLE LEARNER** in all classroom routines. Through their actions, they've not only showcased what it means to be a Respectful and Responsible learner but also fostered an environment where mutual respect flourishes. This emphasis on positive behaviour has empowered students to take ownership of their own learning, cultivate strong bonds of friendship and respect among classmates. It was with great pleasure seeing them demonstrate how a Respectful and Responsible learner looks like, sounds like and feels like.



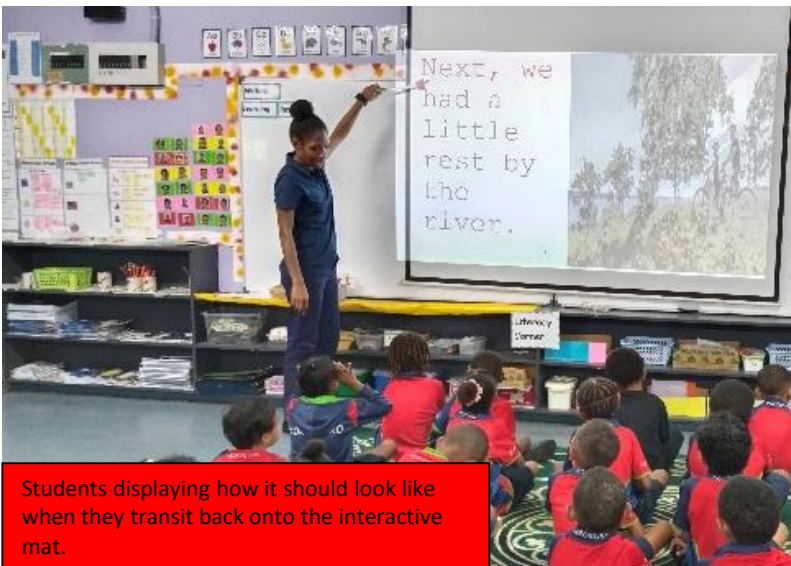
Students line up sensibly, waiting for their turn to wash their hands for lunch. They sit mannerly and eat without talking when food is in their mouth.



An independent group working on their own demonstrating how a respectful and responsible learner should look like and sound like.



A group of students showing being on task at their work station.



Students displaying how it should look like when they transit back onto the interactive mat.



Students displaying how it should look like when they are on the mat during lesson time.



## Gr 2 BE

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### What's the weather like in 1BE?

*Phew! It's hot in our classroom. In Inquiry, we are learning about how the Earth is affected by Weather and Season.*



**Weather is a specific event that happens over a few hours, days or weeks.**

**There are different types of weather, it can be sunny, rainy, windy, stormy or cloudy.**



**There are four seasons, Summer, Autumn, Winter and Spring. How many seasons do we have in PNG?**



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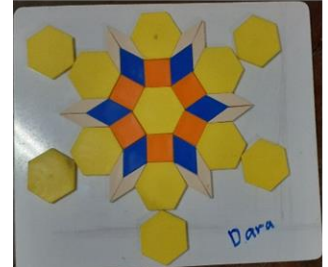
## Gr. 4 TS

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### 4TA Maths Corner

The Only Way to Learn Mathematics is to do Mathematics

**"Embracing the Power of Hands-On Learning"**



The 4TA Class was able to unlock the Art of Geometry where their knowledge of Transformation Met Tessellation. Yes, they dived into a world where shapes shifted, merged, and repeated to form mesmerizing patterns. They were given the opportunity to Step into the realm where their creativity intersected with precision. Their imagination soared as they explored the symmetrical beauty of geometric transformations and the captivating draw of tessellation.



With each shape shifted and every tessellated tile laid, we pause to evaluate our understanding, seeking the masterpiece within the symmetrical. Through reflection, we refine our grasp of geometry's artistry, unlocking new depths of comprehension and creativity.

Samuel: "I felt really good because it was so fun learning to tessellate using shapes"

Activity-based learning ignites a spark within, fostering deeper understanding, critical thinking, and real-world application. Through hands-on exploration, students not only absorb knowledge but also actively engage with concepts, unlocking their potential to innovate and problem-solve.



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## Gr. 6 MS

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#### THIS WEEK IN GRADE 6

##### 6MS GIVING BACK - Club Activities

As a key component of the Grade 6 Leadership Program, 6MS students were thrilled to introduced their Impactful Club activities to Year 4 students. Our class has crafted four clubs that promise to deliver an hour of fun, excitement and engagement during lunchtime every Wednesday starting in week 3.

In week 1, students designed posters to raise awareness and delivered engaging presentations to our Grade 4 peers. In week 2, students signed up for the clubs and gathering of materials.

Interestingly, look how many students signed Up  
 Rugby Club - 24 students signed up  
 Arts & Craft Club - 24 students signed up  
 Dance & Music- 28 students signed up  
 Painting Club- 6 students



**Rugby Club:**  
 Rugby, Where  
 Passion Meets  
 Power.

Get in the Game!



#### Art and Craft Club:

Express Yourself Through Art.

Join the girls of Creatives today!



#### Dance and Music Club:

Find Your Rhythm,  
 Share Your Beat.

Join our Dance and  
 Music Club!



#### Painting Club:

Splash some Colour into  
 Your Life. Join our  
 Painting Club!



## PE Koro Campus

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### EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES – article supplied by: Mr. Stephen Kome

It is our commitment to providing the very best for all children to enjoy and achieve. This includes having the widest possible range of opportunities both within and beyond the curriculum.

We offer extra-curricular opportunities through various types of provision delivered by school staff and external providers. Activities are designed to be educational, fun and cater to a wide variety of interests.

We want to offer the scope for each and every child to find a passion, develop a talent, spark an interest or simply find pleasure in doing an activity with others.

KoroBoro ECA has a fantastic way of achieving this and its with great excitement that we have offered a wide range of activities in Term 1 including;

*3D Modelling*



*Chinese Boxing*



*Netball skills*



*Drums*



*Targeting Mental Maths*



*Science experiment*



*Dance*



*Learn to swim*



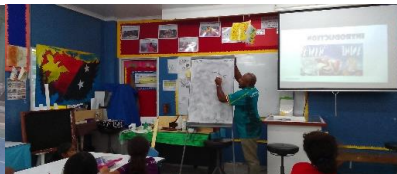
*Soccer*



*Taekwondo*



*Doodle Art*



*STEM*



*Intermediate and Advance Swimming, Guitar, Manga Vs Anime Art, Rugby League, Archery, Athletics, Phonics & Decoding, Maths Olympiads, Ukulele, 3D Drawing, cricket and Art & craft.*

### What are the Benefits of Participation in Extra-Curricular Activities?

- Children experience activities that they may not otherwise encounter and acquire and develop new and existing skills.
- Children build confidence, well-being and creativity.
- Children develop friendships between age groups and work together cooperatively



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# IMPORTANT DATES

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## IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

### Week 8

**Friday 15/03:** End of Mental Maths Class Competitions

### Week 9

**Wednesday 20/03:** Boro Mental Maths Cluster Competitions

**Thursday 21/03:** Koro Mental Maths Cluster Competitions

### Week 10

**Tuesday 26/03:** Annual General Meeting at Koro Campus

**Wednesday 27/03:** Inter School Cross Country Carnival

**Thursday 28/03:** Term 1 ends and Transition Reports sent home

**Friday 29/03:** Public Holiday – Good Friday

### School Holidays

**Friday 29 / 03 – Friday 12/04 ( 2 Weeks Holiday)**



We're on Social Media!

### Term 2

**Monday 15/04:** Term Two Starts

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