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In moments of deep grief, our faith offers comfort. Scripture assures us that *"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted"* (Psalm 34:18), and Jesus' own words—*"Let the little children come to me..."*—remind us that these little ones are now safe in His eternal care.



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Trying to understand why little children leave us to return to the Heavenly Father before their full time on earth is realised remains one of life's faith mysteries. We are left with questions that may never be answered this side of heaven. The passing of a child feels so unnatural, as though their story has been cut short and their potential left unknown. Yet we are reminded in Scripture: "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit" (Psalm 34:18). Even in our grief, God is near.

In our grief, it is natural to search for meaning, to ask "why," and to feel the weight of a loss that words cannot ease. Yet even in our heartbreak, we must remember that every child is a precious gift. However short their time with us, their presence leaves an everlasting imprint of love, joy and innocence in the hearts of all who knew them.

Jesus Himself showed His tender love for children when He said, "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these" (Matthew 19:14).

These words assure us that the little ones we mourn are now safe in His eternal embrace.

Our Faith tells us that the Heavenly Father, in His wisdom, gathers these little ones into His arms, free from pain and sorrow, embraced in eternal peace. While we struggle with the loss, we can take comfort in knowing that their light continues to shine—through our memories, through the love they shared and through the hope that one day we will be reunited.

Until that day, we carry them in our hearts, thanking God for the gift of their lives, however short and trusting that He holds them now in everlasting peace.

Mr. O'Sullivan – School Principal



Welcome to ELV VK

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Learning and Growing in Pre-VK

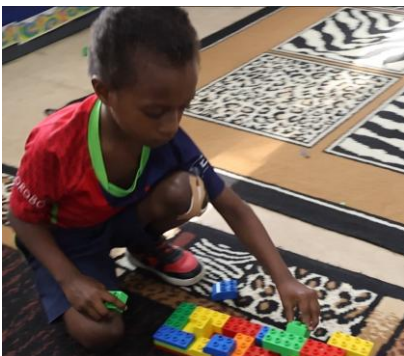
Welcome to Pre-VK! Our class has been busy working on personal learning goals that help us grow smarter, more responsible, and ready for school life. Each week, we focus on specific skills that build independence and teamwork.

Some of the goals we've been practicing include:

- Sitting quietly on the mat
- Walking sensibly in the classroom
- Packing away after working
- Completing our tasks

This week, our focus is on exploring and working in all of the Continuous Provision (CP) areas. These spaces offer exciting opportunities for hands-on learning, creativity, and problem-solving.

Take a look at what our amazing learners have been up to!





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Welcome to Grade 1CB

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“Peep into 1CB and hear what the students in 1 CB have to say.” “Hug your dad tight! Smile at him wide! Clap your hands and cheer—because it’s Father’s Day! Today is the day we celebrate our dads and thank them for all the love and care they give us.” HAPPY FATHERS DAY to all dads and dad figures!

What is father’s Day? Father’s day is a special day when we celebrate our dads. It is a time to say “Thank you” to our fathers for all the love, care and hard work they do for us. Why is fathers’ day special? It is special because we get to show our dads how much we love them.
Leighton Kaulei

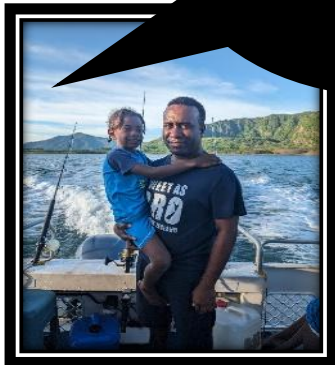


One of my favorite things to do with you dad is to go watch movies at the cinema.” You are my number one [1] star dad.” Happy Father’s Day, Dad.”
Ivy Moses



“I love you dad. Happy Fathers’ day.”
Aaron Paska

“Dad, I like it when you carry me on your shoulders.” Dad, I love you!” “Happy Fathers’ Day.”
Antonyo Mota



“Thank you dad for always taking care of me” Happy Father’s Day.”
Minarla. Bouraga

“You are my super hero dad. Happy Father’s Day.”
Myra. Horn



Welcome to Grade 3RR

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“Good writers are word artists, painting pictures in the minds of their readers.”

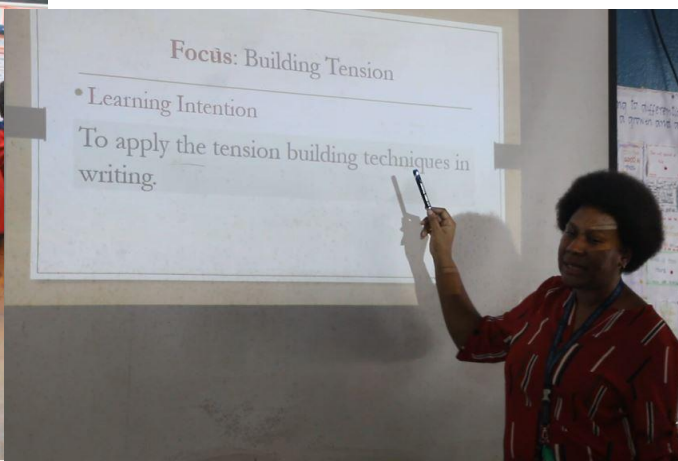
Writing is an essential skill that children are taught in class because it allows students to express their ideas, organize their thoughts, and make connections across different subjects.

Over the past few weeks, the students have been exploring the features of an information report, such as writing clear introductions, organizing ideas into paragraphs, and finishing with a strong conclusion. They have also been practicing using interesting facts, technical words, and diagrams to make their reports exciting and easy to understand. The next step in our writing was incorporating the ideas from Seven Steps. This was a challenge at first; however, students are now able to make their writing more engaging through the following steps.

One of the highlights has been learning to create a “sizzling start” to grab the reader’s attention. Students practiced using questions, strong statements, and fun facts as ways to make their writing stand out from the very beginning. They also discovered how to use “tightening tension” to keep their audience interested and wanting to read more.

Another important focus has been “exciting endings,” where students learned how to leave the reader with a lasting impression. They worked on summarizing their key points and adding a final thought that connects back to the introduction. Through these steps, students are not only improving their ability to write information reports but also gaining confidence in sharing their ideas in more creative and structured ways.

Writing in Action



Welcome to Grade 5ST

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Welcome to 5ST

"Over the past nine weeks, the 5ST classroom has been a vibrant hub of growth and discovery, where dynamic teaching and meaningful learning have come together to create an enriching experience across all curriculum areas."

READING.

During Interactive Read Aloud (IRA) sessions, students practice the different skills to build comprehension. By creating mental images of scenes, characters and events, they deepened understanding, improve recall of key details, monitor comprehension and enhance their overall enjoyment of the text.

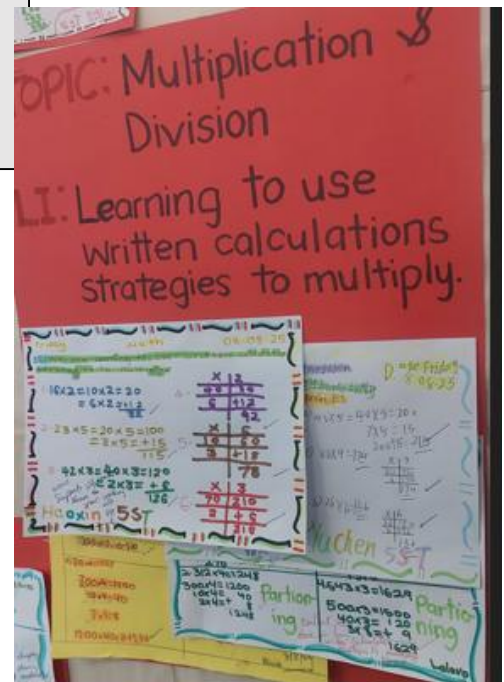
WRITING

Students explored the features and structure of the Informative Writing genre, with a particular focus on Case Studies. Through guided practice, they crafted informative pieces that combined research, organization, and clarity. To make their writing more meaningful and enjoyable, they also applied the 7 Steps to Writing Success as a powerful tool to enhance their skills.

Math

In Math, students embarked on an exciting journey of mastering Written Calculation strategies, confidently multiplying and dividing by 10s, 100s, and 1000s.

Work samples showing students using the Grid and expanding method to divide and multiply.

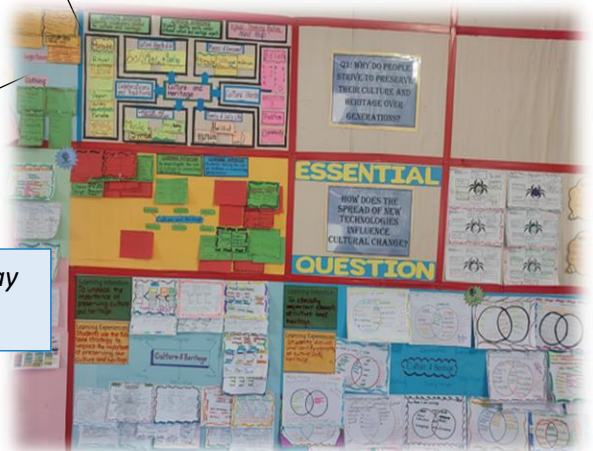


Inquiry Learning (IL)

This term in Inquiry Learning, students have been exploring the rich themes of Culture and Heritage. Understanding our culture and heritage is vital—it connects us to the past, shapes how we live in the present, and inspires the way we build our future.

"A people without the knowledge of their past history, origin and culture is like a tree without roots." – Marcus Garvey

Students work samples on the display wall.



Welcome to KB Independence Committee

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Koro Campus to Celebrate PNG's 50th Independence Anniversary

This year, Papua New Guinea will celebrate its **50th Independence Anniversary**, a significant milestone in the nation's history. At **Koro Campus**, we are proud to acknowledge and be part of this historic event.

Our celebration will be slightly different from previous years. In line with the national theme "**Celebrating Our History, Inspiring Our Future**", Koro Campus has adopted the theme:

"Honouring Our Past, Inspiring Our Future".

To make this celebration meaningful, each grade level has been given a specific focus to guide their performances and presentations during a week-long assembly program. These items are designed to reflect both the rich cultural heritage and the bright future of Papua New Guinea.

Grade-Level Focus Areas:

•Grade 3:

Float and Traditional Costume Parade

•Grade 4:

Skit and Stori Tumbuna – traditional stories, songs, and drama from PNG

•Grade 5:

Traditional Kundu Dance and Contemporary Performances showcasing PNG from past to present

•Grade 6:

Historical Presentations on key events – World War II, missionary first contact, pre-independence to independence, and PNG currency, along with future visions for the nation

Each cluster will present their items during the assemblies throughout the celebration week. This approach ensures that students actively participate in learning and reflecting on PNG's journey while also looking ahead with hope and pride.

This year's celebration is not only a festive occasion but also an educational experience that helps our students connect with their cultural roots and national identity.





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IMPORTANT DATES

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IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Week 9

Monday 08/09: Gr 5 PNG Independence Assembly

Tuesday 09/09: Grade 6 Independence Assembly

Wednesday 10/09: Boro Independence celebration

Thursday 11/09: Grade 4 Independence Assembly

Friday 12/09: Grade 3 Independence Assembly

Friday 12/09: Term 3 Ends

End of Term 3: Two weeks holiday

Monday September 15 – Friday September 26

Term 4, Week 1

Monday 29/09: Term 4 Resumes

Monday 29/09: Gr 6 Group 1 Leaves for OELE Brisbane excursion

Thursday 02/10: Gr 6 Group 2 Leaves for OELE Brisbane excursion

Friday 03/10: Term 4 Overviews | Class timetables to be sent home



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