



PRINCIPAL REPORT – WEEK 2 TERM 2 2020

Hopefully the previous week has seen a stronger routine building in your lives, and the chaos and challenges brought on by remote learning have begun to wane. I know in my household things are very different, but perhaps I too am guilty of underestimating how resilient our children are as I am hearing many stories of how well our students are coping with their at-home learning programs. As mentioned in last week's newsletter, I believe it is important we maintain some form of connection with one another during this period. As you will see from the photos following my report, students are working hard on their learning tasks whilst at home. We hope you are smiling as much as we are when seeing these!

If you would like to share any photo of your own, please let us know and we will do our best to include them in future newsletters.

This last week saw Mrs Dinelli finish with us as she begins her maternity leave, and I have no doubt she will be very much missed by our whole school community. Nevertheless, this is an exciting time for her and her family, and we look forward to sharing her baby news once he or she arrives. Mrs Dinelli will be on leave for the remainder of this year and for a small portion of next year, and we cannot wait for her return in early 2021.

Given our transition into a remote environment this term, there will obviously be no hard copy printed editions of our newsletter. If you would like to be emailed a digital copy, please let us know through traralgon.south.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au so we can add you to our distribution list. As per previous arrangements, we will continue to place a copy on our website, as well as posting a link on our Facebook page.

I would also like to share our school mobile phone number (0491 059 128), as there may be times throughout the term where there is no one on-site given the COVID-19 restrictions also apply to school staff. Please save this number so it is convenient for you to access should you need it.

Take care,

Joel Blythman

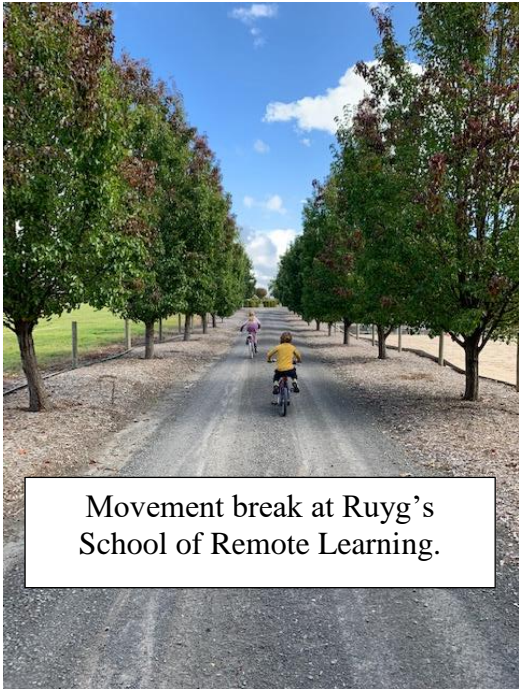
REMOTE LEARNING!



Piper Rohde completing her Maths



The Coulthard family in uniform working hard.



Movement break at Ruyg's School of Remote Learning.



Abraham Gipp doing Maths on his family's very own whiteboard!



Hunter Harkess using his toy animals for counting tasks.



Havana Timmerman and her little brothers hard at work.