

Book Week 2017 Escape to Everywhere – 'Around the World.'

Each year, schools and public libraries across Australia spend a week celebrating books, and Australian authors and illustrators. Teachers and librarians conduct activities relating to a theme to highlight the importance of reading.

At Somerly Primary School we will celebrate Book Week from Monday 21st August to Friday 25th August 2017 with the following activities:

Book Fair – Tuesday – Friday

Head in to the library and have a look at the books on display that are available for purchase. The Book Fair will be open before and after school as well as at recess and lunch times.

Every class will have the opportunity to walk through the Book Fair and create a wish list to take home. EFTPOS facilities will be available for parents.

'How can I help my child read?' Literacy Parent Information Session

This is a great opportunity to come in and get some further information on how to support your child / children at home. The aim of the session will align to the schools current focus on comprehension strategies.

Time and Location - Tuesday 9am - Staff Room

Following the Information Session you will be invited to collect your child/children from class and take them to the Book Fair if you wish.

Grandparents' Morning Tea

We would like to invite all Grandparents along to school at 10am on Wednesday 23rd August for the Grandparents' Morning Tea. You will be able to collect your grandchild/grandchildren from class, take them to the Book Fair and then enjoy some special time together reading and enjoying some provided morning tea.

Postcard Activity

Every child from Kindy to Year 6 will write and draw a postcard from somewhere they have visited or somewhere they would like to go. For some students this may even relate to work being done in class eg Geography.

Dress Up Day - 'Around the World'

On Thursday 24th August come dressed as somebody or something from 'Around the World'. This could be a traditional costume, or a dress up for somewhere you have been or would like to go.

You can escape to anywhere in a book. Where will you escape to?

