



## Week 4 and 5

Over the past 2 weeks we have been exploring Aboriginal culture and dreamtime stories. The children read the story 'How the Kangaroo got its Tail' and 'The Rainbow Serpent'. They also looked at Aboriginal artwork, boomerangs and spears. The children did some dot paintings and made their own rainbow serpent. The children also explored and became aware of different Aboriginal symbols.



This week our focus in Mathematics has been on informally measuring length and discussing the terms longest and shortest. The students worked on ordering length and informally measuring using paper clips.

This week we begin the celebrations of BookWeek with our annual BookWeek incursion on Thursday afternoon at 1:45pm.



Next week, on Thursday 24 August, we will have our traditional Book Week Parade on the school courts. We encourage all students to come dressed as a character from their favourite book. Students will stay in their costumes for the remainder of the day. We ask you to bring your book along with you to the parade. The parade will be followed by the St Pius X Fun Day which includes rotational activities and lunch with



★ their class buddies. This will conclude at 1:40pm where the children will return to their normal class activities.

**Email Contact:**

If you have anything you would like to discuss with me at any point please do not hesitate to make a before or after school appointment with me.

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