Welcome to Term 1, Week 6!

LEARNING FOCUS

This week’s learning focuses are:

Reading Focus: Predicting and inferring comprehension
Writing Focus: Persuasive devices/ tools
Maths Focus: Fractions
Unit of Inquiry: Identity

MATHS

Maths groups have started this week and the children have shown great enthusiasm and passion towards learning. These groups are streamed across the grade 5/6 cohort. We are very excited and cannot wait to explicitly teach the topics.

DISTRICT SWIMMING

Well done to all the children who participated in the District Swimming last week. We were very proud of the efforts the whole team put in! A special mention goes out to ZOE BUNN who came second in two of her races.

BUNNINGS

Bunnings visited us on Friday and have started our new sustainability gardens. We would like to thank Bunnings for donating all the resources to build these gardens.
Other reminders

Fun Run Training on Wednesday mornings.
Thank you to all the students, parents and friends that joined us for our first training morning on Wednesday. It was very pleasing to see so many people start their day with some exercise. We are looking forward to your company again next Wednesday morning the 25th, on the school oval at 8.10 am.

If anyone wants to enter Run for the Kids the Username: Parktone Primary School
Password: Parktone
We would love to see as many participants as possible.

HOMEWORK
An updated version of the Acts of Leadership Project has been sent home. While this project is optional we are encouraging ALL grade 6 students to complete it and handed in to their classroom teacher by MONDAY 23rd MARCH.

ASSEMBLY
Congratulations to all our fabulous grade 6 students who ran the school assembly on Monday morning!
We are very proud of their efforts and look forward to many more entertaining assemblies.

SCIENCE FACT FROM MRS ZIOGOS
Here is an answer to the old nagging question which came first the chicken or the egg?
Scientist finally concluded that the chicken came first, not the egg, because the protein which makes egg shells is only produced by hens.