## Unit J Classroom News April, 2017

Wow, Term 2 has begun! We had a very busy first Term and this Term is looking like it is going to be just as busy. We are kick starting the term off with our postponed Disco and Fun Run from the last week of last term.

In English, we will be finishing off our narrative unit. Unit J students have been really enjoying reading the text 'Matty Forever' by Australian author Elizabeth Fensham and are excited about writing their own short story around the theme of friendship.

In Maths, we will be investigating 3D shapes, introducing angles as a unit of measure and working with simple grid maps. Students will also be furthering their understanding of numbers now to 10 000, and working with money transactions.

We are just finishing up our Science (Easties) and History (Westies) from first term and students will be swapping ends, teachers and subjects to now complete the other subject.

We have been successful in having 100% participation in all weeks of The Great Class Challenge so far, GO UNIT J!!! There are only a few weeks left for this so hopefully we can keep our perfect record and be the victors of the Pizza Party at the end. Thank you for supporting your students in this fun way of preparing for NAPLAN. NAPLAN is approaching quickly now, we are continuing to prepare students for this.