

Keppel Sands State School



ATTENDANCE

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From the Principal

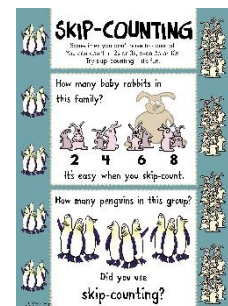
31 July, 2015

Hello Everyone,

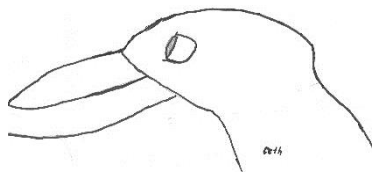
This week, four of our students participated in Keppel Athletics. They all participated well and had a great day.

Mental Computation Strategy – Skip Counting

When there are more things to count than can be conceptually subitised it makes sense to spot or make equal-sized groups and to skip count. The baby penguins for instance can be counted more speedily in 2s than in 1s. The second group can be counted in 3s. In the first instance double 3 will be quick and easy and 3 more may be subvocalised as a count on. Students will soon begin to skip count fluently which lays the foundation for understanding multiplication.



CAFÉ Reading - Comprehension, Accuracy, Fluency, Extending Vocab



Comprehension

Questioning Kookaburra – is a comprehension strategy. Ask Questions and look for answers as you read. Who, What, Where Why?

Camp Meeting

A camp meeting will be held next Thursday, 6 August at 3pm. We will discuss a proposed overnight camp for all Keppel Sands students at the Caves.

Online Learning

Keppel Sands State School has a Virtual Classroom where staff are placing activities related to classroom curriculum. Each student has their own username and password. Students can use the Virtual Classroom at home. The web address is

<https://elearn.eq.edu.au>

Students in the crabs classroom know their username and password. Students in the dolphins classroom will bring home their username and password today.

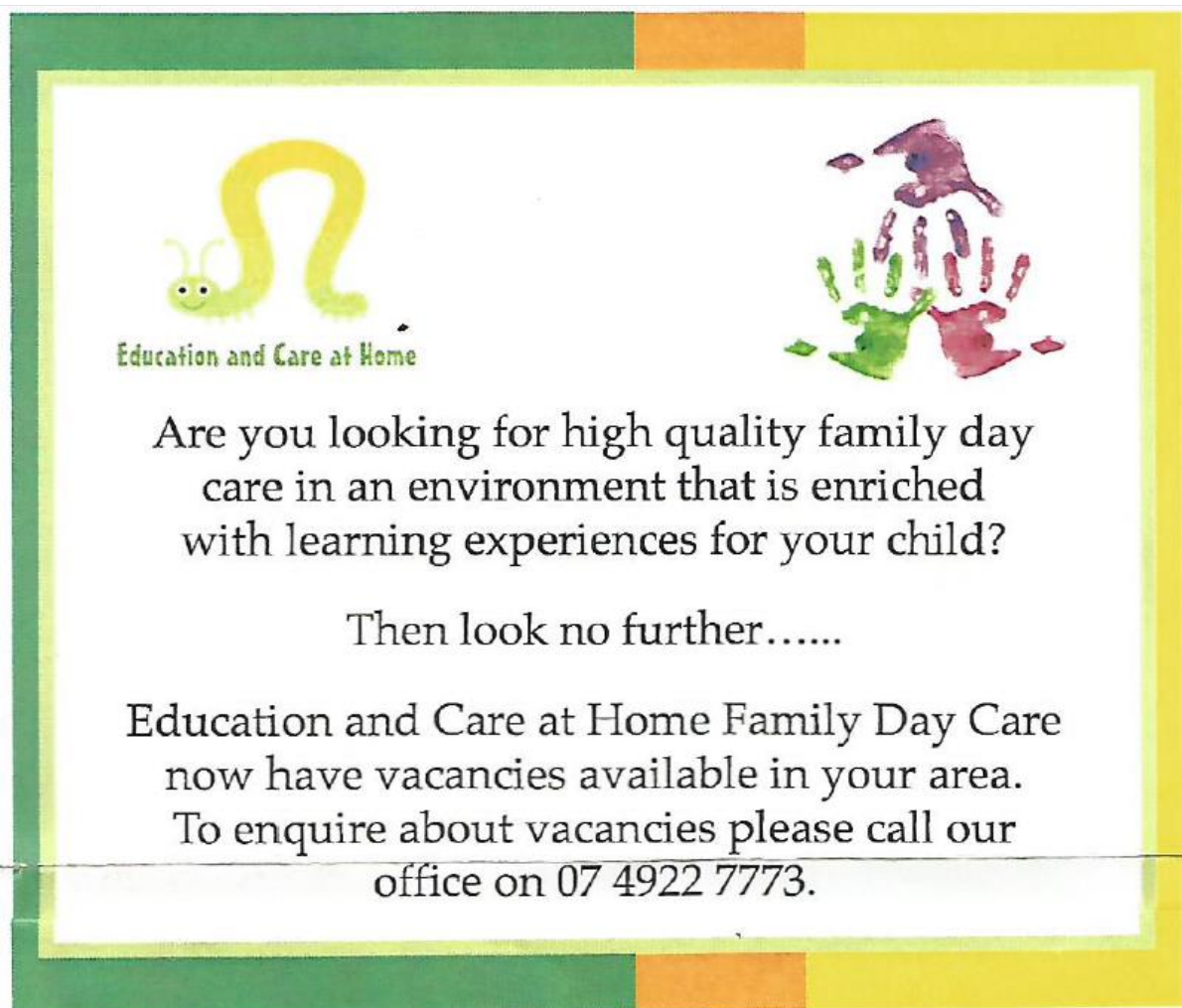
Attendance

Each week I will include our attendance percent on the top of the newsletter. Every day counts ! The total percent that is displayed each term will be our percent for attendance from the beginning of term. When we are 95% it will go green.

Earn and Learn Points



Woolworths Earn and Learn is back and it is now easier than ever to earn valuable resources for our school. From **Wednesday 15th July to Tuesday 8th September 2015**, when you shop at Woolworths you can collect Woolworths **Earn and Learn Stickers** from the checkout operator or through an online order and place them on a Woolworths Earn and Learn Sticker Sheet. There'll be one Woolworths Earn and Learn Sticker for every **\$10** spent. Once completed, simply place the Sticker Sheet in the Collection Box at the Post Office or straight in the box at Yeppoon Woolworths.



The advertisement is enclosed in a decorative border with green, orange, and yellow segments. On the left, there is a cartoon illustration of a yellow caterpillar with two antennae and a smiling face. Below it, the text 'Education and Care at Home' is written in a green, sans-serif font. On the right, there is a colorful illustration of a child's handprints in purple, green, and red, arranged in a circular pattern. The main text of the advertisement is centered and reads: 'Are you looking for high quality family day care in an environment that is enriched with learning experiences for your child? Then look no further..... Education and Care at Home Family Day Care now have vacancies available in your area. To enquire about vacancies please call our office on 07 4922 7773.'

Have a great weekend,

Moira Mackenzie

(Acting Principal)