

# Tambo Upper PS

Term 3 - 15/09/2021

## Principal's Message

Congratulations on making it through one of the most, if not the most turbulent terms we've ever endured. Students have spent 9 out of the 10 weeks of this term in and out of lockdown and stints of remote learning. This is unheard of here in Regional Victoria and the finish line is now in sight. I would like to take this opportunity to thank families for the ongoing support and for your commitment to supporting your children's learning. I would also like to thank teachers and support staff for their ongoing dedication and commitment to deliver the very best learning opportunities for our children and their unwavering support to our families. Great team work – it has been a real partnership and positives have actually come out of this situation!

### **Feedback and Responses**

Thank you to those of you who have managed to find the time to provide feedback about your remote learning experiences. From your feedback, we have heard that you are happy with the ease of contact and availability of teaching staff and thought the morning WebEx sessions helped to set your children up for the day ahead. We heard that the screen aspect of the lessons would be better suited to the end of each session. We heard that we need to create more family events and community activities to bring us all together and have a little fun.

From this feedback we have set up 'mindfulness' sessions with Krissy for students and families. We created a YouTube sensation in Danielle's cooking class – well it would have been if it wasn't set to 'private' for our families eyes only. The street tacos were delicious and we saw many fabulous videos and photos of families engaging in this class, well done!

To finish off the term, Hayden is hosting a WebEx trivia event at 12pm this Friday in his Personal Meeting Room – number: 574 391 922. We hope to see you there.

## **Mindfulness**

Krissy will be holding another 'mindfulness' session tomorrow (Thursday 16th), beginning 2pm for students via WebEx in her Personal Meeting Room – number: 1659 335 784. Last week, this session was really well attended and the students looked like they were walking on clouds afterwards. We hope to see as many students there as possible.

Krissy will also be hosting a parent session at 8:00pm tomorrow evening in the same meeting room. Although this event wasn't largely attended due to technical issues, I do know those who could attend got a lot out of it. Some people actually fell asleep - it was that relaxing! The technical issues are now well and truly ironed out and we hope to see as many of you there as possible.

## **Tomato Seedlings**

Dee has been carefully propagating and raising tomato seedlings and they are available for order now. All money from orders will go directly to our students for learning resources! Dee has \$2,000 worth of plants ready to be ordered for pick up from school in early Term 4 - when they have a chance to grow a little bit bigger. So far, we have received a couple of orders and have raised \$100. If you can buy a plant, please buy a plant. Every little bit helps – even if you are a terrible gardener like I am! Please order via the form included in this newsletter by this Friday.

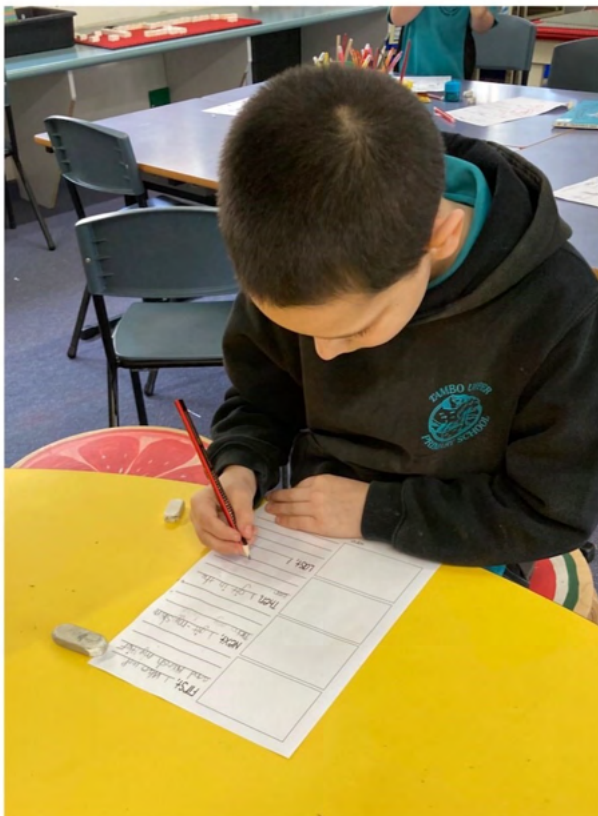
## **End of Term**

This Friday, onsite learners will be dismissed at the usual time of 3:15pm, not the 'normal' end of term early dismissal as it has not been anything like a 'normal' term. I hope you all manage to get some rest and relaxation over the next two weeks and maybe even get away for a couple of days. Congratulations on surviving an epic term! We hope to welcome all students back at the beginning of Term 4 – fingers crossed! Take care and stay safe everyone!

Carly Miller  
Principal



# Yellow Room





# Blue Room Gardeners



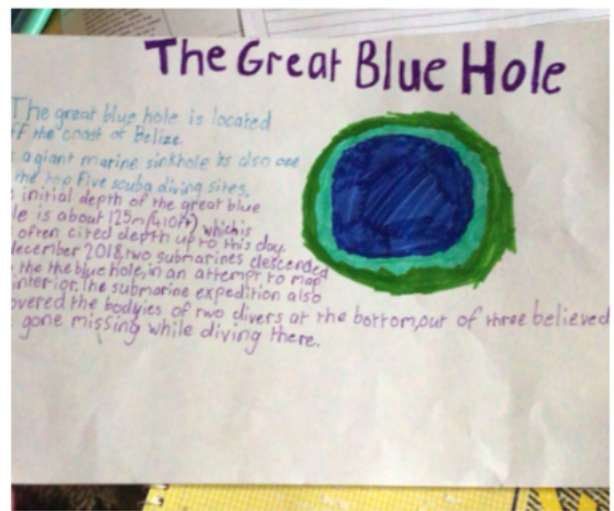


# Red Room

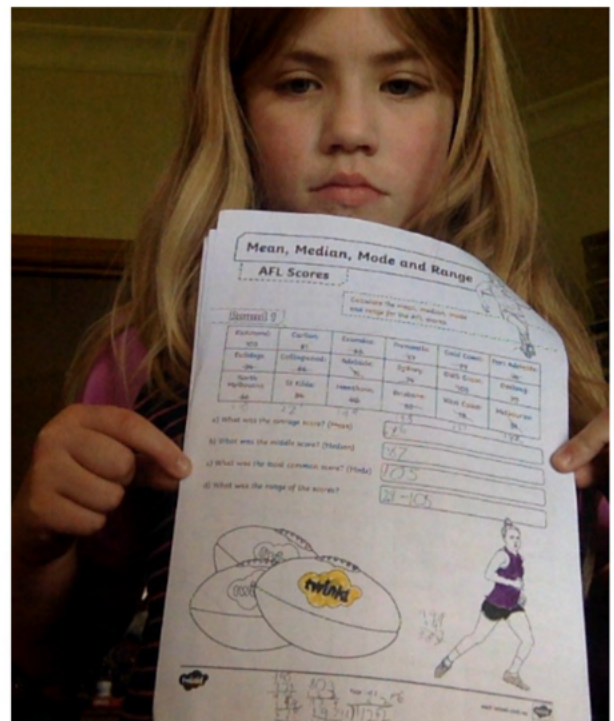
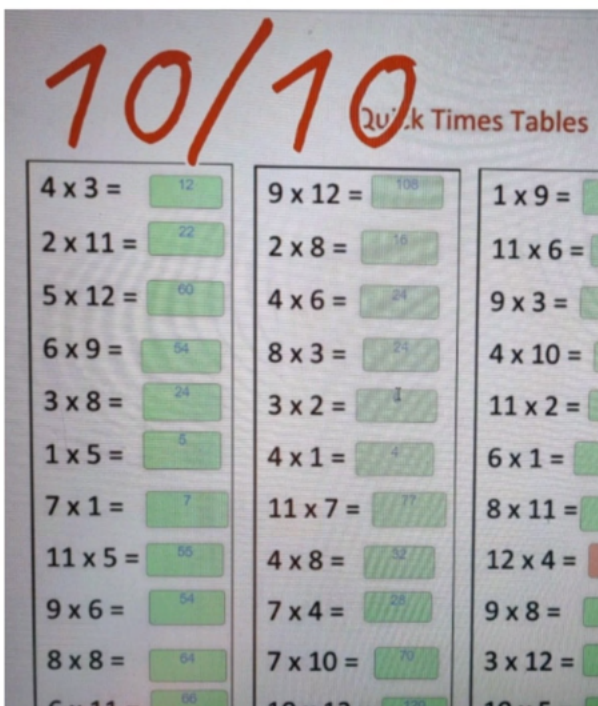
## Remote Learning



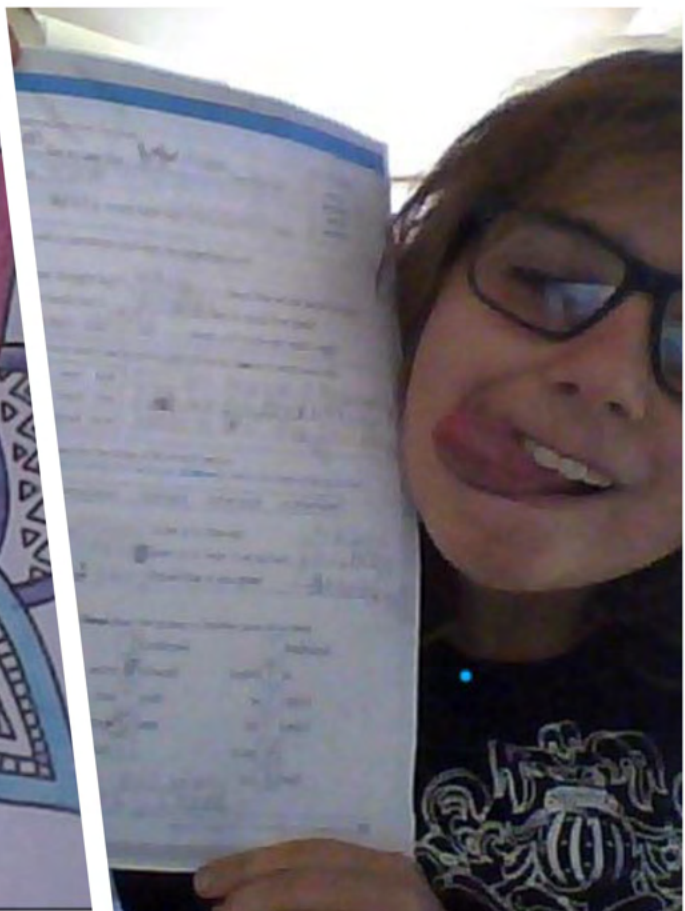




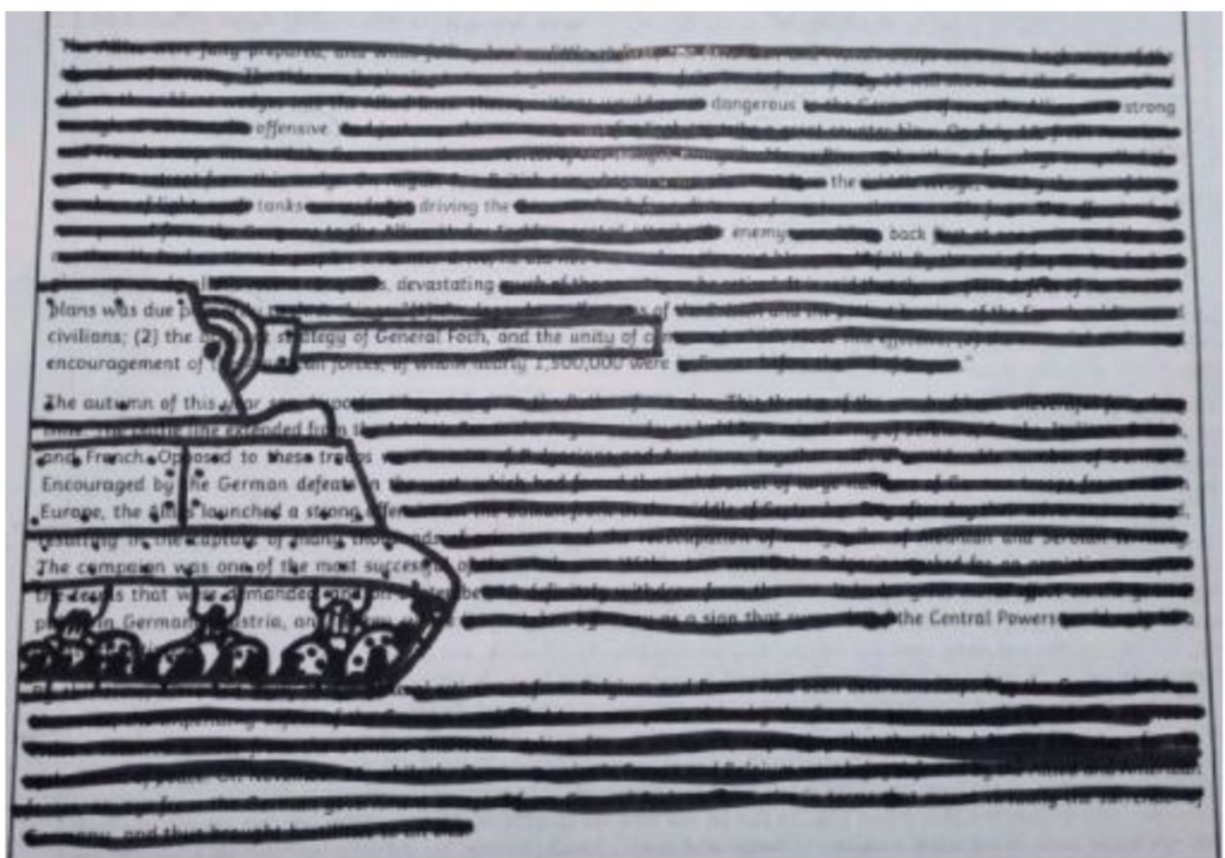
# Orange Room Remote Learning







# Purple Room Remote Learning



\$3,200

**P-6  
MATHS  
RESOURCES**

\$699

Goal





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21%

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# TOMATO SEEDLING FUNDRAISER

There is nothing better than home grown tomatoes, and we have plenty of different seedlings growing as we speak!



All seedlings \$5 each, 100% of funds raised will go to Tambo Upper Primary School that will help update maths resources in each classroom.









Have a look at the different types available, and pre order for around mid September delivery.

If specific stock is unavailable then a substitute will be offered, or refund given.

Please return the pots after use.

Tomato plant tips that Dee has provided will be coming in a spring time newsletter.



SURENAME: CONTACT NUMBER:			Quantity
	<b>Tomato 'Pink Bumble Bee'</b>	This a wonderful Artisan series tomato that bears super sweet fruit. It has an excellent fruity flavour with low acid and good resistance to cracking. Early maturing variety.	
	<b>Tomato 'Tigerella'</b>	One of my fav's, it's a great yielding tomato, producing enormous crops of delicious red-yellow striped tomatoes with exceptional flavour. Fruits in 10 weeks from transplant and continues to yield for months, up to 20kg of fruit per plant!	
	<b>Tomato 'Sunrise Bumble Bee'</b>	Holding well on the vine, these are summer jewels of sweetness best enjoyed straight from the bush. As sweet as Tommy Toe this tomato is a must for the vegie garden this summer.	
	<b>Tomato 'Wapsipinicon Peach'</b>	Impossible to pronounce but well worth growing, this heirloom has a complex, spicy sweet flavour. Creamy-yellow fruit is covered by a fine fuzz.	
	<b>Tomato 'Tommy Toe'</b>	Very tasty sweet 3cm fruit produced from January to May. Fruits in 10 weeks from transplant and yields 11kg per plant.	
	<b>Tomato 'Jaune Flamme'</b>	Fruits in just 7 weeks from transplant. With large amounts of carotene, orange tomatoes have almost as much beta-carotene as carrots! Yields 6.5kg/plant.	
	<b>Tomato 'Green Grape'</b>	Delicious olive green fruit with a with a refreshing lemon zest are produced in abundance on this compact plant. Harvest in 10-12 weeks, yields 4.9kg/plant. Determinant variety perfect for pots.	
	<b>Tomato 'Grosse Lisse'</b>	A great all-rounder with awesome flavour. Fruits in 12 weeks from transplant and yields 16.4kg of fruit per plant with an average fruit size of 200g.	
Total Amount			\$



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## Tambo Upper Primary School Strategic Goals

Improve Literacy and Numeracy  
for all students.

Develop self-motivated,  
responsible and curious learners.

Students will have the capacity  
and confidence to successfully  
interact with peers and the  
community.



### School Council

**Dave Butler (President), Tyson Murphy (Vice President), Matt Roberts (Treasurer), Carly Miller, Erica Cerda, Sharon Gilbert, Mellissa Baker, Paul Andrews, Jim Peachey, Bec Campbell, Dee Gossow, Tiana Felmingham and Sharon Mehlert**