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Dear Year 3 & 4 Families

Re: The Introduction of Seesaw as a Digital Portfolio

As you would have noticed in Term 2's Fees you were charged \$8.00 for a program called Seesaw. This program will be used for student's digital portfolio work samples. This replaces the hard copy portfolio that is sent home at the end of the year.

Why have we adopted this platform?

We are using this platform as a way of students to display their classwork. The Seesaw Digital Portfolio gives us this opportunity by enabling you to view examples of your child's work throughout the year.

When will this begin?

Due to the interruptions in Term 1 and 2 which required students to learn remotely, we were unable to provide training to our students on how to use Seesaw. Now that we have returned to school, we are training our students on how to use Seesaw with the aim of work samples being uploaded and ready for your viewing at the start of Term 3.

What about security and privacy?

Parents can only see their own child's work.

Parent connection to a portfolio is approved by the relevant class teacher. Occasionally, images or videos of children other than your child may appear within a group setting.

Parents are also reminded that copying images, videos, audio or text to any form of social media is not permitted. To view Seesaw's privacy policy, please visit this link <https://web.seesaw.me/privacy-policy>

The Year 3 & 4 teachers are continuing to learn the program, so please bear with us as we go on this educational journey together.

Maree Sumpton

Principal

Year 3 and Year 4 Teachers