



iPads in the Prep School Curriculum

Two banks of class iPads, augmenting our present ICT provision of personal computers and two banks of laptops, are available for the staff to use with all the children to assist their learning. Access to these functional, easy to use, creative tools allow teachers and students to teach or learn with as little focus on technology as possible and enables them to communicate outcomes simply and effectively.

Under the guidance of staff, and through the use of a small range of generic cross-curricular apps on the iPad, students enjoy opportunities to collaborate and share, to be truly creative and have fun. They are able to communicate ideas, concepts and understanding thereof in numerous new and innovative ways, employing their own creative expression. By focusing on creative thinking, problem solving and improved communication through mixed media, learners are engaged and enthused. These methods can be applied across the curriculum.

The iPad cannot deliver innovative pedagogy on its own but used effectively by teachers the iPad can empower innovation, enhance creative and critical thinking through the development and use of interactive teaching strategies. Pedagogy is transformed in a more inspirational and personalised manner.

Learning to use digital devices responsibly, and to understand the ethical and moral challenges posed by the Internet, is also an essential part of the education of all our students.

Year 6 Project for World Book Day

Dear Lower Prep children,
When I was your age this was one of my favourite books.....

Author research and
images



Safari (internet)

Book and character
photographs

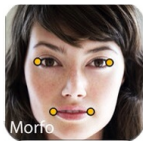


Camera

A scene from the book



Puppet Pals



Morfo Booth

Main character
- their feelings;
their part in
the book.

Reading a section of the
book.
Pairs: video of you reading
or your opinions



iMovie

What the
book is about.
Why you liked
the book.
'Author' talking
about the
book.



Tellagami

Title page for
your film



Pic Collage



iMovie
trailer

Trailer to advertise the
book - include video,
photos from other apps.



Popplet

Mindmap/
overview of story.
Map of characters.



Photos

Explaining story
Rating the book



Explain
Everything



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