

Curriculum Messaging for EFAL Foundation Phase- 23 October

EFAL Foundation Phase: COVID-19 MESSAGING

Good day, School Principals, please provide parents with the following tips on how to support their children with reading at home:

The focus this week is on Reading and making Connections.

When children read and make connections to the story/text, they compare this to their own lives, or to another story. Connecting to what he/she has read helps him/her develop an understanding about the feelings and experiences of other people.

Choose a story your child can relate to in his/her life. For example, "A party for Sam"

1. How do you feel about this story?
2. What does this story remind you about?
3. How do you think the main character felt at the end of the story?
4. If you were the main character, what would you have done?
5. Did you like this story? Why? Why not?

Also find some tips on to how to share positive news & acts of kindness when needed:

- Make a get-well card for a sick friend or relative
- Check in on sick and elderly neighbours- offer to pick up and deliver shopping, or other things they might need, while taking precautions to keep yourself safe.
- Teach a skill to a group of friends or family - singing, dancing, creative arts, how to play a game etc
- Share positive news and acts of kindness with your community- posting on social media or sharing with school friends and family