Hello Everyone!
Welcome to mid-term! We would like to welcome all our new families who have started with us this term as well as farewell to Ahmed (Group B) who has left the Kindy due to relocating to another area.

Western Adelaide Shores Partnership Update
Understanding your Child’s Temperament Workshop to be held at the Kindy is officially full for online registrations – please notify Rosa or Bronwyn if you would like to attend. We will have a digital copy of notes for your reference on skoolbag after the Workshop.

Building perseverance and resilience in children Workshop facilitated by Rebekah Bleby Reception Teacher West Beach Primary School has vacancies for both the morning and evening sessions Wednesday 14 September. Please book on the link http://shorestart-

Group A: Ava (Wed) Karen and Karma
Group B: Andria and Lilah
Current enrolments are Group A 29/30 Group B 28

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Parents in Education Week
The 2016 Parents in Education Week, 12-15 September 2016, is a collaborative cross sector statewide education approach to parent engagement. There are a variety of Workshops and Live Webcasts for you to attend/view online. More details below on the link.


Sunsafe reminder
Please remember to place a sunsafe hat in your child’s bag as UV...
levels are rising and children need to wear a hat now in the middle of the day.

**Rainbow Disco**
Please note the new date of our Rainbow Disco - **Friday 16th September**. The Rainbow Disco is our second whole Site Community Event of the Year following our Welcome Picnic/AGM in Term 1. We ask for a gold coin donation per family to attend and there will be a BBQ/vegie burgers/drinks and cake stall for food to purchase on the night. We will be donating all profits to a children’s charity as voted for by the families after the event. Everyone is encouraged to dress up in one or more of the colours of the Rainbow. More details - including your family’s invitation in the weeks to come.

**Outdoor Environment Upgrade**
We are nearing completion of our upgrade. Photos to come in the next newsletter. We will also be installing a rainwater tank in the upcoming weeks to support our commitment to sustainability.

**Supporting Children’s Creativity and Complexity in Play**
One of our Quality Improvement Plan’s priorities is supporting children’s creativity and complexity in their play. This term we have introduced **Make your Own** sessions. These are dedicated times for children to explore their own ideas and create their own resources to support their play. Children have been incorporating the safe use of hot glue guns and open-ended materials to create wonderful sculptures and toys as well as creating books and puzzles and costumes. Please bring in any recyclable materials you have at home – hard plastics/wood offcuts/materials – anything that could be repurposed.

Kind Regards
West Beach Kindergarten Staff and Volunteer team
Rosa, Bronwyn, Rhondda, Amanda, Ines, Sofie, Sara, Sue, Alena, Chrisna and Yvonne

Safe supervised use of a hot glue gun

Sculptures/toy creations

Puzzle making