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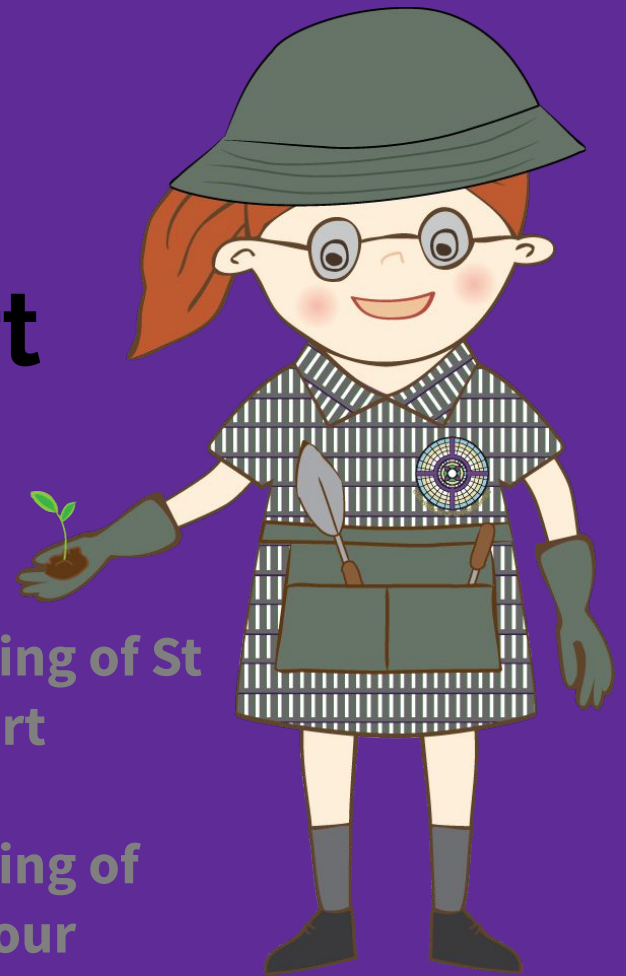
ResourceSmart Journey



Learning Intention:

To have an understanding of St Joseph's ResourceSmart Journey thus far.

To have an understanding of the 'Where to next' in our journey.





In The Beginning...

We began our journey back in 2017 when we registered for the program...

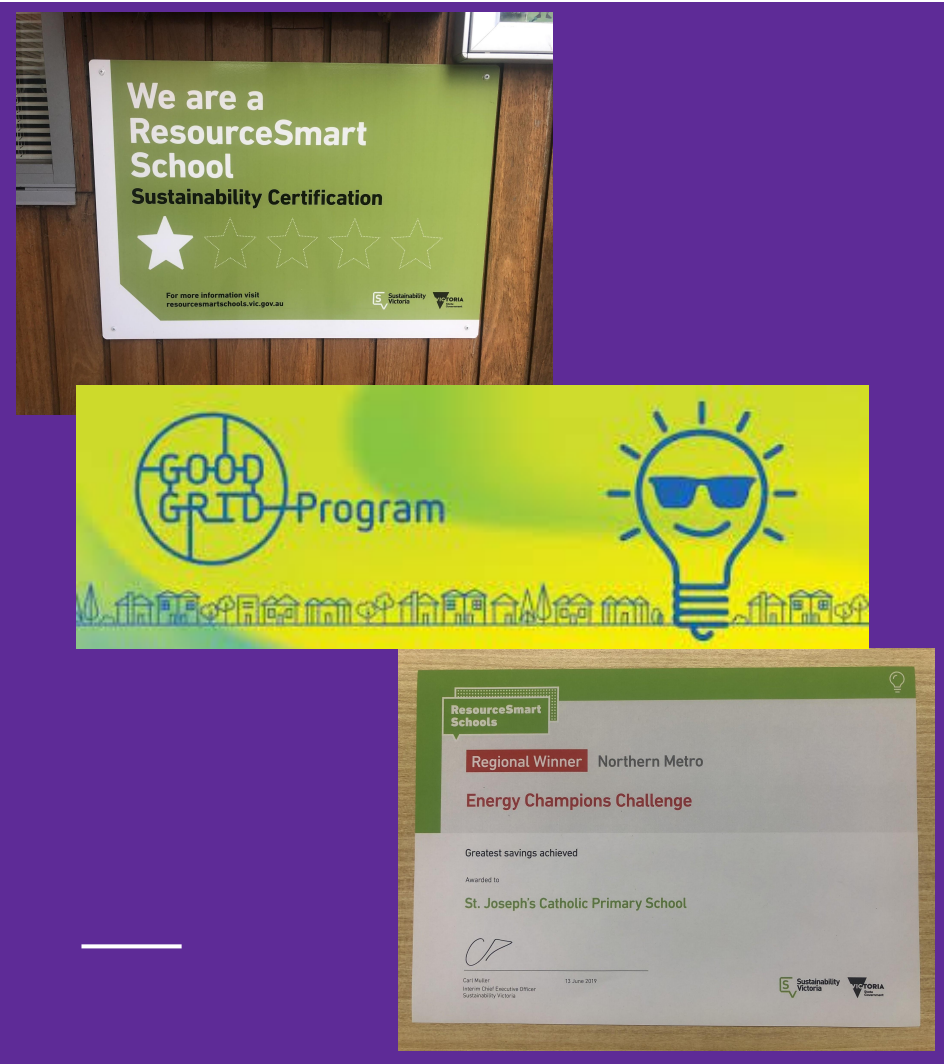
Since then we have achieved a great many things...





Our Achievements

- Comprehensive SEMP
- Support from Leadership, staff, students & community...
 - Core Module Star...
 - Energy Smart winners
- Good Grid Program Recipients
- Environment & Sustainability curriculum from P-6
- Environmental/Social Justice Team





Our Achievements

- Annual St Joseph's Earth Day for the whole school...
- Registration & Participation in Planet Ark's School's Tree Planting Day
 - Opportunity for Connections/Relationships to be built within the local community
- Linking learning to local environment...





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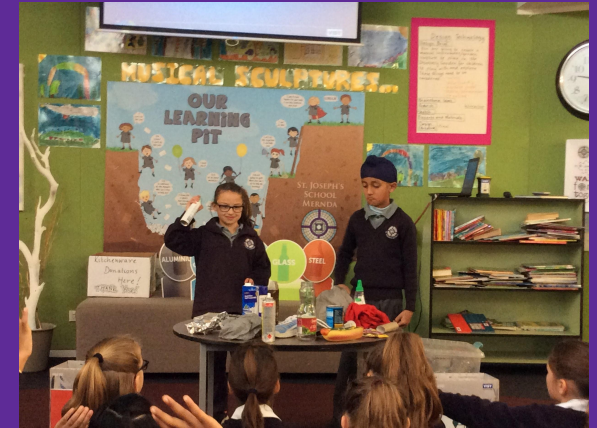
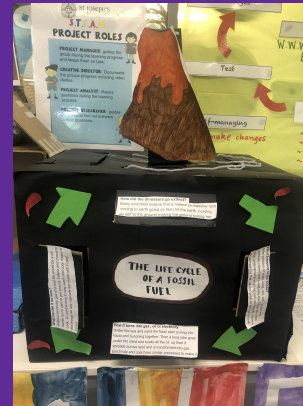
- Parent involvement on special days
- 'Climate Flag Movement' participation on St Joseph's Earth Day
- Community working bee Term 4 to support Inquiry Learning in Year 1/2





Our Achievements

- Environment & Sustainability learning through STEAM (3-6) Inquiry/DBL (P-2)
- Modified Stephanie Alexander Program - Patch To Plate (Year 1/2) incorporating the Kitchen Garden
- Regular sharing of learning & information through COL & Social Media Platforms - FB, Twitter & School Website & Newsletter





Our Achievements...

- Waste awareness - Recycling Bins, Compost, Worm Farms, Nude Food Days, Paper Bins, Paper reuse boxes
- Excursions to local Wetlands, Ceres, Healesville etc...
 - Development of Environment/Sustainability @ St Joseph's on our Website



St Joseph's Nude Food Day Friday 2nd November 2018

We will have Nude Food day on Friday the 2nd of November.
We are hoping to have more Nude Food days in Term 4.
Nude Food Day is about when you have no wrappers and you have containers instead to put your lunch in.

We are producing lots of wrappers and too much rubbish.
We are trying to reduce the amount of rubbish that we make that goes to landfill!

We came up with Nude Food because we are focusing on sustainability and our next step is to reach out to the community to support us.
We are encouraging you to use reusable containers and don't bring wrappers to school.

We are trying to get nude food everywhere in our school.

We got inspired to do Nude Food because we want to save the environment.
We are really interested in the environment because we want to save our planet.

So it would be great if you could help!

By Cooper and Christian Year 3/4!





Our Achievements...

- Securing a Woolworths/Landcare Grant to help us to rejuvenate and improve the Biodiversity in our Discover Garden...
- Formation of our 2020 Stewardship Team led by our Year 6 Stewardship Captains...Nicolas, Kusch & Alessia!!



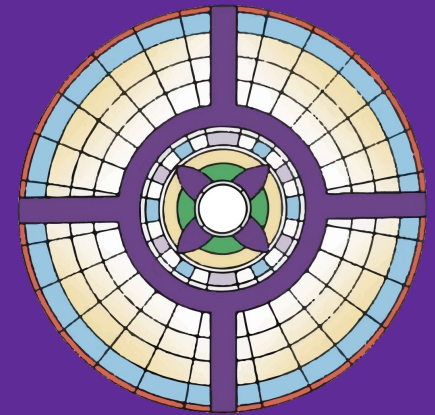
Help us grow the next generation of environmental champions





Moving Forward...

- Complete Biodiversity Module...
- Fully Integrating *Education for Sustainability* CEM and *ResourceSmart* into all aspects of our learning and teaching, as well as in the way we go about our daily business here at St Joseph's.



**We are a
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