

Pailan World School

INTERNATIONAL CONSULTANT AT PWS

Things are happening at Pailan World School!

International Consultant MS Linda Crane is coming to Pailan World School to work with all the teachers in the Junior School. She will be with us for ten days, demonstrating the latest methods of teaching to our Junior School teachers and holding workshops for them. She arrives on 12th July, flying in from Australia.

Linda commenced her teaching in the primary school, moved on to become a Leading Teacher and then Deputy Principal before becoming a consultant. A close associate of the renowned Pat Edgar, Linda has broad experience in consulting. Her chief work has been working on literacy development in the Early Years (Grades 1, 2 and 3) demonstrating to teachers the most effective ways of teaching children to read and write well above their years. She also works on the development of creative writing throughout the primary school, developing mathematics, and better ways of behaviour development.

Linda has led workshops nationally and internationally. This is her second journey to India having led workshops in Mumbai in 2004.

While at PWS, Linda will lead a workshop for principals and teachers from all around Kolkata to be held at our school on

18th July. It is expected that there will be a very large audience of interested educators who will be very anxious to collect new ideas.

Should time permit, Linda will also host a workshop for parents who wish to hear about ways to improve the quality of learning for their children.



PAILAN WORLD SCHOOL IN THE SUNDERBANS

Noting the plight of the villagers in the Sunderbans after cyclone Aila, staff and students from all the Pailan group gathered a massive collection of food, clothing and water to take to them. On the Sunday before last, staff and students gathered under the leadership of Chairman Apurba Saha and set off on a river expedition to the villages. In the group were the principal, teachers and a number of students of PWS.

After an interesting journey on the river, all our group assisted in offloading and donating the goods to the delighted villagers. Despite the heat, all the party were proud to have contributed to such a worthy cause.

