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KIDS MAKE MATHS FUN WITH DONATION FROM FOODWORKS LAVERTON

Students and teachers from St Martin de Porres Primary School were excited to receive a \$500 donation of mathematics equipment from FoodWorks Laverton recently.

Employee Kelly Jefferies presented the school with the equipment on behalf of the FoodWorks Laverton team and shared a lesson with the 3/4 Blue class.

According to teacher Maria Dyne, the donation will assist the children to learn reasoning and mathematics skills.

“Thanks to the generosity of Marcel, Zoran and the team from FoodWorks Laverton we have been able to purchase counters, blocks, tiles and other equipment to help our children learn. This equipment assists children to learn as it enables them to visualise maths problems and think through the answer,” Ms Dyne said.

The equipment also allows teachers to identify any children that may need extra assistance.

“These tools give us a non-threatening way to evaluate the children’s progress and identify any areas that they may need extra support in to reach the required standards. This equipment gives our children, from prep to six, the confidence to solve math problems and improves their retention of information by making learning more exciting,” she said.

FoodWorks Laverton store owners, Marcel Farah and Zoran Josevski, are proud to be able to support the school.

“We are very thankful for the support of the local community for our supermarket. This donation is our way of saying thanks to the community for their warm welcome,” Mr Farah said.

“My family have been part of the Laverton community for 27 years and my business partner Zoran and I are looking forward to working with other local community organisations,” Mr Farah said.

FoodWorks Laverton is located at 54-56 Bladin St, Laverton. The store is open 7:00am-9:00pm seven days a week except for public holidays.

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