Ceramic arts by the Preps

Currently on exhibition outside the staff room.
Inspired by Shaun Tan’s Book and animation.
“The Lost Thing.”

What did we learn?

We explored and discovered the sensory qualities of clay.

We learned how to look after the clay so it is soft for next time.

We learned Safety procedures for working with clay, for example, how to look after and clean the work area to prevent clay dust in the air.

We used objects to learn to create texture on the surface by pressing incising and carving.
We learned how to manipulate and model the clay and how to make a pinch pot base for the sculpture.

We learned how to pull out and join on features using the three S’s score, slurry and smooth.

We are using arts language in our conversations about our clay sculptures.