

ISIC Boat Trip

On Monday the 5th December 2016 Matthew, Xander, Alicia and I were very excited to go on the boat trip to meet the dolphins. We all got in Mrs. Suraces the car from school to Sorrento pier to see lots of amazing sea creatures and to learn about them too. After everyone got to the pier we met Mandy and all got changed into the swim suits and got our flippers. We all got on the boat and I went up the very steep ladder to see the blue sparkling water. As the boat started moving towards the seal island we washed the snorkels then put them on. I could see the the small wooden platform with loads of seals on it coming in to view. When the boat stopped we saw the seals playing and pushing each other off the platform. I was very excited because I knew it was time to go and meet the seals!

I never used snorkels before so at first when everyone was jumping into the water I was a tiny bit scared. Once I got in the water with everybody else it wasn't that bad and we followed the swimming leaders around the platform. I learnt how to use the snorkels and I also felt a seal touch my foot! They were so close and then once we swum around we got back onto the boat. I was freezing and was very excited to see what was next. The weedy sea dragons were next and I jumped in the water straight away. I saw lots of big fish and two dragons. That was my favorite part because it was warm and I saw lots and learnt lots of new things. Next was the dolphins but they said we might not see them. They couldn't find any but I didn't mind because I thought that it was still one of my favorite days that year. I thought it was a great experience and hope to do something like that again.

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