Year Six Explore St Vincent de Paul

On Wednesday 26th August, Year Six students went on a short walk to our local St Vincent de Paul charity store in Narrabeen.

Students have been working through the Religious Education unit ‘Cooperators in God’s Gracious Act of Creation’, in this unit they explore ideas such as; how we participate in the act of creation every day and how we can come to know God by experiencing the gracious gift of creation.

Many students had not been to the Vinnies charity store and felt that it was a cool, organized space, with lots of different things to buy. The volunteer worker at the store shared that they received more women’s clothes than men, due to the men wearing through their clothes. She also told us that they were able to raise $208 000 a year, from selling their goods.

The money raised from all the goods that are sold, assist people in the community including; children and adults. This money supports people who need help financially, as well providing them with opportunities such as attending youth camps and being given resources that they may not have access too.

It was a surprise to see what was on offer and for sale, and to see the time that people are giving to support others in our community. Finally, we would like to thank Mrs Sekulich for leading us through this amazing experience.

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