Visit from Simpson Farms

This term, Yr 1 / 2 are looking at Paddock to Plate and learning all about farms. Simon Grabbe, from Simpson Farms visited the Yr 1 / 2 classroom on Monday afternoon to talk about farming avocados. He spoke about the different varieties including the Hass, Shepard, Wurtz and Reed Avocados.

Simon explained to the students how the avocados are harvested and processed. He also talked about how they are sold both locally and right across Australia. Simpson Farms have a processing plant that manufactures Guacamole and other Avocado products. Calypso Mangoes are also grown on Simpson Farms.

Each student received a small token bag containing two types of avocados, a pen and a recipe book.

The students listened and asked questions and learnt much about avocados and farming. All enjoyed their visit from Simon.