

YEAR 3 TERM 2 2021 NEWSLETTER

All things are possible with God - Mark 10: 27

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Term Two! The students have settled back into the school routine and have impressed us with their ability to lead the school in prayer at our recent Mother's Day Liturgy.

This week, the Year 3 students sat the NAPLAN tests in both Literacy and Numeracy. Their positive attitude and enthusiasm towards NAPLAN are to be commended. NAPLAN feedback usually happens around September when you receive a letter with your child's results through the school. We do not want this to be a stressful time for children and parents. It is important to remind your children that all we ask is for them to do their best.

Your children will be receiving their half-yearly reports at the end of this term and parents will be provided with the opportunity to meet with teachers to discuss any concerns. Of course, this is all dependent on current COVID restrictions.

Regular attendance and punctuality are key factors in your children's academic progress and social development. We continue to ask your support in this matter. Please ensure that your child's absence is always explained, through either a phone call, an email or a letter. When a note is not received it is noted as an unexplained absence.

Please ensure that your children are wearing the correct winter uniform and following the prescribed haircut. Please note that the official change over to winter uniforms was **Monday, 3rd May**. If for any reason, your child is unable to wear any part of the correct uniform, a note should be sent to your child's teacher.

This term we are fortunate enough to have the help of the following Teacher's Assistants: Mrs Antoinette Mattery, Mrs Diane Maunder, Miss Reilly Fearon, Mrs Gabby Attard and Mrs Chris Skourmallas. We have also been provided with additional intervention to support students in their reading and Mathematics. This intervention is provided by Mrs Susan Perry and Mrs Melissa O'Connor.

Library borrowing is on **Wednesdays** for all classes. **Physical Education (Sports):** Thursday for 3R and 3W / Friday for 3B and 3G. **Creative Arts (Music):** Thursday for 3B and 3G / Friday for 3R and 3W.

Thank you,

Mrs Joan Bellenger (Grade Leader) on behalf of Year 3 Teachers.



Birthdays

We love celebrating with the children on their birthdays! If the children are bringing along something to share, we ask that they bring either cupcakes or donuts.

No products with nuts listed in the ingredients or nut products of any kind are permitted, including Nutella, Peanut Butter or chocolates with peanuts or nuts. Please do not send in party bags.

Homework

Term 2 Homework began in weeks 2 and 3. It has been paused this week due to NAPLAN and will recommence in weeks 5 and 6. Please ensure your child reads daily and records this onto the Home Reading Log.

All other Homework is to be completed at Parents/Carers discretion.

Winter Uniform for Terms 2 & 3

Dear Parents, please note the following uniform requirements for Terms 2 & 3

School Uniform

Girls:

School Uniform Checked Tunic
White Long Sleeve Blouse
Checked Scissor Tie
Green Hair Ribbons
Grey Tights or Grey Socks
Black School Shoes NOT Black Joggers
Green Zip-Up Jacket
School Uniform Hat

School Uniform

Boys:

Black Long Pants
White Long Sleeve Shirt
Green Zip-Up Jacket
Black Socks
Black School Shoes NOT Black Joggers
School Checked Tie
School Uniform Hat

Sports Uniform

Girls:

White Polo Shirt with School Emblem
Bottle Green Shorts
Bottle Green Tracksuit Uniform
Predominantly White Joggers/Sneakers
A White Skivvy (colder weather)
White Socks
School Uniform Hat

Sports Uniform

Boys:

White Polo Shirt with School Emblem
Bottle Green Shorts
Bottle Green Tracksuit Uniform
Predominantly White Joggers/Sneakers
A White Skivvy (colder weather)
White Socks
School Uniform Hat



This Term we will be learning about:

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Learning Cycle 2

How is God present in my life?

ENGLISH

Reading and Viewing, Writing and Representing,
Speaking and Listening, Handwriting and Using Digital
Technologies, Grammar, Punctuation and Vocabulary,
Thinking Imaginatively and Creatively,
Expressing Themselves, Reflecting on Learning

MATHEMATICS

Working Mathematically, Whole Number,
Multiplication and Division, Data, Time, Length,
Addition and Subtraction

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Living World

(Continued from Term 1)

HUMAN SOCIETY AND ITS ENVIRONMENT

History- Community and Remembrance

(Continued from Term 1)

CREATIVE ARTS

Visual Arts,

Music with Miss Diane Touzell (3W & 3B)
and Mrs Jo Hocking (3R & 3G)

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT/HEALTH/PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Health, Wellbeing and Relationships,
Physical Education with Mrs Sara Mc Caffery(3B & 3W)
and Mrs Dimple Dhiman (3G & 3R)

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