

Term Two Update

Welcome

Welcome back to all of our families! I hope that you have had a relaxing and happy school holiday and Easter break.

Our Principal, Mrs Buller, will be taking some leave at the beginning of term two, due to the sudden and unforeseen loss of her mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Buller family at this difficult time, and we ask that you please respect the family's request for privacy.

We have also had some staffing changes for term two so I would like to warmly welcome and introduce our new team members:

Mrs Gibson – Year 1

Mrs Gibson has been a valuable relief teacher with us over the years and will be replacing Mrs Gallash for Term Two, while she takes leave. She knows our school and teaching programs very well, and the students are very familiar with her.

Miss Cooper – Performing Arts

Miss Cooper will be taking over the performing arts role from Miss Pilkington/Ms Brown for the remainder of the year. The program will move to drama for term two, which will be an exciting change for our students.

Mrs Foulkes – Year 2

Mrs Foulkes is a highly experienced teacher who will join our year two team for the remainder of the year, as Mrs Hutchinson takes leave. She is very familiar with our teaching programs and has a wealth of knowledge to share, and we are excited to have her join our junior team.

Mrs Taylor - Education Assistant

Mrs Taylor will be replacing Mrs Michaels who is on leave for the remainder of the year. Mrs Taylor has been a valuable relief staff member who is very familiar with the students and classroom teachers that she will be supporting.

Mrs Moses - Education Assistant

Mrs Moses joins our senior classrooms to replace Mrs Rozmus while she is on leave for term two. Mrs Moses is excited to be working with our senior classes and students to provide support.



Covid-19 Procedures

Parents and caregivers are asked to continue to contact the administration team should a student or a household member test positive to Covid-19.

Please note that at this time, masks are still required for parents/caregivers when onsite for school pick-up and drop-off, and for students in years three to six.

Gate Entry

Our three gate entry points will continue, with the main gate open from 7:45am, and the junior and kindy gates open from 8:05am. Our Student Councillors are also helping out on the gates each morning, so make sure you introduce yourself to them as you arrive. They would love to get to know our students and families!

Assemblies

Assemblies will be on hold for term two, although we are hopeful that they will resume for term three. Whilst some restrictions around school activities and events have eased, there are still restrictions in place that prevent us from running our newly formatted junior and senior assemblies.

KAV Program

During the term, our Year 2 students will be participating in the Kids Against Violence (KAV) Program. This program is based on the Protective Behaviours model and sessions incorporate age-appropriate violence education (identifying safe and unsafe situations and feelings), conversation time, and interactive activities to suit a variety of learning needs. KAV sessions will be presented by staff from OVIS and supported by our classroom teachers.

Further information and consent for participation in this program will be sent out via Compass this week. If you have any queries regarding this program, please contact the school administration team.

Term Two Planner

There are many exciting events that have been planned to go ahead this term, so please see the attached term planner to check what is happening for your child/ren.

Parent Planner - Term Two 2022

WEEK	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	April 25 Public Holiday ANZAC Day	26 School Development Day	27 Students Commence Green	28 Green	29 Purple
2	May 2 Green Blue	3 Blue Purple	4 Purple	5 Green Blue	6 Purple
3	9 Green Blue	10 NAPLAN BEGINS Years 3 & 5 Blue Purple	11 Green	12 Green	13 Year 5/6 Inter Sport Purple
4	16 NAPLAN CON. Green Blue	17 Blue Purple	18 Purple	19 Green Blue	20 Purple
5	23 Green Blue	24 Blue Purple	25 National Simultaneous Storytime Green	26 National Sorry Day Y3 5-a-Side Soccer Green	27 Year 5/6 Inter Sport Purple
6	30 Green Blue	31 Y5/6 Girls AFL Cup Blue Purple	June 1 Purple	2 Green Blue	3 Purple
7	6 Public Holiday WA Day	7 Blue Purple	8 Green	9 Green	10 Year 5/6 Inter Sport Purple
8	13 Green Blue	14 Blue Purple	15 Purple	16 SHH Cross Country Green Blue	17 Purple
9	20 Green Blue	21 Blue Purple	22 Year 3 Museum Excursion Green	23 Green	24 Year 5/6 Lightning Carnival Purple
10	27 Green Blue	28 Blue Purple	29 Purple	30 Green Blue	July 1 Purple

NAIDOC Week: Sunday 3rd July – Sunday 10th July