



Diary Dates

WEEK 1

Monday 8 July

1st day of Term 3

Wednesday 10 July

Playgroup 9.00-10.30am

WEEK 2

Wednesday 17 July

Playgroup 9.00-10.30am

Footy Colours Day

Tuckshop orders due 3pm

P&C Meeting 4.00pm

Friday 19 July

Tuckshop

WEEK 3

Wednesday 24 July

Playgroup 9.00-10.30am

WEEK 4

Tuesday 30 July

Whole School excursion to
Cobb & Co Museum Toowoomba

Bus leave 7am

Wednesday 31 July

Playgroup 9.00-10.30am

Tuckshop orders due 3pm

Friday 2 August

Tuckshop

Date Claimer:

Term 3 Week 7

Year 4-6 Camp

Combined with Tingoora SS
Noosa North Shore Retreat

Principal's Message

Welcome back to school!!

We are very excited to see everyone has returned safely and enjoyed what we hope was a restful break.

This term will be a busy one with lots of events and fun planned. We are always excited to show off our PROUD students to our local community and offer experiences to areas further away in an effort to get students to grow in many areas of their life learning. Years 4-6 will have the opportunity to be invited to camp. Please discuss with your child that camp attendance is not a student's right. Attendance at camp depends on many factors including attendance, behaviour, safety and academic effort throughout the year. School Camp is a special opportunity to learn and grow and experience special activities. This year we are off to Noosa hinterland for a Bush/Beach experience. We also have some excursions planned in term 3 for students to experience cultural growth and natural wonders as well. As always safety is our focus for these events and we need to ensure that all families understand the importance of their child being safe in and outside of the school campus.

Remember your full school uniform during winter includes a royal blue coat/jumper and royal blue tracksuit pants. If you are experiencing difficulties obtaining the full school uniform, please make contact with the school and we may be able to help. Please do not send your child in hoodies or alternative jumpers to school.

Report cards were sent home at the end of term 2. If you would like to speak to your child's classroom teacher regarding any of the information in the report card, please contact the office for a time that will suit. Teachers are more than happy to discuss how you can better support your child in their learning or where their learning goals are heading to next.

Heather Litzow
Principal



Students cannot be at school before **8.30am** (unless arriving by school bus) as supervision is very limited until this time. Please monitor what time your child is leaving home to come to school or what time you are dropping your child off at the school gates.

Student Absences

Please text **ALL** student absences to the school mobile 0472 836 816 or phone the office on 41642230.

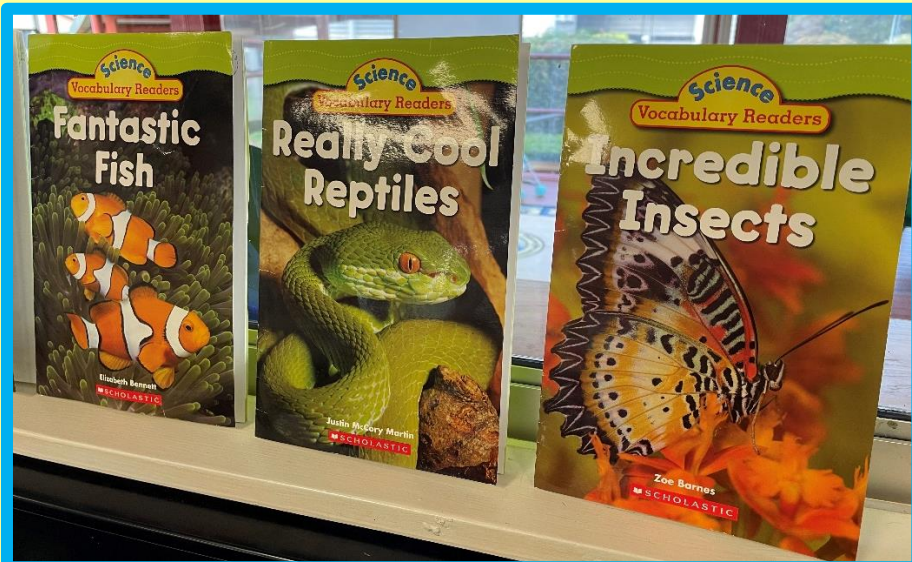


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Prep/Yr 3 News

Welcome back to Term 3! I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday and ready for our new learning this term! Students have kick started the term with some new learning! In **English**, students have started exploring informative texts and will be learning particular text and language features over the next few weeks, in preparation for Part A of their assessment. In Part B, students will be creating their own information report. In **Maths**, this term students will cover the topics; measurement, shapes and place value. In **Science** P-2 students are learning all about light and sound! Students have completed their first lesson on this topic and will be exploring instruments and toys involving the sound they make. For our **Literacy Hour**, students are enjoying spelling, reading and writing rotations every morning. Students are working to achieve their next level by the end of term. We have had a productive start and we are very excited to get into learning more and more about our fun and new learning this term.

Miss McLean





Yr 4 – 6 News

Welcome back to another exciting term of learning. I hope you and your family had some memorable moments over the holidays. We have already been busy commencing our new units, so that we can spread the learning and assessment over the whole term. This helps students who are regularly attending school to not become overwhelmed by their assessment tasks. Yesterday students spent the afternoon reflecting on their achievements of last term and looking at expectations needed to be successful in English and Mathematics. They then wrote goals for reading, writing, mathematics and for overall learning. Please have a conversation with your child about these and ask them regularly how they are going.

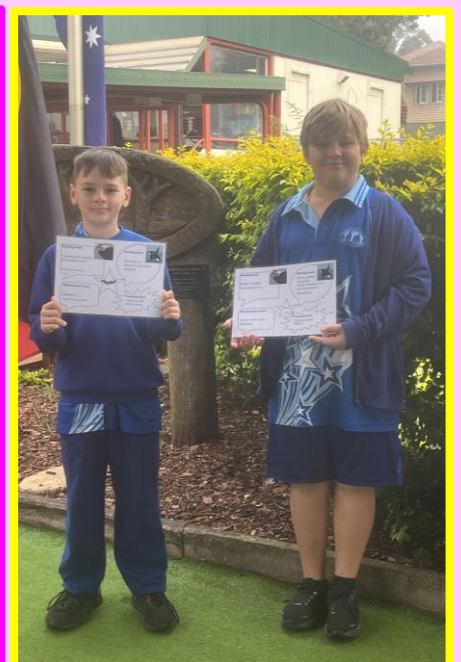
In **English** this term in the first task students will need to read and examine different styles of information texts about animal. They will need to compare the text features (text structures, language features and visual features) of the two texts.

Mathematics: Please make sure that your child is spending time at home working on their number facts focus. Quick recall of multiplication and division facts is an important skill for them to be successful in assessment this term. *Year 4* will be learning: To recall multiplication and division facts and solve problems using appropriate strategies for multiplication and division. To use scaled instruments to measure temperature, lengths, shapes and objects. *Year 5* will be learning: To investigate factors and multiples, solve problems using the four operations, and use estimation and rounding to check reasonableness of answers. To choose appropriate units of measurement for length, area, volume, capacity and mass. To calculate perimeter and area of rectangles. *Year 6* will be learning: To write correct number sentences using brackets and order of operation, and solve problems using the four operations. To convert between units of measurement and solve measurement problems with decimals. To explain reasoning and understanding related to measurement problems.

Instrumental lessons are on Tuesday afternoon. Please help remind your child to have their instrument at school on this day, as several students have been forgetting.

If you ever have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at school or email me on jbarr134@eq.edu.au.

Mrs Barron





FOOTY



COLOURS DAY

 **WEDNESDAY 17 JULY** 

Students are invited to wear their favourite footy teams colours
next Wednesday 17 July.

Gold Coin donation to Student Council