



Principal's Message

P-Yr 1 Testing

Just a heads up!! Our Prep and Year 1 students will be participating in some educational placement testing over the coming weeks by our Guidance Officer. This just allows us to see a moment in time for them and assist in academic support over the coming years.



NAPLAN

Well done to all our Yr 3 & 5 students who successfully completed their NAPLAN tests throughout the past week. NAPLAN testing is a moment in time testing that delivers information to parents and students on their capabilities in line with national students. Thank you to our volunteers who made and served special breakfast for our students over the test days, it was very appreciated by all.



Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews

Thank you to all parents who have attended the three-way interviews over the past week. It is very important to our student's educational future that parents are knowledgeable on their child's strengths, weaknesses and focus areas for the coming months. Foundation Primary learning is important to make way for easier learning at high school and life as students become adults.

Happy Easter Holidays!

Week 10 will be a short week with our Gold/Silver/Bronze achieving students having a day at the theatre on Wednesday and Thursday is the last day of Term 1. I would like to wish all our families a safe and happy Easter and I look forward to everyone returning rested and ready to learn in Term 2.



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.



Diary Dates

WEEK 9

Tuesday 19 March

Parent 3 Way interviews

Wednesday 20 March

Playgroup 9.00-10.30am

WEEK 10

Wednesday 27 March

End of Term rewards day

BUS LEAVES AT

8.15am SHARP

NO PLAYGROUP TODAY

Thursday 28 March

Last day of Term 1

Friday 29 March

Good Friday Public Holiday



PLEASE UPDATE YOUR CONTACT DETAILS

Please ensure address, phone contact details and emergency contacts are correct and always up to date



Cross Country

The KDSS Cross Country event will be held at Tingoorra State School next term in Week 1, Friday 19 April at 9am. This will mean a quick turn around for tuckshop orders and permission slips. All students will participate in this event and bus transport will be provided. Families are welcome to attend and cheer on their child.



Bugle Band News

There was big excitement around the school morning due to Lisa Millar and her crew filming a story featuring our iconic Bugle Band for an upcoming piece on ABC Breakfast TV. Huge thanks goes to Noel Selway for his ongoing hard work and dedication to this Wooroolin SS tradition!



Prep/Yr 3 News

We are almost at the end of Term 1! Students have been doing a great job completing assessment and finishing off units of work. In **English**, students are typing the final copy of their stories on laptops. In **Maths**, we are finishing our learning of maps, directions and locations ready for the assessment very soon. In **Science**, students have completed their assessments about natural, managed and constructed features/environments. In **HASS**, Year 3 students are learning about rules and the democratic decision-making process. Thank you to families in Prep, Year 1 and 2 for bringing in special items from home. This will help students complete the first part of their assessment. Student's had fun last week celebrating St Patrick's Day with some 'green themed' learning and activities. During **Literacy Hour** next week, students will be tested on their spelling and reading, to determine their levels for next term. Great improvements are already happening in their spelling, reading and writing skills. Thank you to all families who attended 3-way meet interviews. It was great to catch up with you and discuss your child's learning. Looking forward to watching them achieve their goals in Term 2! Wishing everyone a safe and fun Easter break!

Miss McLean



Yr 4 – 6 News

Homework Expectations

Task 1 – Spelling: This week students have started PLD List 1 for their level. These words are now their focus for homework in Week 2. Students will complete a different task with them each night. **Monday** – write words our using the LOOK, SAY (Sound Out), Cover, Write and Check. Students are to make sure that they write each sound in a different coloured pencil eg. **captive own class**. **Tuesday** – Write words in alphabetical order. Students are to make sure that they write each sound in a different coloured pencil as they are completing the activity. **Wednesday** – build on the base words. e.g. grew/growing or waterfall or captivated. **Thursday** – write 5 sentences using any of their list words. Make sure you are aiming for compound or complex sentence structure. If you have any questions about this task, please contact me.

Task 2 – Mathematics Sheet: Students are to complete the sheet. If they are having difficulty remind them to ask for assistance at school. Students will also bring home the number fact focus for multiplication and division to practice. They need to be able to complete this sheet in 6 minutes.

Task 3 – Reading: Students should be reading regularly and they can choose a text of their choice. Once they have recorded their reading for the week, please sign to say that you have witnessed or asked them about what they have been reading.

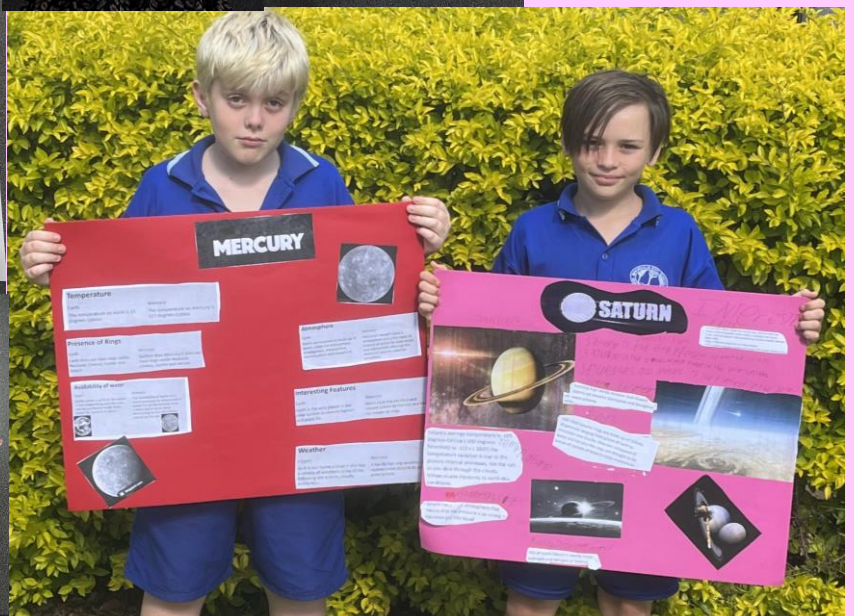
In **English**, students have been given their mark for their Character Analysis task. This week they will be publishing their Fantasy Chapter and be given the opportunity to print it out to share with you at home.

This week in **Mathematics** all students will be completing their symmetry assessment. Year 6 also have an assessment task on locating ordered pairs in any one of the four quadrants of the Cartesian plane.

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





WHAT SORT OF START IS YOUR CHILD GETTING?

Just a little late doesn't seem much but...

They are missing just...	That equals	Which is	and over 13 years of schooling that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1 ½ weeks per year	Nearly ½ a year
20 minutes per day	1 hr 40 mins per week	Over 2 ½ weeks per year	Nearly 1 year
30 minutes per day	½ Day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years
60 minutes per day	1 Day per week	8 weeks per year	Nearly 2 ½ years

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APRIL HOLIDAYS
FUNFEST

TUESDAY, APRIL 9TH, 9AM - 1PM
MEMORIAL PARK, KINGAROY

Bring the kids along to a day of fun in the park!

Enjoy fun games, craft activities, face painting and more...

FREE EVENT
with free sausage sizzle.

(Make sure to bring a hat, sunscreen and water bottle!)

Parent supervision required. Recommended for children aged 4-12years.

JUNIOR FIXTURES
SATURDAY MORNINGS
KINGAROY TOWN COURTS
8AM-9:30AM **COST—\$15.00**

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