

School Times

Students need to arrive between 8.50am and 9.00am

School Day 9.05 - 3.20
Recess 10.45 - 11.05
Lunch 12.45 - 1.25

Kindy Days Tuesday, Thursday (Sem 1)
plus Fridays (Sem 2)

Every second Tuesday early close is at 2.30pm

School Uniform

Plain black shorts, pants or skirt with gold top, school rugby jumper or jacket.

School hat only.

Shoes worn need to allow students to participate in outdoor or sport activities.

Faction coloured t-shirts (red or blue) are to be worn only on Sport Carnival days.

No denim is to be worn.

No make up or nail polish.

No excessive jewelry or hair accessories.

Longer hair to be tied up or secured off student's face.

School Code of Behaviour

Consider the safety of themselves and others at all times.

Display respect and courtesy for people, property and the environment.

Be punctual, prepared and well presented for class.

Work responsibly and diligently in all activities.

Be an active participant in their learning and school community.



2016 Term Dates

Term 1: 1 Feb - 8 April
Term 2: 26 April - 1 July
Term 3: 18 July - 23 Sept
Term 4: 10 Oct - 15 Dec

Public Holidays

Jan 26: Australia Day
March 7: Labour Day
March 25: Good Friday
March 28: Easter Monday
April 25: ANZAC Day
June 6: WA Day
Sept 26: Queen's Birthday

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The Pinnacle
of
learning and growing
together



Yr 1 Class Information

Welcome to the Junior Class

Our Class

Classroom Teacher - Miss Breanna Wright
Education Assistant - Mrs Vicki Miller
DOTT Teacher (Wed) - Mrs Megan Knowles
Support Teacher - Mrs Carly Radford
Japanese (Mon) - Kenichi Mori

If your child will be absent please let us know; write a note, telephone or text ASAP.

Learning Areas

ENGLISH:

- * Spelling - Alphabet & Sounds, Blending & Segmenting, Rhyming, Syllables, Sight Words, Super Sounds & Soundwaves.
- * Reading - Home reading, guided reading, modelled reading & shared reading. Focus on sounding out words, using picture cues & predicting,
- * Writing - Sentence structure, capital letters & full stops, handwriting, editing & recounts.

MATHS:

- * Number - numbers to 100, counting by 2, 5 & 10, addition, subtraction, money & place value.
- * Measurement & Geometry - length using informal units, capacity & time, 2D & 3D shapes.

Health – Being Healthy, Safe & Active

Humanities – Personal and Family Histories,

Places have Distinctive Features

Science – Biological Science, Chemical Science

T&E– Food & Fibre Production, Design & Technologies.

School Values

Be Responsible
Show Respect
Build Relationships



Behaviour Management

Behaviour Ladder

I use a variety of positive reinforcement techniques in the classroom including verbal praise, 'value' raffle tickets, faction points, stickers and stamps.

Any display of positive behaviour can also be rewarded through moving their photo up the Behaviour Ladder. At the end of the day, students who have reached 'Outstanding' receive a tick on their faction card.

However, any display of inappropriate behaviour means the student moves their photo down the ladder. Students who move down the ladder lose Golden Time in increments of 5 minutes.

Students **must have** a spare set of underwear and clothes in their bags.

Keeping Healthy

Students in the Junior Class need to bring a piece of fruit to share for Crunch & Sip. Please ensure that your child has a piece of fruit each day as *all* children share the fruit platters.

Please remember to have healthy options in lunchboxes for morning tea. Some ideas include fruit & vegetables, cheese, crackers, dried fruit or popcorn.

Communication

The students have their own Communication Diary. I will do my best to communicate with you on a regular basis and I welcome any notes from family. It is difficult to give you my undivided attention at the beginning of the day, so I would appreciate it if we can make a time to meet after school or on Wednesdays.

Parent Volunteers

Parents are welcome to put their name on the roster each term to help in the classroom. You will find the Parent Help Roster inside the door. Please add your name on a day you wish to volunteer from 9.05am – 10.45am. Please be prepared to help with either the morning fruit, the dishes, assist with any prep needed for the children's activities, or work with a small group of children.

Homework

- * Sight Word folders will continue on from last year. Read through the sight words each night and only move them to the next pocket if they can read the word without sounding out. When I feel your child knows them confidently I will send home the next set of words.
- * The Year One students will continue to receive a home reader that needs to be read every night. Each morning the students will be asked to put their homework folder into a box and I will listen to them read and change their books.

Please fill in the reading log each night.

Sharing

- * While we encourage students to share their stories we discourage them bringing personal belongings to school because we would hate to see them lost or broken.
- * If your child wishes to celebrate a birthday with the class feel free to bring in a cake or treats. Please be aware that we have children with food allergies, so please see me prior to the day.
- * Also, please hand out any birthday invitations outside the class after school, as it can be upsetting for those students who are not invited.

If you are running late or someone other than yourself is collecting your child please call the classroom on 96527 122.
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