

Grade 3 Newsletter

Term 2 2023

Hats

As of Monday the 1st of May, hats are no longer required at recess and lunch time.

Play is the Way

This term we will be focusing on the Red Rule, "Pursue your personal best, no matter who you work with" life raft.

Library Bags

To keep books safe students are required to have a library bag for bringing books to and from the library each week.

Grade 3 Camp Information

Gundawinidi Lodge – Wandin.

Monday 4th September – Tuesday 5th of September (Term 3).

More information to come during Term 2.

Welcome to Term 2!

Hello Grade 3 families. Welcome back to Term 2 which will be full of more wonderful events and learning opportunities for your children!

Overview of Learning

Please see our overview of learning document, which provides a week-by-week snapshot of learning in Reading, Writing, Spelling and Maths for this term. We hope this will give you an insight into our teaching and learning focus and will enable you to support your child's learning.

Reading logs and take home books

Students have been provided with a new Term 2 reading log to track their reading each week. We encourage students to record this themselves now that they are familiar with the process in order to build their independence and understanding of different types of texts and their features. In Grade 3, it is an expectation that students are reading their take home books every night after school, or in the morning before school. Reading logs need come to school everyday with your child, so the classroom teacher can monitor your child's reading.

Communication with teachers

Email continues to be our main form of communication between school and home. Email will be checked each day and, if required, a response will be given within 24 hours. If you need to make us aware of anything, have an area of concern, a question about your child's learning or would like to make a time to meet face to face, email is your best way to contact us. You can of course speak to us at pick up after school if you are on site. Please note that if it is a timely or urgent matter, contact the school office and leave a message with the office staff.

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Homework

We sincerely appreciate the support you have provided your children with completing their homework during Term 1. The students have been enthusiastic about returning their homework and are enjoying receiving a stamp, sticker or smiley face for completing their weekly activities. Homework will continue to be sent home on Fridays and be returned to school on Wednesdays.

Important Dates

Tuesday 25th April – ANZAC Day Public Holiday

Wednesday 3rd May – Maths Explorer Contest

Friday 5th May – Mother's Day stall

Friday 5th May – Rowville District Cross Country

Wednesday 24th May – Professional Practice Day

Wednesday 14th June – Maths Explorer Contest

Friday 16th June – House Athletics

Friday 23rd June – Term 2 ends (2.30 finish)