

Prep Term 3 Newsletter

Welcome

Dear Families,

welcome to Term 3 2023!!

We are excited for all of the upcoming events planned for this term and look forward to continuing the learning journey with your children. As always, please find your class teachers email address below should you have any questions or queries.

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Learning and Assessment this Term

English

In English we are learning to listen to, say and write rhymes. We are continuing our learning of letters and sounds and transfer this knowledge to read and write words.

Mathematics

In Math we are learning our numbers from 1-20. We are continuing to look at what the number is and how we can create that number using objects and materials. We are learning how to collect data and understand how to use the data we collect. We are also learning about how to sequence events and what activities we do throughout the days of the week.

Languages

In term 3, students begin to engage with the Chinese language and culture. They will explore the similarities and differences in greeting others in a variety of familiar contexts.

The Arts- Music and movement

Students will learn to respond to, perform and choreograph dance that represents a character

Health

Students identify actions that help keep them safe with medicines and poisons and in situations involving water and fire. They demonstrate practices and protective behaviours to keep themselves safe and healthy in different situations.

PE

To use personal and social skills when working with others and describe their feelings after participating in a range of active games.

Classroom Expectations and Routines

- School starts at 8:30am, if your child is running late, you must sign them in at the office and present a late slip to the classroom teacher.
- If your child is sick, please phone the office on 3802
 3333 to inform them that your child will not be attending school on that day.
- Please label any school items including lunchboxes, water bottles and jumpers
- Please ensure your child has a piece of fruit for munch and crunch, even if your child has tuckshop.

PBL

Each term the students are taught behavioural expectations through a fortnightly focus and lesson. These link to our school rules of I am safe, I am responsible, I am respectful, I am a learner.

Each fortnight a student will receive an award for this on parade, and parents will be invited to attend.

Throughout the term, students will receive points for the fortnightly focus and school rules. As students receive points, they will progress through the 5 behaviour levels at Burrowes.

At the end of the term, all students will participate in a rewards day. We look forward to celebrating the students' efforts on this day.

Upcoming events

You will be notified via email, letters and the school Facebook page about the following upcoming events

NAIDOC Day Under 8s Day Swimming Lessons Principal's Parade Rewards Day

Pupil Free Day- Friday 1st September

Ekka Show Holiday- 14th August

Junior Parade – Monday 1:50pm, odd weeks of the term

