

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to welcome back our school community to Tarneit P-9 College for 2019. I hope you all had a wonderful summer break and it was great to welcome all our students back, refreshed and ready to learn. We have had an extremely smooth and productive start to Term 1. Walking around the classrooms, it is great to see how settled the students are and all the great learning that is happening. The new timetable has made the yard extremely calm and the students have been taking advantage of the extra space.

It has been a busy term for our Year 6 students. As part of their Science excursion, they attended Ecolinc in Bacchus Marsh. This is an innovative curriculum program with a focus on sustainable environmental development practices. Students have also been busy practising for interschool sports which will commence in Term 2.

In Year 5, students have all settled in well with their new teachers and there is a really positive feel when you walk around the classrooms. A reminder that we have a few important events next term in Year 5. NAPLAN will commence on the Tuesday 14 May. We also have Year 5 camp at Alexandra Adventure Resort. Parents are reminded to visit the office to apply for Camps, Sports and Excursion Funding if you have a valid healthcare card.

We had a massive attendance at our Family Fun Night and it was a great way for families to socialise with the community. It was fantastic to see students enjoying the games and the sausage sizzle.

Finally, a reminder that Parent Teacher Interviews take place in Week 10. We encourage all parents to attend for an update on your child's learning and to meet their teacher.

Kind Regards,



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