

YEAR 3 AND 4 LEVEL INFORMATION SHEET

TERM 2, 2024



Dear Parents,

Welcome to Term Two! Below is a summary of the learning that will be happening this Term as well as other important information.

Reminders:

- Monday - Please be at school no later than 8:45am in readiness for assembly at 8:50am
- All students require a diary (school supplied) which is to be signed once a week and handed in to your classroom teacher
- Absences can be reported to the school via Parent Access Module (PAM)
- The Holy Trinity food sharing policy states that students cannot share food. This includes, special occasions and special events eg. birthdays or Easter.
- Year 4 First Eucharist

Attendance at school

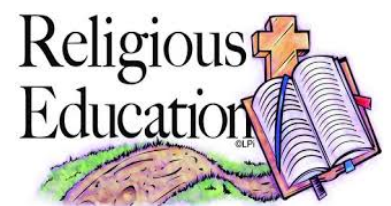
Every day counts, as regular attendance helps students to develop a sense of belonging, develop and maintain friendships, be more engaged at school and help progress with their learning. If you do the Maths, a student absent one day a week = 40 days per year = 8 school weeks (close to a term) x 7 school years = 56 weeks = more than 1 year of school missed before they reach secondary school.

Behaviour

During Term 1, we focussed on the TORCH values and the Holy Trinity Behaviour Matrix. The students engaged in establishing positive and expected behaviours in all areas of the school and their learning. We would like to congratulate the 3/4 cohort on an excellent start to the year, where they have been role models and leaders of the school regarding their behaviour and the way they conduct themselves throughout the school day.

Religious Education

In Religion this term, we will be continuing with our Lent unit, focusing on the Resurrection and Ascension of Jesus as well as Pentecost. Following that, the Year 4 students will be learning about Eucharist in preparation for celebrating the Sacrament of Eucharist and the Year 3 students will focus on The Mass & Prayer. The Family Eucharist Night workshop for Year 4 students will be held next Term, on Thursday 25 July at 6:00pm. There will also be a First Eucharist Commitment Mass on the 27th/28th July. All children who intend on making their Eucharist will need to attend both of these.



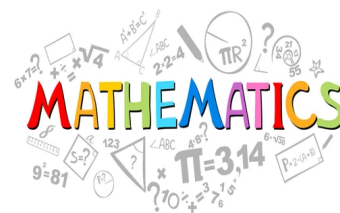
English

This term, students will explore topics related to Living Things, including their observable features, life cycles, and habitats, through reading, listening, and viewing. They will consolidate their understanding through written tasks. There will be a continued focus on sentence and paragraph structure. There will be a strong focus on developing connections and student voice during our weekly speaking and listening lessons.



Mathematics

This term in Mathematics, students will work on a daily basis to continue to improve their recall of number facts. They will also focus on various areas of Mathematics including, fractions, decimals, measurement and the four operations. A focus in all areas of Maths is to expose students to a variety of strategies to solve problems, giving them a greater understanding and depth of knowledge. There will be many opportunities for students to learn and practise new skills, while others are extended.



Homework

All students are expected to read for at least 60 minutes per week. Their reading progress is to be recorded in their diaries, signed by parents and handed into their teacher each Friday. Students have been provided with a log in to use Matific to practise Maths concepts.

Important Dates

Please refer to the school newsletter, school calendar and student diaries for up to date information on scheduled events throughout the term.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Order of contact

- 1st. Classroom teacher
- 2nd. Year Level Leader/Subject Leader
- 3rd. Deputy Principal/Principal

Thank you for your ongoing support,
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