

Galilee Regional Catholic Primary School

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Friday 31st May, 20

Dear Families,

Semester One Student Reports will be available on Wednesday 26th June, 2024. Student reports at Galilee are made accessible electronically, via a Parent Portal, for you to read and discuss with your child. Information about how to access student reports will be shared closer to the date.

Galilee's Student Reports are in line with the reporting standards of Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Melbourne and include detailed checklists indicating student achievement across the Victorian Curriculum and Religious Education CurriculumFramework.

All Victorian schools are mandated to fully implement The Victorian Curriculum and all Catholic Schools are mandated to fully implement The Religious Education Curriculum Framework with the following expectations:

- The standard curriculum frameworks approved for use by Victorian Catholic schools are the Victorian Curriculum F–10, the Religious Education Curriculum Framework and the EAL (English as an Additional Language) Developmental Continuum P–10.
- Where achievement is displayed graphically, it must be accompanied by a scale.
- Judgements must be displayed in a way that conveys progress since the last time the standard(s) were reported against in the school.
- The scale must be an age-level-expected scale.
- Achievement must be displayed using a five-point scale and will show growth, if it has
 occurred, since the last Report.

Your child's achievement against the Victorian Curriculum and the Religious Education Curriculum Framework for the semester is rated against a five point descriptor scale, displayed by a **Dot**, which identifies whether your child is:

- · Well above the standard: Well above the standard expected at this time of year
- Above the standard: Above the standard expected at this time of year
- At the standard: At the standard expected at this time of year
- · Below the standard: Below the standard expected at this time of year
- · Well below standard: Well below the standard expected at this time of year

Not all dimensions of a Learning Area are reported on in each semester. If a child is showing the same result as the end of Semester Two 2023, this does not mean that progress has not occurred. Progress is not always even and each child has his/her own rate of learning. Each increment represents six month's growth and your child may still be progressing but consolidating what has been learnt previously, (your child may have shown five month's growth but not moved up an increment).

The Student Report format will also contain a personalised General Comment about the student's academic achievement, personal and interpersonal skills, thinking skills, organisational skills as well as *Behaviour and Effort*.

In each Student Report, the Achievement Standards, from the Religious Education Curriculum Framework and the Victorian Curriculum are presented in a table. Each student will be marked on the Achievement Standards, from the framework/curriculum against a five-point scale. The table will

indicate the student's level of mastery of each Achievement Standard with a tick against the scale heading that best represents their level of achievement.

The six-point scale used in the Student Reports includes the same headings as those used:

- Working well above the expected range: Well above the standard expected at this time of year
- Working above the expected range: Above the standard expected at this time of year
- . Working within the expected range: At the standard expected at this time of year
- Working towards the expected range: Below the standard expected at this time of year
- Working below the expected rage: Well below the standard expected at this time of year
- No evidence/Did not complete: No work submitted

The Report will provide you with an overview of your child's achievements and assist in strengthening our family-school partnership. If you have any questions, please discuss them with the classroom teacher.

Formal Reporting on student achievement and progress occurs four times a year at Galilee:

- A Parent Teacher Conference at the end of Term 1, for families with students in Year 1-6 (Meet the Teacher Conferences occurs early in Term 1 for Prep students).
- A Semester One Student Report, reporting on student achievement against the Victorian Curriculum and Religious Education Framework that families will be able to access on Thursday 22nd June, 2023.
- A Parent Teacher Conference at the end of Term 3, for families with students in Prep-Year 6.
- A Semester Two Student Report, reporting on student achievement and progress against the Victorian Curriculum and Religious Education Framework that families will be able to access prior to the end of the school year.

We look forward to sharing the Semester One Reports with you and would like to congratulate the students of Galilee for their efforts throughout Semester One, 2024.

Yours sincerely,

Kind Regards,

Amy Burns
Acting Principal

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