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Dear Parents & Carers,

Please find information below regarding our:

***Get To Know You ~ Parent/Teacher/Student Conversations
Monday 3rd March & Tuesday 4th March
from 3.30 pm onwards
(Please note the updated dates from our calendar)***

Our 'Get To Know You' conversations at the beginning of a new school year provide an opportunity for students, teachers and families to get to know one another and foster a positive relationship between home and school. As part of the conversation you may discuss areas for growth and collaborate in partnership to enhance your children's educational outcomes, social development and wellbeing. These conversations are invaluable in facilitating open communication between families and educators.

Students being involved and leading some of the conferences play a crucial role in promoting student agency, enhancing communication skills, fostering self-reflection, strengthening parent-teacher-student partnerships, and promoting independence and responsibility. Student-led conferences empower children to take ownership of their learning journey. By actively participating in these conversations, students become more engaged and accountable for their academic growth, learning & wellbeing.

Each conference will run for approx 10-12 minutes and we encourage all families and their children to participate. If you wish to have a discussion with your child's pastoral group teacher without your child present, please inform your child's pastoral teacher so that an alternate meeting time can be scheduled.

For families currently attending PSG Meetings, these meetings can form a part of your child's Parent/Teacher/Student conversations. Therefore there is no need to make a separate booking for your child. Please reach out to your child's pastoral group teacher or Di Walker, Leader: Pastoral Wellbeing & Learner Diversity, for further clarification.

Your child's Parent/Teacher/Student Conversations can be booked through **PAM/Simon Everywhere App**.

How:

Log in to SIMON Everywhere on your device.

or

Please [FOLLOW this link to access the PAM login page](#)

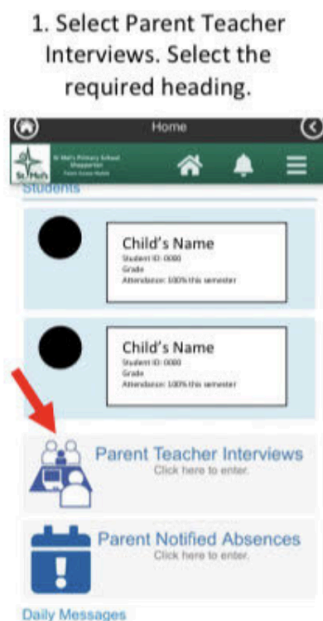
If you are having difficulties following the link, please copy & paste the following URL into your browser:

<https://pam.smshepparton.catholic.edu.au/Login/Default.aspx?Reset=True&Ref=23a987f9-9343-4b0d-ac8b-3011daad1395>

Your username & password are the same on both platforms.

Once logged into PAM click on the Parent Teacher Interview section & follow the prompts. You will then see the following message:

Term One Parent/Teacher/Student Conversations for students in Foundation to Year 6 will be held on Monday the 3rd and Tuesday the 4th of March between 3.30pm and 6.30pm. Please click on your child's pastoral group below and then select your preferred time and date and Save.



Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or encounter any challenges accessing the booking platform.

Kind regards,

Stephen Hicks

Steve Hicks (Principal)