



Meet the Stage 1 Team



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1/2 Abigail Lupi
(Monday - Tuesday)



Mrs Daad Hawchar
1/2 Abigail Lupi
(Wednesday - Friday)



Ms Cherie Ann Goh
1/2 Gavin Brodie
Stage 1 Assistant Principal



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Assistant Principal
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Mrs Sarah Mellish
*K-2 Assistant
Principal*





Rise and Shine!

School starts at **8:58am**

Please try to ensure your child arrives before this time.

Our goal is to decrease our late arrivals and increase the learning time for all students.

Thank you for your help in meeting this goal!



Class DOJO

Stage 1 teachers would like to invite you to be more involved in your child's learning, through the use of Class Dojo.

You can access Class Dojo through the internet or through the app 'ClassDojo' downloaded from Google Play, Play Store or Apple App Store.

The Stage 1 teachers will be sending home a note with your own unique access code and details on how to create your own account.



Homework

We are often asked about homework and how parents can support their child's learning at home.

Homework for Stage 1 students will include:

- **Reading every day** – Home reading program
- **Writing** – a response to the home reading book
- **Sight word practice** – practice reading and writing (for some children)
- **Maths** – Maths games and activities sent home with your child.



School Stream

Keep up to date with Stage 1 and all things to do with Granville East Public School by using **School Stream**.

Simply download the School Stream app on your phone, Ipad or computer, search Granville East Public School and you will be sent notifications for our newsletters, school events and other important announcements.

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Learning Centres

'Learning centres' provide students with exciting and interesting learning experiences to practice and enhance their learning. The centres are based on the philosophy of play-based learning.

Teachers have a clear learning focus and students are expected to use their creativity to explore a wide range of ideas and interests and are given the time to think deeply about their learning.



GEPSTARS!

GEPS celebrate the success of ALL students

Students can be awarded a GEPSTAR anytime throughout the school day when they show they are being proud, courageous, or respectful. Make sure to keep all the awards safe... collect more and hand them in to receive certificates!

Each week, students will be focusing on a different skill, behaviour or action that will support them in being proud, courageous and respectful students.



'Proud' Padma



'Courageous' Caleb



'Respectful' Rabi

Uniforms

A school uniform teaches students to dress smartly and take pride in their appearance. At GEPS, we expect children to wear their uniform each day.

Our school uniform includes the following:



Girl



or

Boy





STAGE 1

Term 1
Weeks 2 - 5

'THE LOOP'



Numeracy

- Recognise, name and write numbers correctly
- Represent numbers in a variety of ways
- Use number knowledge to identify and describe number bonds e.g. $4 + 6 = 10$
- Count forwards and backwards by 1s and 10s

K-2 FOCUSES

- Efficient transitions between activities
- Learning routines and practising school expectations
- Developing friendships and forming positive relationships
- Revising learning and using feedback

Other KLAS

- Tabloid sports - students will participate in a variety of group games every Friday with stage 1 teachers
- PB4L - Students will be participating in lessons about our school expectations.
- CAPA - students will create a range of art works focused on them.

Literacy

- Read independently for 10 - 20 minutes
- Participate in class and group discussions
- Ask and answer questions about a story they have listened too
- Write a complete sentence on a given topic that includes a capital letter and a full stop
- Identify sight words and use strategies to sound them out
- Spell known high frequency words correctly
- For letters correctly and legibly

**LEARNING
is MY
SUPERPOWER!**



AT GEPS, WE ARE...

	Our Rights	Our Responsibilities
<p>‘Respectful’</p>  <p>Rabi</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be valued as an individual. • To learn without being judged • To feel safe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To treat people with respect and dignity. • To be fair, considerate and accepting of others. • Keep myself safe and care for others.
<p>‘Proud’</p>  <p>Padma</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To feel that GEPS is my school. • To be supported and given opportunities to achieve my goals. • To feel confident and happy about my learning. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To act appropriately within and outside of school. • Strive towards achieving my goals. • To recognise my own and others achievements.
<p>‘Courageous’</p>  <p>Caleb</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To learn in an encouraging, peaceful environment. • To be challenged in my learning. • To stand up for what I believe in. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To behave in a way that makes others feel safe. To persevere when things get tough. • Lift others up when they are down.

