

TERM FOUR 2021 - YEAR 6 NEWSLETTER

The final term for our Graduating Class of 2021!



Dear Parents,

Welcome to Term Four. Not too long until we are back on site! We congratulate the students and parents for their hard work, resilience and attitude during Remote Learning so far and we look forward to being back on site for the student's final term of primary school. Last week we were lucky enough to speak to eight past St James students who shared with us some of their experiences from starting secondary school. They shared many tips and tricks which will assist our Year Sixes with their transition to Year 7.

We endeavour to make this term memorable for all students. We will be creating our Memory Books and participating in many activities that are unique to Year 6. As a team, we have had lots of discussions around graduation and the special events that occur in Year 6 and we will communicate more information about this throughout the term. Whilst we have to abide by the government regulations, we will do everything in our power to make every experience as positive as possible. Unfortunately, we cannot plan too far ahead at this stage. Dates will be sent out as they are known and we appreciate your flexibility.

We are all looking forward to an exciting and jam-packed term!!!

Remote Learning Expectations

During Remote Learning students are reminded to

- Complete all set tasks
- Join all class meets
- Join all focus groups
- Keep their cameras on where possible
- Share their thoughts, ideas and learnings
- Use the chat box appropriately
- Email their teachers if they need help or are unable to attend

Here is a brief outline of our planned curriculum for this term:

Specialist Classes Term 4

	Auslan	P.E	STEMMS	Performing Arts - Drama
6B	Thurs	Wed	Tues	Tues
6C	Tues	Wed	Tues	Tues

CURRICULUM OVERVIEWS:

ENGLISH <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Reading: Comparing similarities and differences in texts, Vocabulary, Goals● Writing: Biographies, Information Reports, Poetry● Speaking and Listening: Debates, Participate in and contribute to class discussions, clarifying and interrogating ideas, sharing and evaluating information	MATHS <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Patterns and Algebra● Angles● Timetables● Mass● Decimals● Transformations● Revision
INQUIRY <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Design and Technology● Transition to secondary school	RELIGION <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Faiths around the World● Advent

KEY TERM DATES FOR YEAR 6:

Monday 1st November- Pupil Free Day (Assessment and Reporting for Staff)

Tuesday 2nd November- Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Monday 13th December - Graduation Evening

Tuesday 14th December - Yr 6 Hosting 'Moving On' Prayer Service

Tuesday 14th December- Last Day of School for Students

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Thank you all for your continued support and assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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