



GRADE 6 CLASS NEWSLETTER

TERM 2, 2026

FROM THE TEACHERS

☀️ Welcome to Term 2! ☀️

We hope you all enjoyed a restful and joyful Easter break. It's wonderful to welcome everyone back for what promises to be a busy and exciting term ahead!

Supporting Learning at Home

We encourage you to help your child build strong learning habits and organisational skills by supporting them with their weekly homework:

Reading:

- At least 15 minutes, 2–3 times per week. Please record this in the diary and include a parent signature.
- Students will share their reading with their classroom teacher each Friday.

Multiplication Facts: Students should practise regularly by saying, writing, and playing games to master all facts up to the 12 times tables.

Hyperlinks that can support this: (repeat)

Number Hive - <https://play.numberhive.org/lobby>

All Free Math Games - Multiplication.com - <https://www.multiplication.com/games/multiplication-games>

Free Math Games - <https://www.softschools.com/math/games/>

Multiplication Worksheets - <https://www.dadsworksheets.com/worksheets/multiplication.html>

Maths Zone - <https://mathszone.co.uk/category/number-facts-x%C3%B7/>

Diary: Please remember to sign your child's diary each week to acknowledge completed homework.

Sport Days Reminder: Students are to wear their **sport uniform only on their allocated Grade 6 sport day:**

- **Thursday (Weeks 1–4)**
- **Friday (Weeks 5–10)**

On all other days, full school uniform is required. We also encourage students to develop independence by taking responsibility for changing after school when needed.

We have a very full term, **please note the important dates below.**

Thank you for your continued support.

OUR TERM 2 LEARNING INTENTIONS

Religious Education

- We are learning to understand the story of "The Risen Christ and explore how Jesus' followers responded to his death and resurrection

English

- We are learning to apply reading strategies whilst reading a class novel (*The Silver Donkey, Us Mob Walawurru and Free Diving*).
- We are learning to write and edit a fable using agreed criteria and exploring editing choices, and present it to our targeted audience.
- We are learning to describe characteristics of literary texts that define an author's individual style.

Mathematics

- We are learning to investigate the value of fractions and compare them by converting to equivalent fractions with common denominators.
- We are learning the base ten place value system can be extended to decimals (tenths, hundredths and thousandths)
- We are learning to add and subtract decimal numbers.
- We are learning that theoretical probability can be calculated, placed on a numerical scale and compared to actual outcomes of chance experiments.
- We are learning formal units of time and comparing events based on their duration.

Humanities






- We are learning about the 'Spread of the European Empires' and 'Federation' looking at the cause and effects of the events over time.

Sincerely
 Kate, Mel, Trent & Olivia

IMPORTANT DATES – Term 2 2026

- Monday 20th April – School Closure Day
- Tuesday 21st April – First day back for students
- Friday 1st May – Read More in May Challenge begins
- Friday 1st May – Senior 6 CMC Discovery Day
- Friday 8th May – Mass for Mothers (9:15am)
- Thursday May 21st – St Therese’s Athletics Carnival
- Friday May 22nd – SSV Division Cross Country
- Sunday 24th May – Pentecost
- Tuesday 26th May – National Sorry Day
- Wednesday 27th May – National Simultaneous Story Time
- Thursday 28th May – School Closure Day
- Friday 29th May – Read More in May Challenge ends
- Friday 5th June – School Closure Day
- Monday 8th June – King's Birthday Public Holiday
- Thursday 11th June – Feast of the Sacred Heart Mass
- Monday 15th - Friday 19th June – Dental Van onsite
- Friday 26th June – Last day of Term 2 (2:30pm finish)

SPECIALIST DAYS

 <p>The Arts</p>	<p>Tuesday 6TMW</p> <p>Wednesday 6OMA & 6KBO</p>
 <p>Indonesian</p>	<p>Tuesday 6OMA</p> <p>Wednesday 6TMW & 6KBO</p>
 <p>Physical Education</p>	<p>Monday & Thursday Week 1-4 Friday Week 5-10</p>
 <p>Library</p>	<p>Monday</p>
 <p>Science</p>	<p>Tuesday 6KBO</p> <p>Wednesday 6TMW & 6OMA</p>

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