

Welcome back for Term 3

This promises to be another jam packed term with Parent-Teacher interviews, NAIDOC Week, Biodiversity Week, Book Fair/Book Week and finalising of transition to year 7.

Transition to High School

You will be informed in writing of initial placement offers by us on Wednesday 4th August.

Sport Training

Term Three sports are Basketball, Softball, Rugby, Lacrosse, Hockey and Badminton.

Reading

This term will be focussed on reading and understanding non-fiction texts with particular emphasis on:

- Choosing quality and reliable literature while Skimming, Scanning and Note-taking
Identifying key ideas and supporting details
- Summarising and Synthesizing new information
- Identifying the language features and devices authors use to clearly explain phenomena and outline processes.

Writing

Writing lessons this term will cover explanation texts. The children will be taught the structure and language features of clear and detailed explanations and will follow the process of *researching a topic, planning, drafting, revising, editing and publishing*

The writer's workshop will include lessons on:

- crafting engaging introductions which define the topic to be elaborated upon
- outlining a logical sequence of paragraphs which fully describe the process and make cause and effect relationships explicit
- including visual literacies, examples, adjectives and details so that the reader is clear what happens at each step

Maths

Topics covered this term will include:

Fractions, decimals and percentages

Angles, Area and Perimeter

Using efficient mental and written strategies for the four operations with particular focus on multiplication and division

More Important Dates:

Term Three Monday 12th Jan to Friday 17th September

- Reports live 16th July
- Parent teacher interviews Monday 19th July (students finish at 1:30pm) Tuesday 20th July.

Specialist times:

6A Mark Galletti	6B Amanda Spinks-Cooper	6C Brad Morgan/Tim
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Mondays 11:20-12:20 - PE● Tuesdays 12:20 – 1:20● Performing Arts● Wednesdays 10:50 – 11:50 Japanese	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Mon 11:20-12:20 - Japanese● Tuesday 2:00-3:00 - Performing Arts● Wednesday P.E 8:50 – 9:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Mondays 11:20- 1:20 - Performing Arts● Wednesday 8:50-9:50 - Japanese● Thursday 12:20-1:20 - PE