



Term Four Newsletter

Stage One 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Term Four. The year certainly has flown. We hope that all students had a great break and are feeling refreshed. We have a really fun term planned for Stage One and there are lots of exciting events happening across the school.

Some dates for Term Four:

Week 4 – Wednesday 2nd November. Yr 6 Mini Fete – This will be an exciting fundraising event with plenty of fun activities for students to participate in.

Week 5 - Thursday 10th November - NLPS Science Expo - This is an optional activity that students can participate in. The showcase will be held in Week 5, more information will be sent via SchoolZine.

Week 9 – Monday 5th December. Year 2 Recorder Concert. 2.30pm in the hall. Additional information will be sent out closer to the date.

Thursday 8th December - Presentation Day.

Week 10 - Friday 16th December - K-2 Fun Day Activities - This year K-2 students will be involved in lots of fun activities at school. We will send out more information later in the term.

CURRICULUM

Here is a brief overview of topics students will cover this term.

English -

- Reading - with a focus on phonics and decodable readers. Please ensure your child is continuing to read at home and bringing in their log book for recognition.
- Comprehension strategies - understanding what we read
- Writing – continuing with recounts and learning about narratives, with a focus on quality sentences.
- Speaking and Listening – News (information will be sent home from class teachers).

Mathematics -

- Number – continuing to improve number sense and problem solving
- Measurement, Geometry and Data
- PDH - Healthy Safe and Active Lifestyles.

- PE – Students will be involved in various sports that involve teams and focus on development of specific sport skills inc netball, soccer, eagle tag and cricket.
- Science – Earth and Space - Students will investigate observable changes that occur in the sky and on the land.
- Geography - Features of Places - Students will explore how spaces can be used for different purposes.
- Creative Arts – music, abstract art and art in literature

MANDARIN -

Unfortunately Mrs Chen will not be returning to teach this term due to poor health. We are wishing her a speedy recovery and hope that she will be back next year to continue teaching our Mandarin lessons. This term students will be involved in sport lessons focusing on developing skills needed for team sports such as throwing, catching and kicking.

TERM 4 SPORT

All children will continue to wear their sports uniform, with joggers, on Fridays. Please ensure that students apply sunscreen before school and bring their hats and a water bottle as the weather is beginning to warm up.

HATS

Hats are worn whenever the children are outside. Please note that without a hat, your child will need to spend recess and lunch times under the shade structures and this restricts their much-needed play time. Please ensure your child brings their hat each day and it has their name clearly labelled on it.

UNIFORM

This term all students will be wearing the summer uniform. Please ensure that your child wears the correct full school uniform each day. If your child is unable to wear the approved uniform items on the appropriate day, please send a note or speak to your class teacher.

Thank you for all your help and support, we look forward to a busy and productive Term Four.

Stage One Teachers