



Welcome back to Term 3!!

Term 3, week 2 - 27th July 2020

Reconciliation to us is not about celebrating once a year but about everyone working together all the time. Here is some of the work we have done since 2015 as a whole school.

We Are All In This Together



Made from 2015-2019

By the southern Elders Weaves Group and the Hackham West School community

Letter from Shannon



It was beautiful to see all of our students back for the beginning of Term 3. After a well-deserved break, our teachers were excited to see all of their children's smiling faces and have some fantastic new learning to share with them this term.

As a whole school, we are going to be focusing on a few issues which have shown they are impacting our community.

Classes will be learning about aspects of cyber safety and cyberbullying. Parents can help us with this by;

- 1. Having access to the social media your children use*
- 2. Respecting the age limits for social media and not letting your child access this prior (13 years old)*
- 3. Checking your children's safety settings and ensuring they are on private*
- 4. Checking what type of photos they are posting and if they are appropriate*
- 5. Not allowing them to "friend" people they do not know*
- 6. Supervising your children when they access the internet*

7. Encouraging them to discuss concerns and block unkind people

8. Making sure you NEVER share your private details or anyone else's private details

This term, there will be follow up with students and families if we are provided evidence of cyberbullying. If students are treating each other disrespectfully through this media, it will result in student suspensions or other consequences. As a community, we can support our children to treat each other with respect at all times.

This term, we will also be focusing on the ***respectful treatment of all community members***, which includes both children and adults. This will mean parent meetings and follow up with families for any inappropriate comments, such as;

- Racist comments
- Personal insults
- Family insults
- Verbal harassment
- Inappropriate language

Students will be working with their teachers to manage conflict in more appropriate ways, and we would value parent/caregiver support in making our school a positive place to spend our days.

We will also be focusing on encouraging school attendance, and there will be positive rewards for classes with 100% attendance for three or more days a week.

Positive attendance is;

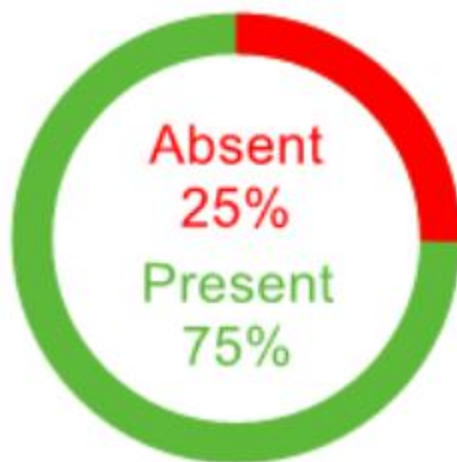
- Being at school by 9:00 am
- Staying all day
- Only having a day off if you are sick or have a special family event

I look forward to having a positive term and supporting our community to grow and learn together.

Shannon Little

Principal

ATTENDANCE



Previous Week

Attendance rate derived from student attendance data sourced from the school systems as at 22/07/2020

We highly value school attendance here at Hackham West. We love seeing our students develop confidence in their work as well as having the opportunity to grow everyday and helping them achieve their learning goals.

Please contact the school on 8382 0955 if you need any support with attendance.

Class Purlaityi

Learn how to say our Kurna name, *Pur - lah - chi*, this means number 2!

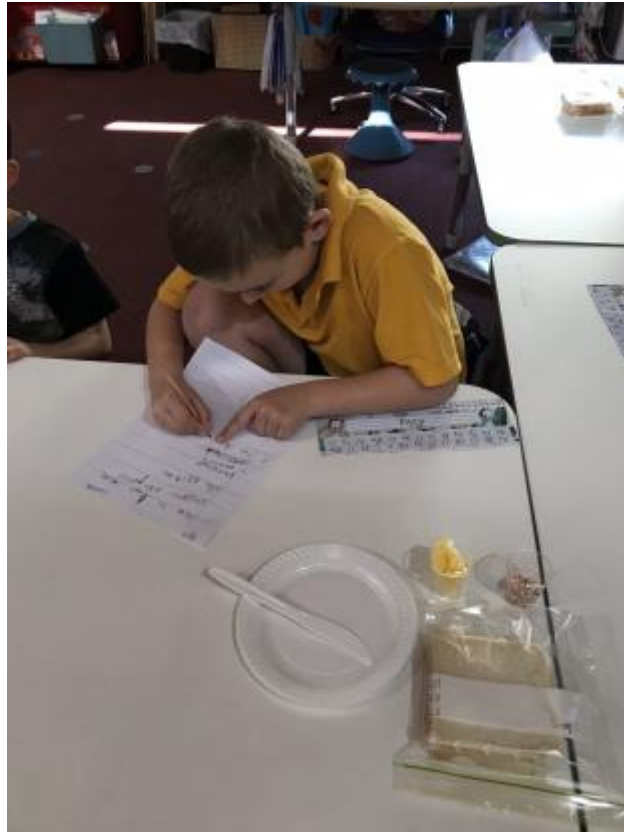


Purlaityi worked hard last term writing procedural texts, learning about the past and practising our communication and social skills .

This term we're looking forward to writing narrative stories, learning to tell the time and going on our first school camp to Narnu Farm!

Ms Wallace







Learning Club with Mrs Dalwood



Welcome back!

I will be starting Learning Club in week 3 on Tuesday the 4th of August, after school from 3-4pm.

Students who attended Term 1 and partial of Term 2 do not need to fill out any new forms but please let me know if there are any changes to student pick ups after Learning Club.

Please remember that Learning Club is only for students in year 2 and above, if any new parents are interested in having their child participate please ask for a Learning Club form at the front desk to fill.

Thanks,

Mrs Dalwood.

Library News



Please continue to help your children look after their Library books and ensure they are returned to school. If you are unable to find an overdue book or it is damaged, please see me and we can sort out the issue.

We are half way through the Premier's Reading Challenge!

The Library has a purpose-built display offering all categories of books for the challenge. This display is to help the students quickly find a book that qualifies for the challenge.



Reading a little bit each night will help our students finish the challenge and receive an award.

Lunch in the Library

Library play is a popular time with many students using the space to have fun and even enjoying a bit of learning. Activities include iPads, colouring in, arts & crafts and board games. It is great to see so many happy students engaging with each other and the different activities.

I am in the process of ordering some new books for the Library. I am always engaging with our students in an effort to ensure the Library is offering popular and appropriate content to help make it a useful space.

Thanks,

Mark

Southern Deadly Dancers



Neporendi is running a dance program to put a little more rhythm into your day. This *FREE* afterschool activity is for Indigenous and non-Indigenous kids. If you would like to take part please come the to the Small Hall after school on Wednesdays.

Time: 3.15-4.00pm

When: Starts 22nd July Where: Hackham West R-7 School

For more info call Priya on 0417812541



Term 3 Parents Planner



| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|----|---|--|---|--|-------------------------|
| 1 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Assembly 2:30pm |
| 2 | 27 | 28 | 29 Christies High School Principal's tour 3-4pm | 30 | 31 |
| 3 | 3 August | 4 Learning Club 3-4pm | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 4 | 10 | 11 Learning Club | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 5 | 17 Governing Council | 18 Learning Club | 19 | 20 | 21 Assembly 2:30pm |
| 6 | 24 Student free day | 25 Learning Club | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 7 | 31 | 1 September Learning Club | 2 | 3 Class Kuma Excursion | 4 Father's Day Stall |
| 8 | 7 Reading challenge finishes Governing Council | 8 Class Wangu excursion Learning Club | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 9 | 14 | 15 Learning Club | 16 | 17 Whole school Drama Country Event | 18 Assembly 2:30pm |
| 10 | 21 Student free day | 22 | 23 Narnu Farm Camp | 24 | 25 2 PM FINISH |



Updates from the Canteen Heroes!!



CANTEEN OPERATES MONDAY TO FRIDAY

LUNCH EATING TIME: 1.10pm

Lunch orders **MUST** be placed by 10am

EVERYDAY LUNCH OPTIONS \$5 and includes water bottle

Meat (chicken, ham or tuna) on a Roll

Wrap or Sandwich

Salad Bowl with Cheese and Crackers

Toasted Ham and Cheese Sandwiches

Sushi Rolls

Beef or Chicken Burger

Baked Potato with Toppings



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EVERYDAY SNACK OPTIONS CAN BE PURCHASED AT CANTEEN WINDOW

Homemade Mini Sausage Rolls

Pies & Pasties

Pizza Slices

Vegemite Scrolls

Biscuits

Milo Balls

Cupcakes

Fresh Fruit

NEW FRIDAY SPECIAL LUNCH MENU- \$6 INCLUDES WATER BOTTLE

WEEK 1 Butter Chicken

WEEK 2 Sheppard's Pie

WEEK 3 Curried Sausages

WEEK 4 Casserole & Rice

WEEK 5 Spaghetti

WEEK 6 Beef Nachos

WEEK 7 Chicken & Chips

WEEK 8 Mini Pizza

WEEK 9 Tacos

WEEK 10 Hotdogs

School Banking!!



School banking is BACK !! Every Friday please make sure you give banking to Danielle in the canteen and if you have any contacts to speak to Danielle.