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UPDATE #7 – FRIDAY 20 AUGUST 2021 - TERM 3, WEEK 6, 2021

SUPPORTING STUDENT LEARNING FROM HOME – FROM WEEK 7

Dear Parent/carers,

Thank you to everyone for continuing to work so hard and manage this situation. Next week is Book Week. Make sure you look out on your Google Classrooms for the many exciting and wonderful events throughout the week. A huge thank you to Mrs Westwood, Miss Smithies and Mr Jeffery in organising these initiatives. Week 8 (beginning 30 August) is our Wellbeing Week. During that week, we will have fun activities happening. The delivery of online learning will be in a different format to that we are presently using. We will provide further details in the newsletter next week and in another update that will be sent to all families next Friday. As these times are extremely stressful for many people focusing on wellbeing is tremendously important and we hope this week provides enjoyment, connection and engagement for our students, their families and our staff.

The school remains open for those students requiring it. This week we had between 2 to 16 students onsite each day. Please use the Google registration form to let us know what days your child/children are coming as this really assists us with ensuring we have the right number of staff on site. You can access Week 7's Google form [here](#).

LEARNING FROM HOME

Kindergarten and Stage 1 students collected their learning from home printed packs this week. These resources support our online learning program. Our programs for all stages will continue as they were last week, however, there are some timing changes as outlined below.

Timetable

7am -	Daily learning open on all Stages Google Classrooms
9am -	Daily Stage 2 Morning Explanation Zoom (approx. 15 - 30 minutes)
9.30am -	Daily Stage 3 Morning Explanation Zoom (approx. 15 - 30 minutes)
10am -	Stage 3 Zoom Check-ins (approx. 30 minutes) (2/week/class) (<i>Morning Explanation Zoom will be extended on this day</i>)
10 and 10.30am -	Kindergarten Zoom Sessions (approx. 15 – 30 minutes) (3/week/class)
10.30am -	Stage 2 Zoom Check-ins (approx. 15 – 30 minutes) (2/week/class)
12 and 12.30pm -	Stage 1 Zoom Sessions (approx. 15 – 30 minutes) (3/week/class)

Zoom sessions – Week 7

Please note that there may be a need to change these days if staffing requirements change onsite. We will endeavour to give as much notice as possible if this takes place.

** Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 students Check-in Zooms are completed as the whole class but the two smaller group explanation Zooms are spilt into Group 1 and Group 2. The link outlining which group and time will be sent to the students through the Google Classroom each morning.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Stage 3 – 10am (Morning Explanation Zoom starting at 9.30am will continue for longer on this day)	5/6S	5/6T 5/6J	5/6H	5/6T 5/6J 5/6S	5/6H
Kindy – 10am	Whole Class KT KB KM	Group 1 KO KM KT	Group 1 KB KO	Whole Class KO Group 1 KB KM KT	
Kindy – 10.30am		Group 2 KO KM KT	Group 2 KB KO	Group 2 KB KM KT	
Stage 2 – 10.30am	4R 4E	3F 3/4B	3/4B 3J	3F 4R	3J 4E
Stage 1 – Midday	Whole Class 1J 2S	Whole Class 1M 2J 1P Group 1 2S 1J	Group 1 2J 2S 1P 1/2C 1M	Group 1 1M 1/2C 1J 2J	Group 1 1P
Stage 1 – 12.30pm	Whole Class 1/2C	Group 2 2S 1J	Group 2 2J 2S 1P 1/2C 1M	Group 2 1M 1/2C 1J 2J	Group 2 1P

We continue to be so proud of our students, community and staff for how everyone is handling themselves. We would like to remind parents and carers that we understand these are stressful times and that students should not be getting upset by their school work. Please just do what you can and contact your classroom teacher through Google Classroom or the school email if there are any issues. We thank you all again for your patience, support and understanding.

Yours sincerely

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