



CHAPMAN VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter #2

11th March 2021

Every student, every classroom, every day

Our School Vision:

At Chapman Valley Primary School children are nurtured, educated and challenged in a safe and supportive learning environment. We 'Strive to Achieve'.

Dates to Remember

Thursday 25th March

NCVISA Swimming Carnival
Team representatives from
Senior class

12th March Ssh day @CV

19th March Ssh day @
Binnu

Monday 22nd March

3.30pm

School Board Training in
Library

Friday 26th March

Painting water tank day

Monday 29th March

Parent Meetings
1.40pm—3.50pm
P & C Meeting 4pm

Thursday 1st April

End of Term Assembly

Thursday 1st April

Happy Chappy Day

Last day of Term 1

Term 2

Tuesday 20th April

Students commence

Monday April 26th

Anzac Day holiday

SAVE THE DATE

Friday May 7th

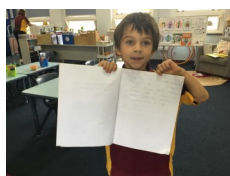
Mother's Day Morning Tea

Dear Parents and Community,

The term is certainly flying by, especially with such a short term. Our teachers have settled in with their students in class very quickly. Routines have been established and learning programs aimed at each student's needs and development. Our staff have used recent data from assessment to set goals and plan programmes. Being in class at times I can already see progress and achievements that are being made.

CURRICULUM

Our timetable has been developed to cover our major learning areas of English and Maths. Our English block is before recess for two hours which encompasses the elements of reading, writing, spelling, grammar, speaking and listening. The implementation of an Evidence Based Program of Initialit enables the teachers to cover all of these elements of the English Curriculum. The Initialit scope and sequence is based on research and enables our students to build upon learnt skills. It is a brilliant program. Our teachers are loving the program and can already see appropriate progress.



Our teachers have introduced **BUDDY READING** every morning as part of the English curriculum. Our aim is to gain fluency as well as build on our decoding skills. Buddy reading is proving to be a great success and is enabling all students to read independently at their own developmental level every day. During Buddy reading a senior room student listens and reads to a junior room student. Every student PP-3 is heard by an adult everyday. The teachers monitor the book the student is reading and when the student reads the book fluently they will change their book. We welcome any parents who would be able to come and listen to reading any morning.





School News

WATER TANK MURAL

We have been fortunate enough to gain a \$4600 grant from Midwest Port Authority. Jane Barndon, our local artist is working with our students to develop the design for the tank. We had an awesome workshop on Friday 26th February with Jane. Michael from Hopkinson painting is going to prep the tank for us ahead of the community painting workshop planned for Friday 26th March. We are so grateful to all involved, it is going to look amazing.



CHAPMAN CHATTER

As part of the English curriculum, in writing and Digital Technologies the Senior class are writing a weekly newspaper called the Chapman Chatter. It is a reflection on activities that the students are doing around the school and will occasionally be something they have done out of school. They are using the iPad or laptops to do the writing. They are learning to use a keyboard and the functions of word processing when producing a word document. They are writing using complex and simple sentences and are practicing their spelling and grammar for a real purpose. They even were able to produce an article for the Chapman Chatter using their iPad on the bus ride to Yuna for our SSH day last Friday, very impressive.



SMALL SCHOOLS HUB DAY—BIG OPPORTUNITIES

Last Friday we partnered with Yuna and Binnu Primary Schools for our first combined day. Seven staff members from the three school worked together to deliver curriculum and improve outcomes for our 41 students in Music, Health and Wellbeing and Physical Education. The students were grouped into 3 year level groups; 17 Pre-Primary, year ones and two students in one

group, 14 year three and four students and 10 year five and six students. We followed the timetable shown, giving all groups a 50 minute session in each learning area. The power of teaching and learning with similar year level cohorts is very beneficial and using this model we are able to improve student outcomes by having similar age students in each group. The students thoroughly enjoyed the experience, especially making new friends and working in big groups of same aged peers. The teachers all enjoyed teaching to similar age student groups and being in class was a pleasure. When small schools work together, amazing outcomes are achieved for our students.

Our students utilised the bus ride to complete their writing for the 'Chapman Chatter' and complete some independent reading. On the bus trip home, the students worked with their buddy to complete another writing task as a journal type entry ready for the newsletter. We all came home with a certain buzz about us having worked

with other students, making friends and participate in activities that we may not always get the opportunity to do.





Visit from Director Of Education

Last Wednesday we had a visit from Lisa Criddle who is the Director of Education for the Midwest. Mrs Criddle spent time in the classrooms where she was super impressed by the layout and presentation of the classrooms. Mrs Criddle watched our students participate in the morning buddy reading program and was amazed by the engagement of our students in this task. She watched the Junior class and Mrs Parker interact in the Initialit session. Our teachers are working very hard to plan, teach and continue to assess to deliver content appropriately. Mrs Criddle said we should be proud of our success and celebrate our achievements. Together we worked on some school improvements and plans for the future of our school. We have strong leaders in our school and we need to empower them to work in a partnership to continue to Strive to Achieve and make progress in our curriculum areas.



Parent Meetings

On Monday 29th March all parents are invited to come into the classroom for a parent/teacher meeting to discuss goals, plans and progress for each student. A timetable will be sent out next week and you will receive a electronic email invite.



Attendance

Attendance is vital for learning and success for all students.

Congratulations on attendance so far this term. For weeks 4-6 our attendance has been fantastic with 93.9%. Thank you to parents who have contacted the office when their child is absent.

SCHOOL BOARD TRAINING

Monday 22nd March in the school Library at 3.30pm. All welcome to learn about what our school board does and how we work together for the good of our students.

Presented by Mrs Julie Campbell, Principal at Champion Bay Senior High School

SAVE THE DATE Mothers' Day Morning Tea

*Presented by the Chapman Valley Primary School P&C the annual MDMT is on again.
Friday 7th May in the Hall.*





Timetables for Classes

Junior Room - Timetable – Term 1 - 2021

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		KINDY DAY		KINDY DAY	Ssh Day
8:30am	Classroom Open – Morning Routine – Water Bottle, Fruit, Wash Hands, Pencil Caddy, Home Reader				
8:40 TO 8:55	Buddy Reading in Senior Room	Buddy Reading in Senior Room	Buddy Reading in Senior Room	Buddy Reading in Senior Room	
8:55 to 9:10	Morning Mat Session – Calendar, Daily Schedule, Classroom Jobs				
9:10 TO 10:50	ENGLISH InitialLit F InitialLit 1	ENGLISH InitialLit F InitialLit 1 KINDY English Program	ENGLISH InitialLit F InitialLit 1	ENGLISH InitialLit F InitialLit 1/writing task Storybook KINDY English Program	
	SB Lesson: Session 1	KINDY early recess at 10:35am	SB Lesson: Session 4	KINDY early recess at 10:35am	
RECESS 10:50 to 11:10					
11:10 TO 1:00	MATHS iMaths F iMaths 1	Journal Writing Handwriting	MATHS iMaths F iMaths 1	MATHS MONEY & TIME Mrs Patten	Ssh Day
	12:40 to 1:00 ENGLISH InitialLit SB Lesson: Session 2	MATHS iMaths F iMaths 1 KINDY Maths Program		SCIENCE Mrs Patten	
			KINDY early lunch at 12:45pm	HEALTH - 12:20 to 1:00pm	
LUNCH 1:00 to 1:40					
1:40 to 3:00	1:40 to 2:10 ENGLISH InitialLit SB Lesson: Session 3	1:40 to 2:30 DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGIES STEM	1:40 to 2:30 HASS GEOGRAPHY	ART – MUSIC Mrs Patten	Ssh Day
	2:10 to 3:00 VISUAL ARTS Mrs Elliot Lockhart	2:30 to 3:00 PHYSICAL EDUCATION with Senior Class	2:30 to 3:00 ENGLISH InitialLit SB Lesson: Getting Creative	LIBRARY Mrs Patten	
				BEARS CLUB 2:45pm Weeks 2, 4, 6, 8	
HOME TIME 3:00pm					

Senior Room - Timetable – Term 1 - 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:45-9:00	Morning Meeting/ Buddy Reading	Morning Meeting/ Buddy Reading	Morning Meeting/ Buddy Reading	Morning Meeting/ Buddy Reading	Ssh Day
09:00-09:50	Literacy Reading Groups	Literacy Spelling Grammar/ Comprehension	Literacy Reading Groups	Literacy Handwriting Spelling	Ssh Day
09:50-10:50	Literacy Spelling Writing	Literacy Writing Handwriting	Literacy Storybooks/ Vocabulary	Science (Mrs Patten)	Ssh Day
10:50-11:10	Recess				
11:10-12:00	Numeracy	Numeracy	Numeracy	Numeracy	Ssh Day
12:00-1:00	Art	12:30-1:00 Library	12:20-1:00 LOTE	12:30-1:00 BTN	Ssh Day
1:00-1:40	Lunch				
1:40-1:50	1:40-2:30 LOTE	USSR/ Sketchbooks	USSR/ Sketchbooks	USSR/ Sketchbooks	Ssh Day
1:50--3:00	2:30-3:00 Art	1:50 – 2:30 Health 2:30 – 3:00 Phys Ed	HASS	Technology BEARS Club 2, 4, 6, 8	Ssh Day

Key to Learning Areas

- USSR - Unsustained Silent Reading
- LOTE -Language Other Than English—Indonesian
- SB lesson- Storybook lesson
- STEM - Science Technology Engineering Maths
- BTN - Behind the News
- HASS - Humanities and Social Science
- Ssh - Small School Hub (Binnu, Yuna, CV)



SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

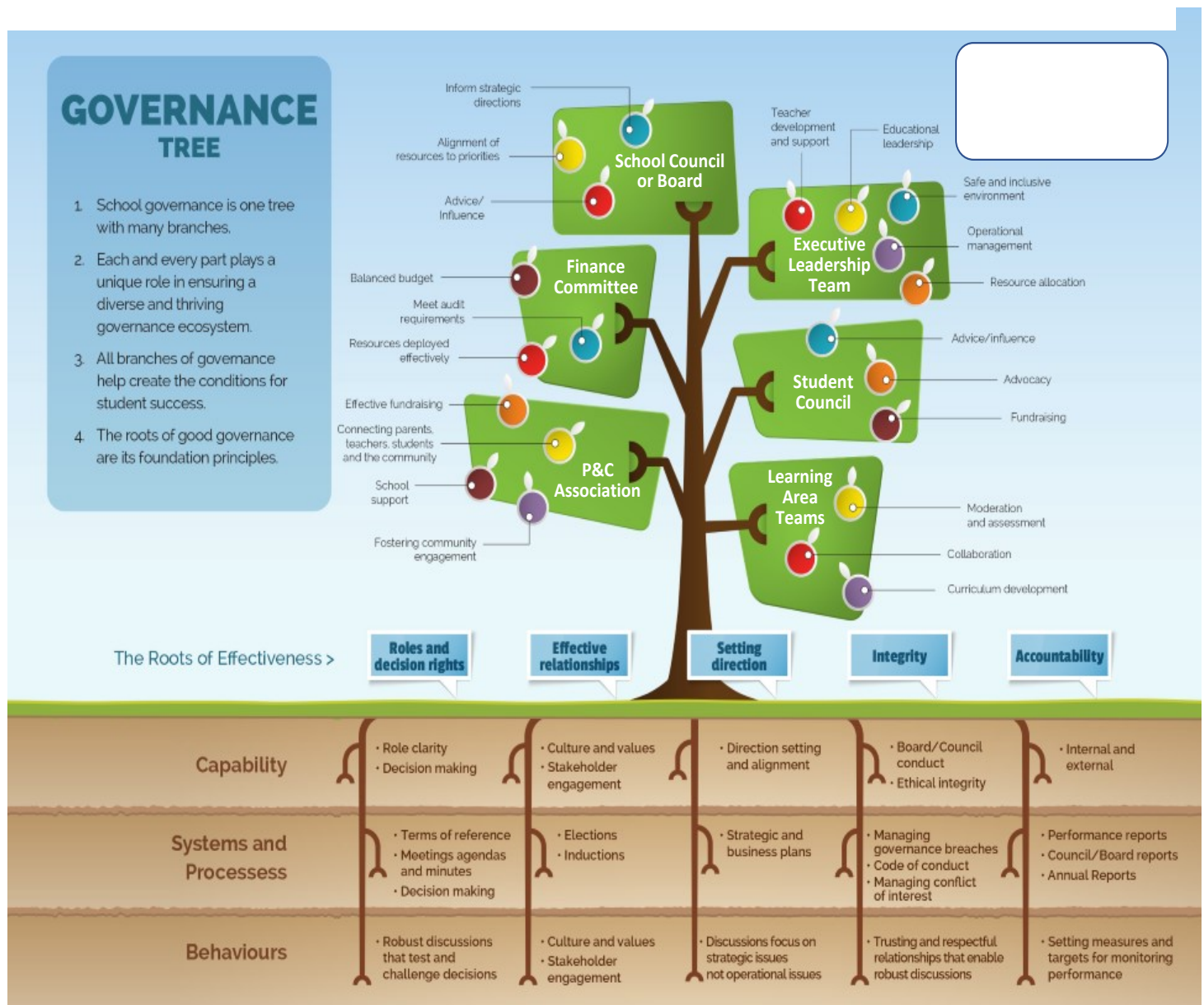
The board of a public school works with the school community to achieve the best outcomes for students.

It plays an important role in contributing to good school governance so that school resources are used efficiently, and community expectations and the school's priorities reflect the needs of students.

The functions of boards are covered by legislation and include both approval and advisory roles. Some of the matters boards may make decisions on include fees and charges, book lists, sponsorship and dress codes. Boards make these decisions with the principal and others who ensure the decisions adhere to legislative and policy requirements.

Principals may also seek the advice of boards to inform themselves before making management decisions. Board members have the right to understand the principals' decisions (except where they involve confidential information and decisions about people or families.)

The board does not intervene in the control or management of the school. This is the role of the principal.





Junior Room



It has been an extremely busy 6 weeks in the Junior Room we are full swing into our English and Maths programs as well as fitting in time for learning about Australia, digging for treasure, participating in mindfulness, finding green sheep not to mention looking after 'Kevin the Koala'. Every morning we visit the Senior Room for buddy reading, which builds an excellent foundation to our Literacy learning each day.



Senior Class Happenings



Literacy - In Literacy we have been focussing on Informative Texts and their features. We have read about Uluru, Kookaburras and other weird and wonderful animals.

Did you know that Uluru is 600 million years old!

Did you know that a Kookaburra's laugh is actually a warning to other birds that predators are present!

Did you know that a new species of the Peacock Spider has been found in Australia and is named the 'Sparkle Muffin'!

We are continuing to read with our buddies from the Junior Class in the mornings. This is a fantastic way to start the day and gives each student the opportunity to read and decode with an adult.

We have been focussing on and creating Sensational Stories by incorporating action and sizzling sentences using adjectives and punctuation to hook our readers in.

Mrs Symes

We also welcomed Mrs Symes into our class this week. Mrs Symes will be assisting us with our reading and Maths. It is lovely to have you join us ☺



Sport

This week we had our first whole school sport session.

I was so impressed with the sportsmanship displayed and the eagerness of students to learn new skills.



Numeracy +x

In Maths we have been focussing on mental computation, automaticity and Measurement. We have been measuring items in and around the class in metres, centimetres and millimetres and converting the answers to other units.





Around the Community

REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY AROUND THE SCHOOL

If you happen to see anything that looks suspicious around our school, please contact the Northampton

Police Station on 99347600 or

Jo Luxton on 0429 977 603.



Please ensure you take note of vehicle number plates and other details should we need to assist police with their enquiries.



Our School Creed

This is our school

Let peace dwell here

Let the rooms be full of contentment

Let Love abide here

Love of one another

Love of mankind, and

Love of Life itself

Let us remember

That as many hands build a house

So many hearts make a school

The Bluff Point DTC is closed until further notice. If you have an appointment, we will contact you to reschedule. In the case of emergency only, please contact the Allendale DTC 99214218 or the Rangeway DTC on 99214373.

Kind regards

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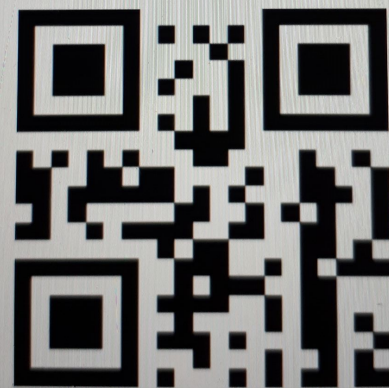
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Chaplain Chatter



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PETER'S CHAP CHAT #0221



LIVING THROUGH GRIEF AND LOSS

"When walking through the valley of death or discouragement don't stop and admire the scenery – KEEP WALKING!" Peter H

I've been reading some thoughts on grief by author Doug Manning and I would like to highlight the following dot points for you to consider and perhaps to spark further discussion...

- Grief is not an enemy to be avoided...it is a process to be followed.
- Grief is a 'cast' to shelter a broken heart until it heals.
- Grief is like peeling an onion...comes off one layer at a time and there is much crying....no two onions are alike...unique.
- "Will I survive?" ...cling to hope and learn to cope.
- A hole in your heart! It takes time to stitch around this hole. It will leave a scar but it will stop tearing.

I believe that grief should not be faced alone, it needs to be shared with someone to enable us to keep on walking through it. More next time...

I am onsite each alternate Wednesday.

Blessings,

Peter Hanrahan, Chapman Valley PS Chaplain

NORTHAMPTON JUNIOR NETBALLERS

*** Important Notice ***

SATURDAY NETBALL REGISTRATION

We are now calling for all junior netballers wishing to play in the Geraldton Saturday competition in term 2 & 3 to register their names by **FRIDAY 12th March 2021.**

Training - 4pm Friday @ Northampton Community Centre

Games—Saturday mornings at the Geraldton Netball Association Years 2-6 (numbers permitting)



COMMUNITY NEWS



For A Better Chapman Valley (FABCV) Incorporated would like to invite you to the inaugural **CHAPMAN VALLEY RAINMAKERS DANCE** for a night of fun, laughter and memories.

The idea was born from an overwhelmingly strong community desire to have a social event return to Chapman Valley and in the midst of declining mental health in rural communities and amongst the COVID blues we need, now, more than ever, networking and social events to bring a little bit of positivity back into our lives and what better way to do that than with a dance, a few beverages and a night out with some good mates!

Put it in your diaries and get purchasing your tickets, the date is set for **SATURDAY, 27TH MARCH 2021**. Let's celebrate the start of another growing season ahead. There will be a bar to purchase drinks from, live music from our very own local talent Johnny David and later on in the evening to C4 and lastly, we will be kept well fed by the crew at Burnt Barrell who will joins us with their famous smoker and doughnut wall! Eftpos will be available on the evening.

Tickets will be \$75 plus booking fee per adult and are on sale via Eventbrite, scan the QR code below to access tickets, get in quick as there will be limited tickets available. There will also be a buss leaving and returning to Geraldton on the evening as well. The dress code is very simple "dress as fancy as you wish" the only thing we do ask is that you leave your board shorts, thongs/ double pluggers, tank tops and stubbies at home.

Please accept this as your formal invitation for you, your friends, family, neighbours and colleagues to attend. For any queries please do not hesitate to email fabcv20@gmail.com or Megan on 0421 644 416. We cannot wait to see you there!

Leon Baker
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INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

2021



CHAPMAN VALLEY SHOW IT'S ON AGAIN....

CHAPMAN VALLEY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY INC 2021
MEETINGS ARE BACK ON...

WE WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME NEW FACES WHO HAVE
JUST MOVED INTO THE AREA TO HELP PUT ON ANOTHER
GREAT SHOW

THE CHAPMAN VALLEY SHOW SUPPORTS MANY LOCAL
SMALL/LARGE BUSINESSES, SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITY
GROUPS.

IT IS ONE OF THE LARGEST AGRICULTURAL SHOWS IN THE
MIDWEST AREA.

ALL AGES WELCOME - MONDAY 15TH MARCH 2021
6.30PM NANSON SHOWGROUNDS



TERM 1 CALENDAR 2021							
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6	March 8	March 9	March 10	March 11	March 12 Ssh day at Chapman Valley	Mar 13	Mar 14
7	March 15	March 16	March 17	March 18	March 19 Ssh day at Yuna	Mar 20	Mar 21
8	March 22 School Board Training 3.30pm in the Library	March 23	March 24	March 25 NCVISSA Swimming Senior Class.	March 26 Water Tank Mural Painting	Mar 27	Mar 28
9	March 29 Parent Meetings 1.40pm – 3.50pm P & C Meeting - 4pm	March 30	March 31	April 1 Happy Chappy Day Assembly – 2pm and Afternoon tea End of Term	April 2 Good Friday	Apr 3	April 4
holidays	April 5 Easter Monday	April 6 Holidays	April 7 Holidays	April 8 Holidays	April 9 Holidays	April 10	April 11
holidays	APRIL 12 Holidays	APRIL 13 Holidays	APRIL 14 Holidays	APRIL 15 Holidays	APRIL 16 Holidays	APRIL 17	APRIL 18



IGNITE A PASSION FOR THE GAME!

Northampton Auskick

2021

will run on Fridays 4pm till 4.45pm for 8 sessions

nrauskick@hotmail.com
Northampton Auskick Facebook page

play.afl/auskick

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NAB AFL Auskick is one of the best, first experiences kids aged 5-12 will have learning Australian Football.

In weekly sessions, Auskickers and their families will run, jump, kick, laugh and create their own special moments playing footy.

No matter their skill level, ability or knowledge of the game, Auskick is for everyone!

Registration is this simple!

1. **WWW.**
Visit play.afl
2. **Select 'Where to play'**
3. **Enter your suburb**
4. **REGISTER**
Find your local club and register!

play.afl/auskick

TERM 2 CALENDAR 2021							
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Week 1	April 19 Staff Development Day	April 20 Students commence	April 21	April 22	April 23	April 24	April 25 Anzac Day
2	April 26 Anzac Day holiday	April 27	April 28	April 29 Bears Club	April 30 Ssh Day	May 1	May 2
3	May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6	May 7 Mothers Day Morning Tea	May 8	May 9
4	May 10	May 11 NAPLAN	May 12 NAPLAN	May 13 NAPLAN BEARS CLUB	May 14 NAPLAN	May 15	May 16
5	May 17 NAPLAN	May 18	May 19	May 20	May 21 Ssh day	May 22	May 23
6	May 24	May 25	May 26	May 27 Bears Club	May 28 Ssh day	May 29	May 30
7	May 31	June 1	June 2	June 3	June 4 Ssh day	June 5	June 6
8	June 7 WA Day holiday	June 8	June 9	June 10 Bears Club	June 11 Ssh day	June 12	June 13
9	June 14	June 15	June 16	June 17	June 18 Winter Carnival	June 19	June 20
10	June 21	June 22	June 23	June 24 Bears Club	June 25	June 26	June 27
11	June 28	June 29	June 30	July 1	July 2 End of Term	July 3	July 4