

FOUNDATION

Area Newsletter

TERM 3, 2025

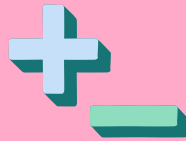
IMPORTANT DATES

25 July	100 Days of School Celebration
15 August	Assembly Performance
20 August	Book Week Parade
22 August	Bundoora Park Farm Excursion
29 August	Footy Day
4 September	Father's Day Stall
5 September	Bricks and Breakfast
19 September	House Spirit Day Last day of Term 3

MATHEMATICS

In Term 3, students will be working towards:

- recognising, naming, ordering and writing 2 digit numbers.
- counting collections of counters.
- skip counting by 2s, 5s and 10s.
- identifying 1 more/1 less and 10 more/10 less.
- solving addition and subtraction problems.
- explaining their thinking when problem solving.



READING

During Term 3, students will be learning to:

- identify most common letter sounds.
- blend consonant-vowel-consonant words.
- use reading strategies.
- understand different text types e.g. narratives.
- retells based on Story Champ prompts.
- answer literal and inferential questions about the texts.



WRITING



During writing, students will begin writing narratives. They are working towards:

- forming all upper and lower case letters correctly.
- understanding and using punctuation.
- using the Phonics Chart to spell words.
- writing interesting sentences.



INVESTIGATIONS

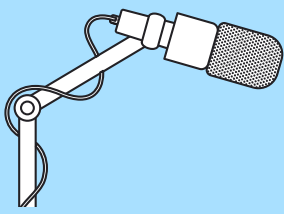


This term, students will be exploring the big question 'How am I a Scientist every day?'

Students will work collaboratively to:

- explore the 7 senses (taste, smell, sight, hearing, touch, balance and space) and how we use them every day.
- make observations and pose questions about the senses.
- use descriptive language to describe materials.





REMINDERS

SCHOOL UNIFORMS

During Term 3, students are required to wear the Winter School Uniform.

Our Dress Code Policy can be viewed [here](#).

Hats are not required during Term 3.

The Foundation students are required to wear their sports uniform and sport shoes on **THURSDAYS**.

Please make sure all uniforms are labelled with your child's name.

HEALTHY LUNCH EATING

Please make sure your child has a healthy lunch each day, which may include **one** treat. Students are not allowed to bring chocolates or lollies to school.

STRICTLY **NO NUTS** OR NUT PRODUCTS.

Students need to bring their water bottles filled with water only.



LIBRARY

Library borrowing day is **Tuesday**.



Please return the library book by Monday so your child is able to borrow again on Tuesday.

Students choose their library book based on their personal interest. Please read and enjoy their library book together.

WELCOME CLANCY

We are excited to welcome the new Foundation Teacher, Clancy. She will be taking over from Kelly once she goes on Family Leave.



LEARNING AT HOME

High Frequency Words

Golden Words , Red Words, Blue Words



Letter and Phonics Cards

Stage 1 , Stage 2 , Stage 3 , Stage 4



Reading Eggs (Login in Reading Diary)



Mangahigh (Login in Reading Diary)



Fine Motor Activities [Click Here](#)



CHILD HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Australian Early Development Census: [Click Here](#)

Dental Health: [Click Here](#)

Screen Time: [Click Here](#)

Bedtime: [Click Here](#)

Raising School Age Children: [Click Here](#)

ATTENDANCE XUNO

Students are expected to be at school every day unless they are unwell.

Please make sure you call the office or contact one of the Foundation Teachers on XUNO if your child is absent from school.

