

Grade 3/4 Newsletter

Term 4 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to Term 4, and welcome to all our new students! Please read all the important dates for this term as we have a lot happening in our last term of 2022. Can't believe the year is nearly over!

If you have any questions or comments, please send a message to your teacher via Class Dojo and they will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you.

From the 3/4 team,

Miss Neaves, Mrs Trumble, Miss Delany, Miss Ziebell and Mrs McNamee

Important Dates

Monday 17th – Wednesday 19th October – 3/4 Camp Anglesea

Friday 28th October – Halloween Dress Up & World Teacher's Day

Monday 31st October – Curriculum Day (Student Free)

Tuesday 1st November – Melbourne Cup Day (Student Free)

Wednesday 2nd – Friday 4th November – Whole School Swimming Program

Thursday 8th December – CPS Xmas Concert 6pm

Friday 16th December – Semester 2 Student Reports released via Compass

Tuesday 20th December – Last Day of Term 4 – early dismissal 1.30pm!

Literacy

In Literacy this term, the Grade 3 & 4's are exploring the author, Margaret Wild, and a variety of her books. The students are also writing a picture book inspired by the writing style Margaret Wild uses.

Numeracy

In Numeracy, the students are looking at topics of data, length, perimeter, area, angles and money. Throughout these units, students are working on explaining their thinking and building on their problem-solving skills such as draw a diagram, write a number sentence or work backwards.

Rotations

All Grade 3/4 students will complete Rotation activities with each of the 3/4 teachers. They will work on each area for 2 weeks, before moving onto a new subject. This term Miss Ziebell & Mrs McNamee will be exploring Indigenous studies, Miss Delany will be teaching Science, Mrs Trumble will teach Geography and Miss Neaves Civics and Citizenship.

Homework

In Term 4, students are encouraged to complete the following:

Maths – students will receive a weekly Maths homework sheet, focussing on quick recall of times tables facts or division facts. All children will benefit strongly from being able to recall multiplication and division facts up to 12 x 12 by the time they complete Grade 4.

Reading – students are expected to read every night and record it in the reading log inside their Reader Cover. Students are welcome to read books from the class Take Home Reader boxes, but they can also read and record other books. Students are encouraged to borrow books weekly from the school library which is regularly stocked with new and

Reminders

No Wrappers: We would like all students to bring minimal wrappers (preferably none!) to school every day and encourage you to send snacks and lunch in named containers.

SunSmart: It is school policy that a school –approved navy blue hat must be worn during play and sport activities in Term 1 & 4.

Tissues: Please bring in a tissue box for your classroom.

Thanks!



FITNESS CLUB

Fitness club is back this term every week from **8:25am – 8:45am**. It won't be Tuesday morning this term, but Mrs Leopold will let keep us updated! Fitness Club will be on the school oval and see how many laps you can run! Entry will be from Gate 2 or Gate 4 only.