



Dear Parents and Carers,

Wow! How fantastic! We achieved a high level of attendance with our students this week. It is so wonderful to see students back in classes.

Most students have settled back into our school routines and are again enjoying playing with friends and completing tasks. Some require support and where possible staff are working with these students to assist them to get settle back into school-home lifestyle. After all it has been a while since students experienced a 'normal' lifestyle due to the impact of Covid-19. You can help your children by discussing the positive things they did in school or class. Perhaps ask, 'What was the best thing you did at school today?', 'What did you do that made you feel proud?' and 'What was something interesting you learned today?' Getting children into a positive mindset is very important and a tremendous life skill to develop.

Thank You

Thank you all for your ongoing support during morning drop off and afternoon pickups. These are busy times and we all need to remain patient. Please remember to move off as quickly and safely as possible after drop off and pick up to ease traffic congestion.

Uniforms

Our students look fantastic in their uniforms, however in this cooler weather it is noticeable that an assortment of non-compliant clothing is being worn. We remind parents of our School Dress Code which requires students to be in school uniform or at least in school colours.

Uniform order forms/prices are available from the school website and you can contact our parent co-ordinator Tracey Day on 0403 314 429 to order.

Additional Play Space

We have been fortunate to be able to use sand from our new carpark area to fill land on Daly Circle. As the year progresses I hope to fence this area, reticulate it and eventually grass it. This will allow students to spread out and play a variety of games behind B Block.

The P&C remain highly supportive with our school projects and I thank them for their input.

Parent Appointments with Staff

Parents are able to book appointments with staff should they need to. If an appointment is required, please phone the school office on 9458 5542 and we will have the teacher call you to book a time. Parents attending appointments should come to the school office where they will be met by the staff member.

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Reports

This semester, Pre-Primary to year 6 reports will be sent electronically. **Please make sure you have an up to date email address on file.** With Covid-19 the reports will not show a grade for the learning areas however, there will still be a Maths, English and general comment. For those wishing to discuss their child's progress please phone the school to make a telephone appointment. Kindy will be sending home their work sample folder with a general comment.

We look forward to continuing to catch up with families in the weeks ahead.

Hans Geers, Principal

Tania Rennie, Tina Lawrence **Deputy Principals**



Honour Certificate Recipients

EC1	Farah A	
EC2	Asiyah A	
A1	Xander P	Dominque S
A2	Geoffrey Y	Hamoudi A
A3	Natasha J	Siang T
B5	Hooria P	Abby A
B6	Jay T	Habib M
C1	Ayah A	Lin-lui A
C2	Jaice A	Ricky K
C3	Freddy Z	Lilly P
C4	Arash K	Sandra S
C6	Alec P	Fizza Y
Science	Rain G	

TERM PLANNERS

Please find an updated copy of the Term 2 Planner with the Kindergarten days included. Due to the Covid-19 please be aware that the Term Planner is subject to change.

[Term 2, 2020 – Parent Planner](#)

HOME READERS

As some of our students are beginning to receive their certificate for 100 nights of home reading, this is a good time to remind all our students to keep reading every night. Remember there is a book prize for every student who reaches 200 nights of reading!

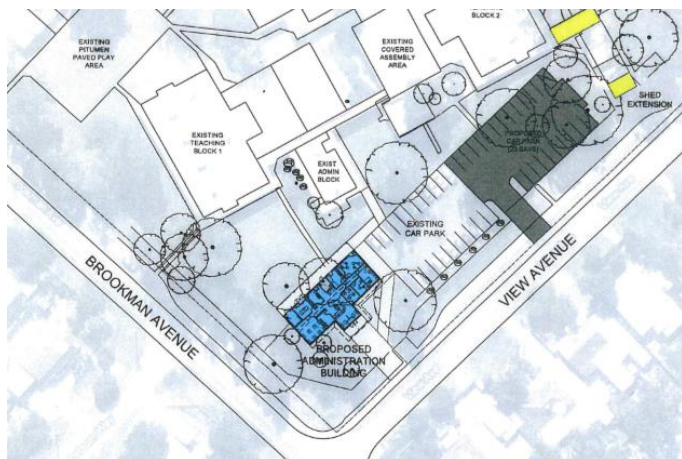
With so much of the world affected by the spread of coronavirus there have been many initiatives to keep stories in our children's daily routine. The initiative [#ReadtheWorld](#) from UNICEF has popular children's authors reading extracts from their books, online. This is a great place to find a story to share with your child and it can also be added to their home reading log! Follow this link to hear Australian author Ursula Dubosarsky read [The Terrible Plop](#)



Next week many of our classes will participate in National Simultaneous Story time at 9 o'clock on Wednesday, May 27th. This year the story *Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas* written and illustrated by Lucinda Gifford, will be read or viewed simultaneously in many libraries, playgroups and schools around Australia. Please ask your child to tell you about the story and find out why the chickens slept all day. We have copies of the story in the library so you may soon enjoy reading or listening to the story at home.

Tina Lawrence, Deputy Principal

PROPOSED SITE PLAN – NEW ADMIN AND CAR PARK



2021 KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS

**Applications for Kindy 2021 are now open
(Your child must be 4 years old by 30 June 2021)**

Please note that due to the current circumstances with COVID-19, it is requested that enrolments be sent via email to:

<mailto:Brookman.ps@education.wa.edu.au?subject=Application Form> or dropped into our letter box on Brookman Avenue.

Please follow the link below for our enrolment procedure and a list of supporting documentation required for completion of the application.

Be advised that we are unable to accept an incomplete application form without all the required documentation.

[KINDERGARTEN 2021 Application Form](#)

<http://brookmanps.wa.edu.au/parent-information/enrolments-applications/>

UNIFORM SHOP ACCESS



Due to the high demand in winter uniforms, **uniform orders can be placed over the phone.** Please contact Tracey on 0403 314 429 to place your order and arrange payment and pick up from the office. We ask you to be patient with this process whilst we adhere to Covid-19 restrictions.



Long sleeve shirts are available to purchase at \$10 each UNTIL THE 30TH May 2020, while stocks last. Get your phone orders in quick.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT FOR YOUR OWN SAFETY AND THE SAFETY OF OUR VOLUNTEERS THAT YOU ALWAYS MAINTAIN PHYSICAL DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES.

FLU IMMUNISATIONS

Influenza (flu) vaccine for children

WA primary school-aged children can receive the influenza vaccine for free - (Pre-primary to Year 6).

Influenza is a highly contagious disease. Children are at risk of serious health complications if they get influenza.

Where can you get immunised?

You can get immunisations from your:

- doctor
- local immunisation clinic
- Aboriginal community health services
- **Pharmacy 777 – Langford (children over 10 years)**