



**SUNBURY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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**1st February 2019**



**February**

30 <sup>th</sup> Jan – 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Foundation</b> - Testing Appointments
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Foundation</b> - students return to school
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Y3-6</b> - Swimming Trials (select students) <b>Y3-6</b> – House Swimming Carnival
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Y6</b> - House Spirit Leadership Workshop
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Y5/6</b> - Graffiti Incursion
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Foundation BBQ</b>
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Whole School</b> – Parent Meet & Greet (1.30pm dismissal / optional program)
Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Y3-6</b> - District Twilight Swimming (select students)
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Whole School</b> - Casual Clothes Day (gold coin)

**March 2019**

Fri 1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Whole School</b> – House Spirit Launch Day
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>PANCAKE DAY</b>
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Whole School</b> – SEDA Soccer Incursion
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup>	Labour Day Holiday
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup>	Curriculum Day
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Y3-6</b> - Athletics Carnival
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Regional Swimming Carnival (select students)
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	Whole School - Casual Clothes Day (gold coin) District Athletics Carnival (select students)

**April 2019**

Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Y3/4</b> – Arts Centre Excursion
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup>	End of Term – Early Dismissal 2.30pm



Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Start of Term 2
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	Anzac Day Holiday



**ASSEMBLY FRIDAY**  
will start at 2.45pm

**THE CANTEEN WILL BE CLOSED**



**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February**  
(no lunch orders or counter sales)

BBQ lunch, drinks and snacks will be available for purchase at the SWIMMING CARNIVAL



Welcome. What a fantastic start to the 2019 school year we have had. All the classrooms are settled and together the students and teachers have been setting the scene for the year ahead. Respect, Kindness and Responsibility, our school values, and our House Spirit Program, are the focus of each classroom's start up. All classrooms have started the year putting together a Classroom Mission Statement.

Grade 6 KW's mission statement reads:-

*In 6KW we come to school to do work and have fun!  
We want to grow our confidence and stay positive.  
In 6KW we want to make new friends and sustain our old friendships. School is a place where we can grow and learn for the future. As grade 6 students we want to be independent learners to be able to gain more knowledge.*

How we want to feel when we leave school for the day:

How we want to feel at the end of the day	What actions we need to achieve this
- Smarter	- Investigate new ideas - Pay attention - Ask questions - Take steps slowly
- Happy	- Have a good day - Stay out of drama - Stay away from people that don't make you happy - Surround yourself with people who do make you happy - Have a growth mindset
- Excited for another day	- Have a positive attitude - Make lessons fun and enjoyable - Have confidence - Be on the teacher's good side - Spend time with friends - Read a chapter book with suspense - Playing sport
- Tired after working hard	- Work hard in class
- Calm	- Ending the day with a fun activity - Staying out of fights/trouble at lunchtime - Not worry about what is going to happen the next day - Use essential oils - Have lots of sleep
- Understood	- Speaking out loud - Ask a question - Tell the teacher I'm not understood - Being positive



**31st January – 6th February  
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### Introducing our new staff

Our new Chaplain – Klara Kahne



Sunbury Heights is pleased to welcome our new school Chaplain. Klara's role in the school is to support students who may require assistance. More information on Klara's role will be sent home to families in the coming week.

Speech Pathologist – Leanne Conn



Introducing Leanne who will be working with us 2 days per week and will be assisting and supporting our ES staff and teachers to create and organise programs to assist our students.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome new staff members, Klara (Chaplain) and Leanne Conn (Speech pathologist) to the school and welcome back Nicole Fagan and Penny Wilson as classroom teachers. We also have lots of new families joining us this year, which has increased our enrolment numbers to **405**. Families who enrol have said they chose Sunbury Heights as they have been impressed by what they have heard about the schools programs and the care we show for the whole family. This is the best recommendation a school can have. A big thank you goes out to our families for ensuring their fees are covered for the year. This makes a huge difference to the opportunities we can provide for the students. Thank you to the parents who paid the voluntary contribution which goes towards our maintenance and lawn mowing. We appreciate family life is busy and working bees are often difficult to attend.

I look forward to catching up with all families at events that are being held during Term 1. If you would like to talk to me about anything prior to this please don't hesitate to catch up with me when you visit the school or make an appointment through the office if I am not available when you call in.

During Term 1 special events include;

Y3-6 Swimming Carnival, House Athletic Sports, Foundation BBQ and the Y1- 6 Meet and Greet.



## START DATES FOR TERM 1



**ON THE RISE PLAYGROUP- MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**TINY TOT'S PLAYGROUP – MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**0-5 BEEHIVE PLAYGROUP - FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**BREAKFAST CLUB (TUESDAY) – 5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**BREAKFAST CLUB (THURSDAY) – 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**WELCOME BACK TO ALL OUR FAMILIES FOR 2019**