

Dear Parents, Friends & Students,
How wonderful welcoming back all our children and staff last Tuesday. The excitement smiles and laughter as children caught up with their friends in the classroom and playground was contagious. Our students eagerly got back into their routines, completing their learning tasks and discussing their activities with their peers. We are promoting brain breaks and spending the afternoons on our art projects for the Art Show as we slowly get back to normal.

Covid Update

We are currently under Level 3 Restrictions, please see details above. If you have any questions, please contact the school.

Welcome Miss Wilson

I'm Bella and I'm very excited to be completing my final prac at Spring Hill, before I begin my teaching career in Brewarrina next year.

I've already had some great lessons with the students, drawing and painting some beautiful vibrant gerberas for the art show. In primary I am focusing on exposition writing, where we are learning all about how to convince people of our opinion and persuade using facts & evidence. (sorry parents!).

I'm so excited to be a part of the Spring Hill community for the next six weeks. Thank you to the teachers & students who have already welcomed me so warmly.

Level 3 Restrictions

- Parents must remain outside of school grounds and maintain social distancing, please wear a mask.
- Students must not attend work or school if unwell, even with mild symptoms of COVID-19. Any person with any COVID-19 symptoms must be sent home and not return to school unless:
 - they have isolated for 10 days, when no medical certificate is available
 - They have a negative test and symptom free



Term 4 Sport

Unfortunately, swimming will not be going ahead this term but students will be trying new sports on a Friday afternoon including Futsal, League Tag and Touch Football.

For those families who paid for swimming, Kerrie will be processing refunds in the coming few week.

Home Learning Survey

Thank you to those parents who completed the Home Learning Survey on Sentral. We really appreciate your feedback and honesty. The survey will be available for 1 more week.

End of Year Party

Due to restrictions we are unable to have an excursion off site, Sam has sent out an alert on Sentral explaining what we have planned. If you are happy or not happy with the plan please send Sam a private message on Sentral so she can begin organising the day.

Dates for your diary

22/10/21 Loud shirt day

29/10/21 Halloween/ Super Heroes

School Photos- TBA

We are hoping to have school photos in mid-November this term but again this will depend on advice from the DET. Please keep an eye out for details. As the weather will be warm students will need to be dressed in the following:

Girls:

Pinnafore

White collared polo shirt

Black school shoes

Pinnafores and white polo shirts are available from Lowes and Orange Clothing Company.

Boys:

Grey school shirt

White collared polo shirt

Black school shoes

Christmas Raffle

This term we will be having a Christmas raffle for our Term 4 fundraiser, raffle books will be going home next week, tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

We will be making up 3 hampers ranging in size, if you would like to donate items for the hampers that would be greatly appreciated.



Warmer Weather

Now that we are in term 4 all students are reminded to bring their school hats. It is now “no hat no play” season, students who do not bring a school hat will be playing in the shade. Don’t forget to pack water bottles especially on Fridays when we do sport.

Kindy Transition Day

Students in our transition program will be having 2 mornings in Miss Cornish’s classroom on Monday 29th November and Monday 6th December. This will give students the opportunity to see how the classroom will run next year, they will do a morning literacy session in the classroom and then go back to Miss Ruby for the rest of the day. If you have any questions please contact the school.

K,1 Miss Cornish

This term in Literacy we will be concentrating on Persuasive texts with students writing Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and then typing on Fridays. In Numeracy we will continue with our board books with this week’s concept of Addition & Subtraction, we are seeing some great results with our Maths Online Tasks.

On Friday students loved playing a game of Futsal on the tennis court, this Friday we are going to work on our throwing and catching so we can have a game of touch football.

4,5,6- Mrs Mac-

Primary students are learning about Exposition writing this week giving their opinion on why bananas are/are not the best fruit, last week students tried banana bread and fresh bananas with some very mixed reviews.

In Maths this week we are revisiting Addition and Subtraction with textbooks pages and Maths Online tasks.

We enjoyed a game of League tag last Friday with some amazing dives to grab tags!

Homework sheets have gone home, please make sure these are glued into homework books and parents are signing off on tasks completed.

Week 1 and 2



