



TPS Bulletin

Term 2 Week 3

13 May 2020

School is fully operational now, with most children back working on a normal learning program. Although parents continue to have the option of keeping their children home, we are encouraging a full return to school.

I am highly confident that the processes we have put in place to ensure that the school is safe will greatly reduce the opportunity for COVID-19, or even influenza to become a major issue in our school community.

It is very clear that the children have missed their friends and are enjoying playing together at recess and lunch. The most active part of the school to date is the playground which is washed down after each break. It has been particularly good to see the very young children mixing with the older children in physical games, and playing in the sandpit. The care shown by the older children is to be commended.

Unfortunately, we still have restrictions relating to non-departmental visitors onsite resulting in no parent meetings or attendance at assemblies. I continue to encourage parents to contact the school to discuss student progress or

other concerns with teachers by phoning the office to make an appointment.

We are working hard to ensure that the children experience a normal school routine so we have put in place as many of the standard activities as possible. There will be an assembly on the 18th June with the 5/6 class. If the current situation continues we will video the assembly and put it up on CONNECT.

This semester, teachers will be providing a modified report with no A-E grades. Due to the disruption to student learning, and the range of situations students have been placed in, it is not valid to provide achievement levels for learning subject areas.

As previously indicated, I will be assessing the whole school using a standardised assessment (InCAS) to provide current data in Literacy and Numeracy to compare our students with those across the state.

I look forward to times when we can open the school to parents and community, but until then, stay safe.

Marita Henry

Year 3 and 4 Procedure Fun



This term we have been looking at procedural texts, learning all about the purpose and the features of this text type.

We have followed many procedures and written many as well.



We have followed recipes to make banana and choc chip muffins and chocolate Milkshakes.



We followed instructions to make gas blow up a balloon and pirate hats out of newspaper.



The best part was eating the muffins and drinking our delicious milkshakes.

Student of the week

Chase - Congratulations

UPCOMING EVENTS.....

Friday 29th May - Staff Development Day,
NO STUDENTS

Monday 1 June - WA Day Public Holiday
No school

Thursday 18th June School Assembly 5/6's presenting
No parents/Carers

Friday 3rd July - Final Day Term 2

UNIFORMS

Please ensure students are coming to school with a jumper. The weather is starting to really cool off and some students are really feeling the cold in just a T-shirt. If you require any new uniform items, please call Mrs Bradley in the office to place an order or for an order form to be sent home via email or in your child's reading folder.