2B Class Newsletter

Term 3, 2025



Welcome to Term 3! It is hard to believe that your little ones are already halfway through their Year 2 journey. As always, we have a very busy term coming up with lots of exciting learning.

This term our **Flyer Goal** is 2000 green tickets for safety, 2000 green tickets for respect and 2000 green tickets for learning.

At Geebung, we have had a change to our bell times throughout the day. Please see details of these changes below. We are also playing first and then eating. Please take note of these changes in case you need to collect your child early.

In Term 3, our breaks will be:

First break play: 10.30 - 11.00 am First break eating: 11.00 - 11.15 am Second break play: 1.15 - 1.35Second break eating: 1.35 - 1.50

Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent teacher interviews will be held across Week 4. Look out for information in the school newsletter for how to book in your time.

Homework

Once again homework will be brought home by students on **Mondays** and is due to be handed in completed the following **Monday** morning (or earlier if already completed).

Assembly

Assemblies for Prep-2 will continue to be held on a fortnightly basis (even weeks).

REMINDERS

Brain Break

Students may bring a healthy snack every day for brain break.
Fruit and vegetables are accepted.

NO HAT NO PLAY

Students are required to bring their school hat every day.

Drink Bottles

Drink bottles are essential every day of the school year. Students are allowed to leave them in the classroom for easy access.

Bells

Children are to be lined up when the first bell goes at 8:50am. Parents are to wait in the eating area for collection at the end of the day.

Jumpers

Please ensure all jumpers and jackets are clearly named to avoid confusion about ownership and so they may be returned if misplaced or left in the classroom.



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Term Overview

English and HASS: This term students will be looking at differences between the past and present. We will be comparing toys, transport, home and school life. Students will complete a spoken presentation to express a preference for the past or present.

Mathematics: Students will use a range of strategies to participate in a math investigation involving simple multiplication and division situations. They will look at fractions and represent halves, quarters and eighths in a variety of ways. Students will have the opportunity to measure and compare length, capacity and weight and classify shapes based on their features.

Science: Students will investigate how to combine and join different materials. They will describe the changes made to materials when combining them and pose questions about their findings. Students will create an item that has a purpose in everyday life with a focus on combining different materials.

Design Technology: Students will explore the characteristics and properties of materials and components that are used to produce designed solutions. They will design and make a puppet with moving parts to use in a puppet show.

Special Dates for the Term

8th August – Rainbow Retreat
Day

13th August – Ekka Public Holiday

19th August – Book Week Parade 9:15am

4th September – Dad's Read 9-9:30am

5th September – Student Free Day

19th September – Last Day of Term 3

Recycled Materials

This term during our Science and Design units, students will be creating a variety of objects using recycled and found materials. It would be greatly appreciated if you have any recycled materials laying around at home if your child could please bring them in for us to use in class. For Science, any recycled objects made from plastic, fabric, aluminium foil, paper, or cardboard would be great.

For Design, our puppets will also be made from reused materials. We would greatly appreciate your donations of the following (used) items: long socks, buttons, ribbon, cardboard, plastic bottle tops, string, wool, or anything else your child would like to include on their puppet.

It would be wonderful if you could please start collecting these materials and I will let you know when we would like these brought into class.



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Weekly Routines

Monday	12:45-1:15 Music lesson 2:30-3:00 PE (Students will be dismissed from the oval)
Tuesday	10:00-10:30 Gross motor skills 2:15 even weeks Assembly in the hall
Wednesday	
Thursday	9:00-9:30 Health 9:30-10:00 Dance 10:00-10:30 Visual Arts
Friday	

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. I look forward to another wonderful term with 2B and working with you to help support your children.

Yours sincerely

Stacie Douglas

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