



Hesket Primary School - Newsletter

Term 1 – Week 5 1st March 2019

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Diary Dates

March

- Fri 1st – Whole school special lunch
- Tues 5th – Pancake Day
- Wed 6th – Preps attend full-time
- Wed 6th – Interschool Sport Day – Volleyball (Gr 4/5 Students)
- Thurs 7th – School photos
- Thurs 7th – F/1/2 Parents Literacy Afternoon Tea (3.45-4.30pm)
- Fri 8th – Curriculum day – Staff Professional Development
- Mon 11th – Labour Day public holiday
- Mon 18th – Halogen Leadership Conference Excursion (Yr 5 students)

April

- Fri 5th – Last day of Term One
- Tues 23rd – First day of Term Two

Term Two

- Swimming

2019 Term Dates

- Term Two – 23rd April – 28th June
- Term Three – 15th July – 20th September
- Term Four – 7th October – 20th December

From today, we are very lucky to have Suzanne Jordan join our team in a slightly different role, taking Art and Music on a Friday, after recess and then after lunch. For the morning session, she will be taking Grade Prep/1/2, releasing me to catch up on administrative tasks in the school.

With the Preps beginning full time, we will move to our new timetable:

- Monday – PE and MARC Van
- Tuesday – Science
- Wednesday – AUSLAN (fortnightly)
- Thursday – Sport
- Friday – Art and Music

Thank you to everyone who filled out last week's note – Getting Involved at Hesket. We are lucky to have many talented and supportive parents in our community. We've had parents volunteer to support ICT, Science, assist with landscaping, horticulture, instrumental music, cooking and website support, resource making and general classroom

support. Your involvement does have a positive impact on your child's learning and makes our school an even richer learning environment.

I'd also like to give an extra thank you to Elyse for once again giving up her time on a Friday to work in the canteen. The students get very excited about their special lunch orders and they only happen because of you!

As I sit and finish off today's newsletter I can hear Deb, Max and Tarryn busily preparing today's special lunch next door. We are a small school but there is always lots going on!

Students of the Week – Congratulations to Leo and Chase for being awarded this week's Students of the Week. Leo has been trying his best, persevering even when things gets tricky and Chase has been setting a wonderful example in the choices he is making in the yard. Well done to you both!



From the Art Room

Hesket has been all things dinosaurs of late, with a three week Art project culminating in a wonderful diorama on display in the main corridor. Nick and Deb have thoroughly enjoyed working with the students to create their masterpiece. If you haven't done so, make some time to pop in – if you look closely you might even see some eyelashes on one of our Pterodactyls!



Hesket students are respectful. Hesket students are responsible. Hesket students achieve their best.



Curriculum Day

Friday the 8th of March will be a curriculum day. No students will attend school on this day. On this day, staff will be in attendance, completing professional learning.

Swimming Program

Planning for our school's annual swimming program continues and is planned for the week commencing Monday 29th of April. The program will be held daily for the week at the Gisborne Aquatic Centre, and will be provided by qualified instructors. The cost of the program, including bus, pool entry and instructors, will be approximately \$90.00 per student. Permission notices will be sent home later this term.

School Photos

Please note March 7th in your diary for School Photos.