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The teaching and learning pedagogy at Cranbourne Primary School is developed on a
RECIPE (Relevant Engaging Challenging Innovative Personalized Enjoyable)
based curriculum that supports the members of the school community to develop intrinsic
PRIDE (Persistence Responsibility Independence Discipline Enthusiasm) *in their learning.*

CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS



Friday March 27th

Bandage day

Mrs Pocock's last day

LAST DAY OF TERM 1
School finishes at 3.15

Monday 13th April

START OF TERM 2

Friday April 24th

School Photographs

Thursday May 7th

Final day for senior
camp payments.

Wednesday May 20th

Senior Camp

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

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25th March 2015

Thank you to the staff, parents and friends who attended the 3/4 camp this week - without this support and commitment our students would not have this wonderful experience.

Other **extra curriculum** activities offered this term were; science incursion, I sea I care ambassador program, student leadership program, Science program (3-6), multicultural day.

Next term we will be offering dance, excursion to the shrine for Anzac commemorations (seniors) and camp (seniors).

We would like to wish all our families a safe holiday period and to all families who celebrate - Happy Easter.

Please be reminded that our **newsletter is going on line** as of next term - the newsletter will not be printed.

Families who have registered, will receive the newsletter via e-mail. If you have not yet registered your e-mail address, please go to the website to register.

Please check the back page of this newsletter to keep informed.



Cheryl Van Deursen
Principal

House Points

1st Bakewell

2nd Russell

3rd Cameron

4th Childers

Quote of the Week

Happy Easter

BIRTHDAYS

25th March 14th April
Happy Birthday to
those students who
celebrate their
birthday this week.



Monty M
Fariba N
Joel M
Layla K
Riley B
Chelsea H
Brianna B
Zachary H
Sophie S
James L
Celeste T
Kaitlyn M
Damatson T F
Raymon G

Stars of the Week

*These students are developing intrinsic **PRIDE***

(**P**ersistence, **R**esponsibility, **I**ndependence,
Discipline, **E**nthusiasm) *in their learning.'*

Learning community	Student
FOUNDATION	Dhiyana M.
	Leo S.
JUNIOR	Tahlia P.
	Nikil P.
	Emma F.
MIDDLE	Ishnoor S.
	Jasper R.
	Sarah P.
SENIOR	Hailey M
	James. L
	Niraj. P
Art	
Physical Ed	Connor C.(SMD)
Ass't Principal	Dylan R (JCM)
Principal	Axle (JBA)

FROM THE OFFICE

Head lice are a continuing concern for parents and teachers alike. There have been a number of cases of head lice reported to the school across all year levels. Please take advantage of the school holidays to check your child's hair and treat if necessary.

CURRICULUM

"Holiday Homework"

The holidays are almost here!!! This is a great opportunity for families to spend time together, relax and recharge ready for term 2!

Students at CPS are not given formal homework tasks over term holiday breaks. They may be asked to do some research ready for next term's Unit of Investigation, and of course ALL students should continue reading at home over the break.

The most important homework activities that you can do with your child over the holiday break are:

- **PLAY!** – and not just on electronic devices.
- Talk
- Read
- Do things together that promote co-operation, responsibility, conversation, family time -
 - shopping
 - gardening
 - visiting
 - day trips

Students will not be bringing Take Home Books home from school for the term holiday. However, students are expected to practise their reading – by reading books and material at home, such as catalogues, magazines, signs, packaging, etc during daily holiday activities.

I wish you all a safe and relaxing holiday and I look forward to hearing all about your holiday adventures next term. (Term 2 begins Monday 13th April)

Di Fernand
Assistant Principal

Foundation Learning Community

Multicultural Day

The foundation students embraced the day and compiled some amazing costumes that represented their cultural backgrounds. The whole learning community was buzzing with excitement as they talked to each other about their clothing and the interesting activities that they would be involved in during the days proceedings.



The students were immersed in a range of activities celebrating different cultures from around the world. In the foundation learning community the students made origami bunnies and decorative paper fans. The preps loved working together with students from all ages. This interaction made the activity more enjoyable and fun for everyone.

To finish the day the whole school was involved in a fashion parade. This gave the students the opportunity to show off their wonderful costumes and see how multicultural our school really is. The parade ended with awards given out to the best dressed boy and girl from each learning community as well as some dancing. Overall a great day was had by all who participated.



Next term, we will no longer be printing out and distributing newsletters to our youngest students.

We ask that all families visit our website at

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and subscribe to the newsletter which will then be sent to you electronically. The link is on the home page and the process only takes a minute or two.

JSC NEWS



By supporting community charities we are encouraging our students to:

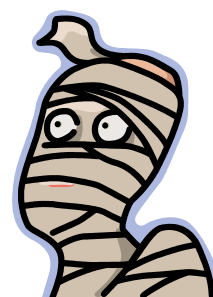
- recognise people who need extra help and support
- appreciate there are people less fortunate than themselves
 - demonstrate empathy towards others
 - develop a positive community spirit
- understand they can do something to help others



This year we are supporting the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal by having
a



***“Bandage Day”
to be held on
FRIDAY March 27th***



Children can bring a gold coin donation and ‘wear a bandage’

This can be a band aid (or several!), a sling, bandage, etc – be creative!!

This is not a ‘free dress day’ – school uniform must be worn with your bandages!

All proceeds raised will go to the RCH appeal, so tune in to the Good Friday Appeal telethon to see our school acknowledged.