
NEWSLETTER

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PRINCIPAL REPORT.

Dear North families,

Welcome back to the year that promises to be very busy and full of interesting activities.

We're one week into online learning and after the first few days we are really impressed and proud with all our students' engagement with learning online – both at school and at home. We know it's particularly hard to keep the concentration going at home when there are other distractions but our students are mostly giving it a red hot go!

It's also terrific the messages going back and forward between teachers and parents and carers. It's really good communication. So if it's not working for you at home, please contact your teacher to see if we can help from school.

Our School Values; We have four Values based around the word CARE- Cooperation, Achievement, Respect and Encouragement, and each term we're focussing on a different value.

You'd think we'd start with Cooperation! But we thought, with the online learning restrictions, we're going to start with **Achievement**, because then we can celebrate all the good learning and checking in that our students at home and at school are sticking too during these difficult learning times. That's a good first Achievement!



Upcoming Events

For more events see planner

14th February

Back to School

10th March

Sports Day

Reading is
our School
Priority

Every child attending
North School is
expected to read
aloud to an adult
every day.



More important information

Each day teachers are picking a few students who are trying hard to get on with their learning online and we'll publish their names on Facebook.

The new Receptions

A big congratulations to our new Reception parents. We are really impressed with the school readiness of these youngsters so thank you for your preparation of your children. They have had a great start to the year.

Acquaintance Night

We had the Acquaintance Night planned but for obvious reasons have put it on hold. We're keen to get events going for our school community so please be patient with us! We hope we can open up soon.

Refurbishment plans

We had some long overdue refurbishment of some classrooms and the old OSHC House over the holidays. New walls, ceilings and wiring completed. Thanks Darcy Chandler and his team for doing such a great job so quickly.

Next step is to wait until the April School holidays so we can have everyone off site for asbestos removal. Then the refurbishment of the old building behind the canteen can begin.

Hopefully not too disruptive and it will look amazing when finished.

And finally, thank you for all your help with the Covid Rules. We've had a calm start so far and we're looking forward to it continuing into a focussed learning year.

James Parkin
Principal

Murray Bridge North School



Notes From North

School Times

Please be reminded that school is unsupervised before 8:30am. We ask that students do not arrive before this time.

Head Lice

Please remember to check your child's hair for headlice and treat them before sending them to school.

UNIFORM


Just a reminder of our school uniform policy. All students need to be in school uniform. Lost property is located in the bins near the library. Please name all items.

School Zones

Reminder It's 25km/h when children are present



MBNS Term 1 Planner

WEEK	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
1	31/1 Online Learning	1/2 Online Learning	2/2 Online Learning	3/2 Online Learning	4/2 Online Learning	5/2-6/2
2	7/2 Online Learning	8/2 Online Learning	9/2 Online Learning	10/2 Online Learning	11/2 Online Learning	12/2-13/2
3	14/2 Back to School Valentine's Day	15/2	16/2	17/2	18/2	19/2-20/2
4	21/2	22/2	23/2	24/2	25/2	26/2-27/2
5	28/2	1/3	2/3	3/3	4/3	5/3-6/3
6	7/3	8/3	9/3	10/3 Sports Day	11/3 Student Free Day	12/3-13/3
7	14/3 Adelaide Cup Day	15/3	16/3	17/3	18/3 	19/3-20/3
8	21/3	22/3	23/3	24/3	25/3	26/3-27/3
9	28/3	29/3	30/3	31/3	1/4	2/4-3/4
10	4/4	5/4	6/4	7/4	8/4	9/4-10/4
11	11/4	12/4	13/4	14/4 Last Day of Term 1 Early Dismissal	15/4 Good Friday	16/4-17/4 Easter



Before School, After School, Student Free Day or
Vacation Care Programs

We offer quality care with fun activities, friendships, games, arts, crafts, great food and special events all in a comfortable home like environment at competitive prices.

