



Principal Message

As we wrap up Term 2, I want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful achievements we've experienced together! This term has been filled with engaging learning opportunities in both classrooms. We were fortunate to have a term of rugby league coaching with Harrison, which brought excitement to our students, and our staff participated in valuable professional learning sessions.

We also had the privilege of celebrating the remarkable women in our lives for Mother's Day, creating lovely memories. A special thank you to our dedicated P&C for organising a highly successful Ballimore Auction Day, which truly showcased the strength of our school community.

I am incredibly proud to be part of such a supportive school community. Your ongoing commitment and involvement make a significant difference in the lives of our students, and we appreciate all that you do. As we head into the holiday break, I wish you all a safe and restful time with your families. We look forward to welcoming our students back for Term 3 on Tuesday, 22 July, ready for more exciting learning experiences ahead!

I would also like to take a moment to express my gratitude to each and every staff member. You are all truly amazing and consistently go above and beyond for our students. Your hard work, dedication, and commitment do not go unnoticed, and they make a significant difference in the lives of our little learners. As we transition into the holiday break, I encourage you to take some well-deserved downtime. Rest, recharge, and enjoy this time away from the hustle and bustle of the school routine.

Calendar for Term 2 & 3

- 3 July** Student Academic Reports to be distributed
- 4 July** End of Term 2
- 21 July** School Development Day for staff
- 22 July** Students return for Term 3
- 31 July** 100 Days of School
- 4-15 August** Book Week
- 14 August** Book Parade- Grandparent Day
- 25-29 August** Swimming Lessons
- 3-5 Sept** Yr 3-6 Excursion Sydney

We have another busy term ahead of us, and I know that with your passion and energy, we will continue to achieve great things together.



Miss Margot

Student Academic Reports

Student academic reports will be sent home this Thursday, 3 July. These reports provide valuable insights into your child's progress and achievements over the term. We encourage you to take the time to review the report together with your child, as it is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate their hard work and discuss areas for further growth.

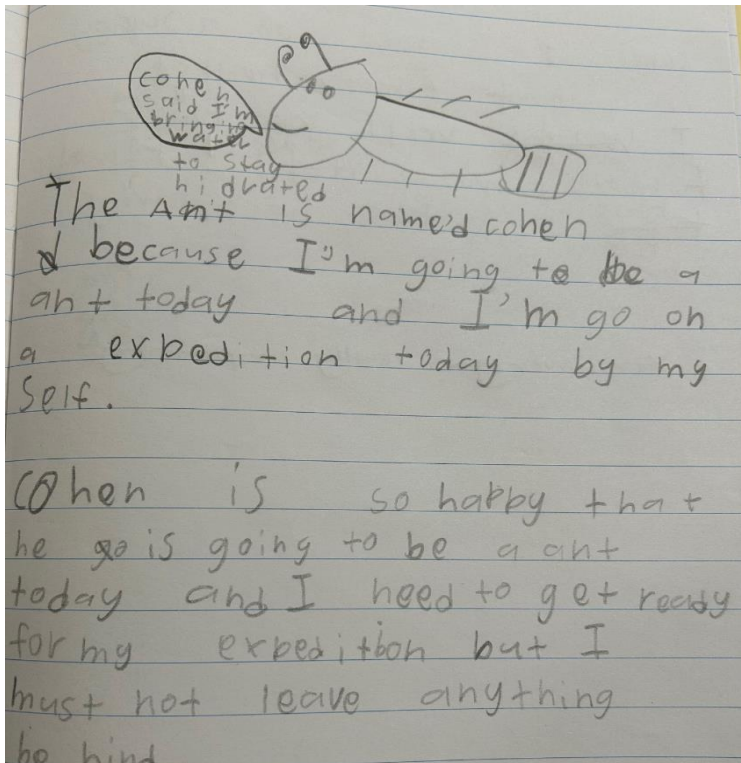
Please remember to check your child's school bag on Thursday to ensure you receive the report promptly. If you have any questions or would like to discuss the report further, please do not hesitate to reach out to your child's teacher in Term 3.



Infants News

Our infant students have been hard at work this term, diving into the exciting world of literacy and mathematics! One of the key areas they have been focusing on is the use of speech bubbles and quotation marks in their writing. Through engaging activities and discussions, students have had numerous opportunities to practice incorporating these elements into their story writing tasks. This hands-on approach allows them to express their creativity while also developing their understanding of how to enhance their writing with direct speech.

As students continue to practice these skills, we are confident that they will become more skilled and proficient in their use of speech bubbles and quotation marks. It's wonderful to see their enthusiasm as they learn to bring their characters to life through dialogue in their stories!



In mathematics, our focus has been on reinforcing essential concepts such as addition and subtraction, as well as multiplication and division. To make learning more interactive and enjoyable, we have organised some fun floor activities where students have had the chance to create 'groups of' and explore how to divide groups equally. These activities not only help consolidate their mathematical understanding but also encourage collaboration and teamwork among classmates.

As we approach the end of the week, we have noticed that our students are feeling the effects of a busy term. It has been a fantastic period of learning, filled with a variety of extracurricular activities that have enriched their educational experience. Now, it is time for our little learners to take a well-deserved break and recharge their minds. We encourage you to enjoy this holiday time with your children, making special memories together.

Wishing you all a wonderful holiday break, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back refreshed and ready for more exciting learning adventures!

Miss Margot

Change of Date: 100 Days of School Celebration

We wanted to let you know that the 100 Days of School celebration has been rescheduled to Thursday, 31 July. Mr. V will be attending a conference from Monday, 28 July to Wednesday, 30 July, and we would really like him to be part of our special day. We are confident that this change will not disrupt your planning, as the event will only be delayed by a few days. Thank you for your understanding and flexibility.

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**Infants Student of the
Fortnight**

Colton Stubbs



**"Keep dancing with that
amazing spittit – we can't wait
to see more of your moves."**

Student Value



**Primary Student of the
Fortnight**



Rudy Caldin

**"Rudy has applied himself
diligently to ALL set tasks this
fortnight, especially when
showcasing his creative flair
for poetry."**

Staff Value

**THE SCHOOL VALUE
FOR THIS FORTNIGHT
IS COOPERATION -
WHICH MEANS TO
WORK KINDLY WITH
OTHER STUDENTS**

