

Appin Park News

13th August 2020

LEARNING
FOR LIVING
I SHOW RESPECT
I AM RESPONSIBLE
I CARE

Learning Packs can be collected in the Multipurpose Room on Monday between 9.15am & 10.30am

Hi Everyone,

It's hard to believe we are half through term 3 already. As always I thank you for the way in which you and your families are supporting staff and Appin Park Primary School through our second period of remote and flexible learning. Based on feedback from families, teaching staff are endeavouring to provide the best opportunities they can to support you and your children.

As of this week staff are calling all families to check in on students and their engagement with learning packs as well as providing support if needed with strategies to support learning from home and provision of technology if required. Students will also be invited to join a weekly WebEx meeting with their teacher and whole class to provide a means of seeing each other and maintain a connectedness to school and their friends. Information will be forwarded home regarding how this will work, an invitation to the meeting and guidelines outlining appropriate use of WebEx. We are looking forward to seeing how this goes and ask that you remain patient and understanding if any glitches arise.

Curriculum Day

This has been postponed until the 9th September. Just Kids will be available. Learning tasks will not be planned for this day as it is a pupil free day.

Parent Teacher Interviews

These will be held via phone or WebEx on Friday, 4th September. Bookings will be made via Compass.

Onsite Attendance

Bookings can be made for the next week via the link that opens on Wednesday afternoon and closes Friday at 8:00am. As per the Department guidelines supervision is provided for students: **for whom no other supervision arrangements can be made, vulnerable children or children with a disability**. Onsite attendance is not for students wanting to catch up with friends, those missing social interaction or those who would prefer to come to school. We thank you for your support in this.

Please call or send an email if there is anything you'd like to discuss or ask in relation to your children's schooling or the current situation. We are here to help you.

Fiona Carson - Principal

Would your child like to borrow a musical instrument?

If your child would like to try to learn a musical instrument using online tutorials, now may be the time to encourage this. The school has some ukuleles and acoustic guitars available for families to borrow. If you're interested check out a couple of sites to see if they may be suitable.

Contact Wendy Martin at school to organise to borrow an instrument.

****For those who dare – there are plenty of recorders that could be borrowed as well!**



Chocolate money can be returned when collecting learning packs on Monday.



Enrolments for 2021 Foundation students now being taken

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This Week at Appin Park!

A volcano sits
its sides shaking and heavy
waiting to erupt

Emily Martens



Drawing of your favourite part (fill the space)



Kayla Geue



Charlotte Walker

Australia is
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I am writing this poem
About learning from home
I will miss my friends
But in six weeks this will end
I miss the bell when im having my snack
I will be glad when we go back
Even though covid is really bad
I am not feeling that very sad
This time I feel so very lucky
Because I get to spend time with my puppy
If I keep positive and on the go
The days will go by fast not slow

Mahlee Hartwig



Bonnie Leahy

Be An Illustrator
You are the illustrator! Draw a picture that would fit into the book

Vidushi Mehta



There are four seasons
Summer, Autumn, Winter,
Spring. My favourite
season is Summer because
you can go to the pool
for a swim and it all was
sunny. All was hot so
you can eat some
ice-cream.

✓ Exellent Vidushi

