



MOORINE ROCK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

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Principals Message

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome back to a new year at Moorine Rock Primary School. I hope you all have had a relaxing holiday period. All staff are looking forward to getting back into the swing of things and seeing all our wonderful students again.

Class Structures

This year we are again working on a two class structure with Miss Burton teaching our Kindy –Pre-Primary class and Mr Ellis teaching our Year 2-6 class. Unfortunately Mrs Nicholl has decided to take leave for this year to pursue a new opportunity. We wish her luck in this endeavour and look forward to seeing her back at our school for relief in the coming weeks. Miss Suttie will be covering all out of class teaching for this year.

COVID-19

An email was sent out to all parents last week outlining some of the measures we are implementing around the school to ensure student and staff safety. As you will be aware, public health and social measures are in effect for the Perth and Peel (including Rottnest Island), South West, Great Southern and Wheatbelt regions, details at wa.gov.au. This includes the requirement for masks to be worn while indoors at school in these regions.

Our students will not have to wear masks at school but our staff will have to wear masks inside the classroom except for when they are teaching. Parents will need to be wearing masks when entering admin or classrooms. Our teachers will be going through handwashing and hygiene procedures with all students as well.

If your child is unwell please keep them home. I know this is sometimes not convenient but we need to protect others in the school community. If anyone in your household shows covid symptoms please do not send your child to school and get tested immediately according to our state guidelines. It is important that every member of our community follows these directions to protect everyone.

If you have any questions regarding any of these measures please don't hesitate to contact the office.

Voluntary Contributions

Your voluntary contributions assist the school in providing materials to improve your child's learning experiences. It would be fantastic if all contributions could be received during Term One. Please pay by direct deposit to our ANZ Account. The Voluntary Contribution of \$40 equates to \$10.00 per term.

BSB 016710
ACCOUNT NUMBER 253884676.

Bushfire

As in previous years, Moorine Rock Primary School is classified as 'Very High' on the Bushfire Zone Register. This means that in the event of a catastrophic fire danger day the school is required to close. As per the Department of Education's policy, the school needs to comply by ensuring the relevant plans are reviewed, communicated and tested. Staff and students have been familiarising themselves with emergency evacuations in the previous year and will continue to do so this term. If such an event does occur you will be informed via a note sent home with your child and we will keep you informed via the school Connect community and the school website.

Teaching

This year I will be teaching the whole school technologies, art and science curriculum as well as the senior sport and languages program. I look forward to working with all students in these areas and enjoying being back in the classroom with them.

Lauren Suttie
Principal

"Reach for the Stars"

Upcoming Events

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Week 1	31/1	1/2 Newsletter	2/2	3/2 Kindy Day	4/2	
Week 2	07/2 Kindy Day	08/2	09/2	10/2 Kindy Day	11/2	
Week 3	14/2 Kindy Day	15/2 Newsletter Parent information day starting	16/2	17/2 Kindy Day	18/2	

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- ⇒ Kindy Students start school for 2022 on Thursday 3rd February 2021
- ⇒ Tuesday is Library day for both classrooms—please bring in your library bags
- ⇒ Thursday will be Library for our Kindy students
- ⇒ Thursday is sport for both classrooms
- ⇒ Friday is icy pole day—these are being sold for 50 cents each
- ⇒ Tuesday 15th February—Parent information day
 - ⇒ 1:20pm—Junior room
 - ⇒ 1:40pm—Miss Suttie (talking about behaviour and attendance expectation)
 - ⇒ 2:00pm—Senior Room.

FROM OUR JUNIOR ROOM WITH MS BURTON



I'm back!

Welcome back to the Junior Room 2022. I am so excited to see my new Kindy students Lydia and Charlie start school this Thursday. We welcome back the new pre-primary students this year. I look forward to continue their learning progress this year.

I would like to thank the school for the new purchases of equipment and resources in the Junior room. It includes new bikes, a new puppet theatre and many, many more items.

BACK TO SCHOOL



FROM OUR SENIOR ROOM WITH MR ELLIS

A big welcome back to a new year in the senior room. I hope, like me, you have all had an enjoyable and rest full holiday break.

After a busy year last year most students are where they should be with their learning and Miss Suttie will be doing individual intervention to fill any learning gaps. This means that there should be less pressure on learning this year and hopefully I can introduce some more fun activities.

If you have any concerns during the year please do not hesitate to contact me through the school.

Andrew Ellis



Happy Belated Birthday to:

Reece Jackson for the 13th January and
Lilah Della Bosca for the 25th January

Happy Birthday to

Xzavier Hale for the 4th February and
Mitchell Borona for the 11th February

