



Wellington Public School

Where every child is known, valued and cared for.

Friday 12th April 2024

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Well, we have made it to the end of another exciting Term!

Thank you to all families and staff for your support of our school.

The classroom work, behaviour and general feel of the school is at an all-time high at the moment. I am so lucky to have such a great staff and amazing students and community. Magnificent work!!

Excellent job to Cruz Grey who swam so well at Homebush. What a great experience to build on for future events.

Lots of students are being selected in Western sides so well done to all the effort going into training and transport. Please be sure to contact the school if you need any support in attending these events.

Our attendance numbers continue to be pleasing across the school and we have finished the Term with all year groups achieving 85% attendance. Next Term, moving into winter, it will be vital that your children are at school every day.

Be sure to enjoy the vacation with family and friends. Students return on Tuesday 30th April.

Darryl Thompson

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Student of the week

Wellington Public School

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Kade Fitzpatrick

My favourite things at WPS are

- Playing sport
- Playing on Top Ash
- Kitchen Garden

Best thing about my friends and teachers...

The teachers are beautiful and my friends are so nice.

My favourite sports team and player

Reece Walsh - Brisbane Broncos

What do I want to do when I am older?...

I want to play footy for the Broncos.



School News

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**COMING
SOON!**

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

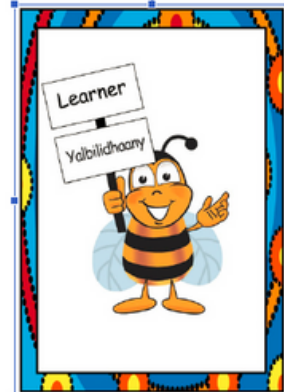
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**Wednesday 15th
May 2024
(Term 2 / Week 3)**



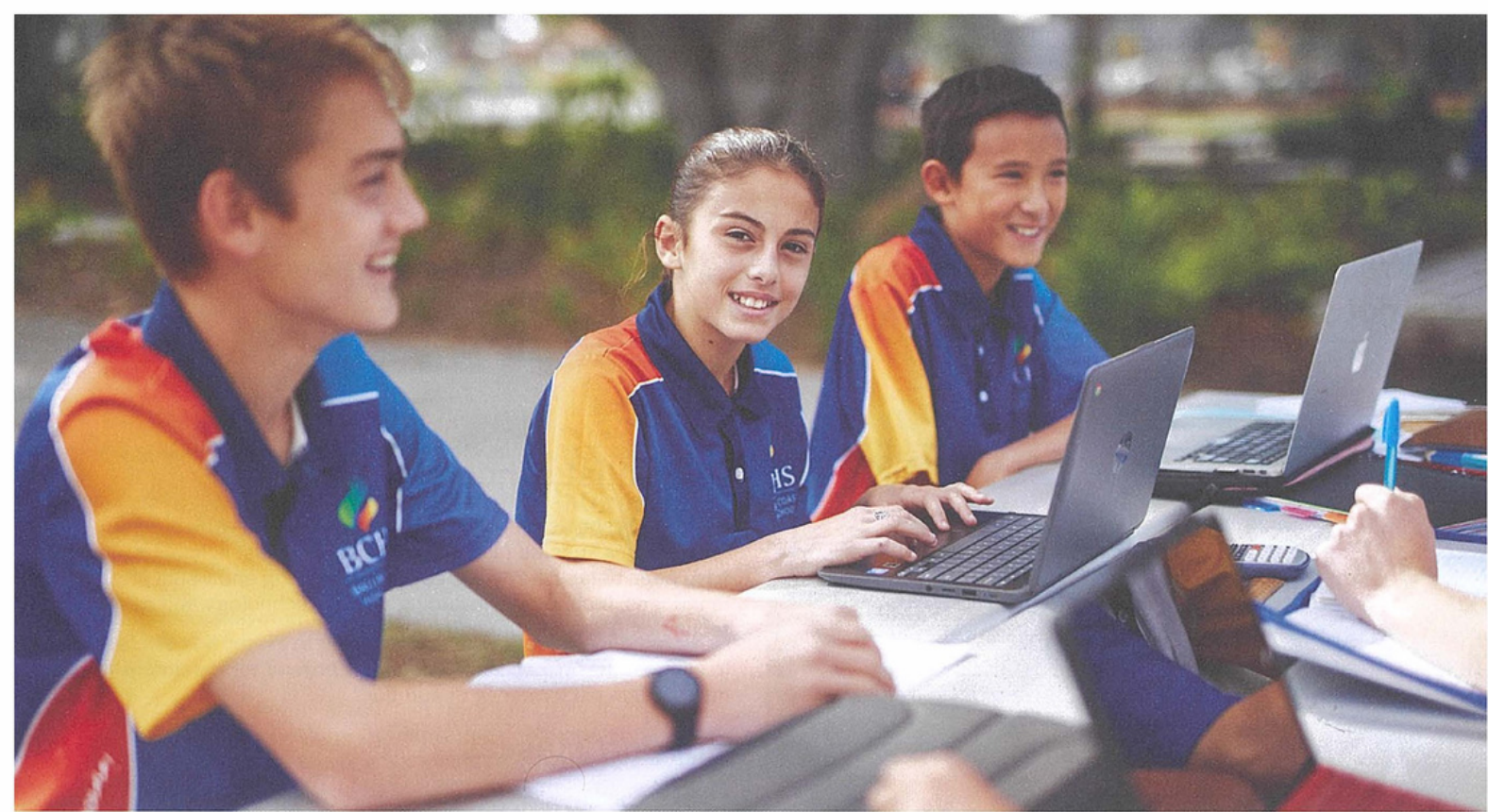
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Buzzie Winners

Lamar 2P, Darcy 2S, Ivy 4F, Lacey 4C, Maleak Aqua,
Albert 5B, Ruby 6B, Skye Silver, Lillian 1/2M, Khalil
KG, Kenzie KR, Jacob KP, George KB

Attendance Award: Nahtahlia Burrows-Mills



NSW Department of Education



Moving into Year 7 in a NSW Government school 2025

Apply online to start the transition of your child from Year 6 to Year 7

Your child's local school

Most NSW Government schools have designated intake areas so that all school-age children will be eligible to attend a government high school - their local school.

Your child's permanent residential address determines which school is your child's local school. The School Finder tool at <https://schoolfinder.education.nsw.gov.au/> can help you locate the local school.

Most parents and carers in NSW choose their local high school to provide an education of excellence for their child. The department's online enrolment system supports the transition to high school.

THE DEPARTMENT HAS DIGITISED THE YEAR 6 TO YEAR 7 TRANSITION PROCESS. Parents and carers should go online to complete the EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI). Go to the Wellington Public School website click the ENROLMENT tab, scroll down to 'Moving to high school' click it and follow the process. This is OPEN from 6th MARCH 2024.

If you are not able to apply on line or need help please contact Tracey Reid at Wellington Public School Office for a paper EOI form.

It is important to have your Child enrolled into a High School for year 7, 2025.

THE ONLINE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST CLOSSES THURSDAY 28TH MARCH 2024.

For more information:

education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/enrolment/high-school-enrolment

Wellington Public School

School holiday works notification - Autumn | April 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

We regularly inspect and maintain schools to ensure the safety and wellbeing of our school communities. We'd like to provide you with a couple of updates regarding planned works at Wellington Public School.

Building C refurbishments

Works to complete the refurbishment of Building C at Wellington Public School are due to be completed by the end of Term 1. This work has included upgrades to the student toilets in Building C as well as a conversion of additional spaces into an accessible bathroom and shower.

Planned work over the autumn school holidays

The school holidays are the ideal time for a lot of maintenance and project work to take place in schools across the state without disrupting learning. Over the upcoming autumn holidays, we are continuing planned maintenance at Wellington Public School.

As part of this work, known asbestos containing materials will be removed from the ceilings and toilet partitions of the girls' and boys' toilet in Buildings H1 and H2 as identified by the school's asbestos register. Work to remove these is planned to take place between Monday 15 April until Wednesday 17 April 2024.

As vacation care will be on site during the holiday period prior arrangements have been made with the school to ensure programmed activities are scheduled on the opposite end of the school site.

All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place on the days outlined above, with additional safety measures and air monitoring in place.

Work will be done in accordance with work, health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

After the work is finished the contractor will receive a clearance certificate from the independent hygienist to continue construction. The toilets will remain cordoned off as part of the construction zone and are due to be completed by the end of Term 2 2024.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and local community is our highest priority, and we will continue to keep the community updated.

