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**Term 3 Week 3
Newsletter**
**Thursday
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Monday 3 - Friday 7 August

☀ Education Week - 'Learning together'

Friday 7 August

☀ Kindergarten 100 Days celebration

☀ Jeans for Genes Day

Friday 21 August

☀ K-2 Cross Country

Monday 24 August

☀ School Photos- Year 6 Photo

Tuesday 25 August

☀ School Photos

Thursday 3 - Tuesday 21 September

☀ Healthy Harold



Education Week

The theme this year is Learning Together. At WPS we do this every day. We hope you enjoy the photos from the week. The children love coming to WPS.

I would like to congratulate the WPS staff for having such beautiful, bright, friendly, inviting and happy classrooms. Our staff do a brilliant job at keeping our boys and girls safe, engaged, enthusiastic and working hard. It is a massively difficult job to keep between 20 and 30 children on task, working hard in a variety of different subjects (some subjects are not as popular as

others). Thank you to our staff for all their hard work. I know you are appreciated by the parent body. At times in this incredibly busy society we live in, we forget to value and acknowledge the people who do so much and spend so much time with our most prized possessions – our children.

Kinder Start

We have tentatively booked the week commencing Monday 26 October for this exciting taste of "Big School". Children commencing school in 2021 will visit us each day that week between 9:30am and 10:30am.



Jeans for Genes Day



Friday 7 August

Students in Years 1 – 6 are invited to wear jeans this Friday. Please bring a gold coin donation for the privilege. Students wear the usual school shirt, jacket and school hat with their jeans. Thank you to the Student Representative Council for coordinating this very worthwhile fundraiser.

Kindergarten 100 Days Celebration

Tomorrow, Friday 7 August, will see some very “old” Kindergarten students attending school as they celebrate 100 days of “Big School”.

3CD thinks education week is great!!



Covid-19 Reminders

If we have more than one student in sick bay they may be asked to wear a face mask in the future. Once again thank you to everyone for keeping your children at home if they are unwell.

Due to the current spikes starting in Victoria we want to keep all adult visitors including face to face meetings to an absolute minimum.

Please continue collecting K-2 children at the 2:50pm time slot.

No Toys at School please

We wouldn't request this if it wasn't causing problems at school. I know this may be hard to understand but this is causing students to be distracted and jealous. Students may interfere with the toys (break/steal), some children in this day and age don't like being told they can't play with their toy (hard to believe I know).

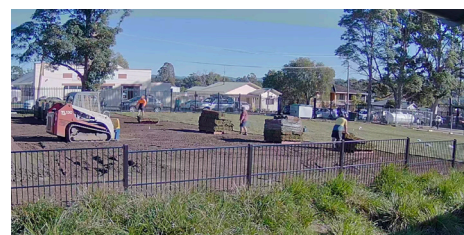
We have plenty of items, activities and school work to keep them occupied at school.

Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

We recognised this day on Tuesday. Children's Day is a time Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and communities - and all Australians celebrate the positive impact culture, family, Wauchope Public school and community play in the life of every Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander child.

New Turf



The infant's playground is being laid today. We will add more photos in future newsletters.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting is on Thursday 13 August at 6:30pm. Please email the P&C for the Zoom access code if you intend joining us.

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NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

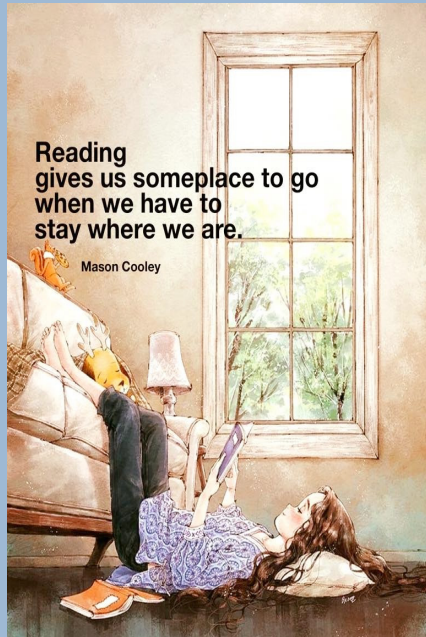
When your child misses just...	they miss weeks per year	and years over their school life
1 day per fortnight	4 weeks	Over 1 year missed
1 day per week	8 weeks	Over 2.5 years missed

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Stage 1 Merit Awards



Community News



Reading gives us someplace to go when we have to stay where we are.

Mason Cooley

THINK YOU KNOW Fact sheet: **SNAPCHAT (For parents)**

What is Snapchat? Snapchat is an application which is downloaded on iOS and Android devices that allows users to send images and videos known as 'snaps'. Snaps can be viewed for up to 10 seconds before they 'disappear'.

Operating the app requires use of the device's data plan or a wireless internet connection. Images can be taken or taken as a still-frame and can be given a 'caption', description or location. Users can filter or post specific filters and emojis over images or videos to create different looks or themes.

Does an image really 'disappear on Snapchat'? There are many ways an image can be saved, even on Snapchat. iOS and Android devices have features which allow the device to take a photo of what is on the screen (screen capture). Snapchat notifies the sender if someone they have sent has been captured, however there are also other ways images can be saved without the sender being notified, such as taking a screenshot to encourage children to think before they send a snap.

What are the privacy settings on Snapchat? Snapchat has limited privacy settings so it is important to monitor your child's usage of the application. One primary setting that is available is to notify by email who can see your child's photos or videos, which can be restricted by going into the settings menu, select 'Who can see my snaps', then select 'My Friends'. This will ensure that only snaps to your child's chosen list can be sent to them.

It is important to read the Snapchat privacy policy as it provides information about how the images and videos are stored and used. Users need to be aware that Snapchat has the right to remove, modify and republish photos and videos, and save them to the Snapchat servers, and save them to the Snapchat servers, and save them to the Snapchat servers.

Is Snapchat a 'safe' messaging application? It is important to know that there is no such thing as a 'safe' messaging and Snapchat is no exception. There are people who use Snapchat to share inappropriate content, including images of people under the age of 18, with or without their parents' consent, and to share content that is illegal under state and Commonwealth legislation.

What are the potential problems with Snapchat? Sharing images that are nude, offensive or sexual in nature are charged under State and Commonwealth legislation which carries various legal consequences. Usually, young people need to be aware of the impact that their online behaviour has on their reputation and others.

How are kids using Snapchat? Snapchat is used by many young people to connect with their friends and to send photos to each other. However, Snapchat can be used for inappropriate purposes and it is important to discuss with your child and explain to them that it is not okay to share images that are nude, offensive or sexual.

Should I be worried if my child is using Snapchat? Any application which is used incorrectly has the potential to cause harm. It is important that you communicate openly with your child about how they may be using an application and the legal and ethical ramifications of inappropriate use. Children and young people also need to be aware of the risks of communicating with people they don't know via mobile application.

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SUNDAY AUGUST 16, 2020 (ONLINE)
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Girls Day Out in STEM 2020 Online is a registered event with National Science Week. It is a fun, carnival-like day full of online learning experiences with industry leaders in STEM for girls aged 10 - 14 years.

Plus there are book signings, activations, competitions and a mentoring meet and greet session with leading women Stars of STEM.

Join us on **Sunday 16 August, 2020 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.**
Register for your **FREE** sponsored ticket now at www.gdstem.com.au

Kindergarten Silver Awards



Canteen News!!

The Canteen has full menu on offer for Term 3

All over the counter service is back, **BREAKFAST, FRUIT, RECESS, LUNCH & ICY POLES**

Breakfast served daily from 8:30 - 8:55am

Toast, juice, up & go's etc

Fruit available for fruito break \$1.50

Recess mini menu is back everyday, the healthy snacks change daily and are available at recess.

Breakfast, recess & lunch can be ordered online, you can order your child's lunch up to 28 days in advance. 8:00am is cut off daily.

Uniforms can also be ordered online and delivered to your child's classroom.



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- ✓ Tired of scrounging around for loose change every morning before your kids run off to school? With QuickClIQ, lunch money is a thing of the past.
- ✓ We're giving control back to you over your children's diets. By ordering their lunch ahead of time, you can ensure they are eating healthy and balanced meals.
- ✓ QuickClIQ was designed with mobile access in mind. Simply login to add credit and order all from the convenience of your smartphone or tablet.
- ✓ To top up your account you have three options: Direct Deposit / Credit Card / PayPal
 - Direct Deposit is free
 - The surcharge to add credit is 1.5%
 - The surcharge for PayPal is 3.5%
 - When placing an order there is a small booking fee per transaction per student.

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