



# KENT ROAD PUBLIC SCHOOL

## BLUE GUM NEWS

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Term One Week 9

Tuesday 27th March 2018

Important  
Dates &  
Notes

Footsteps  
Program  
Each Wed this  
term

ICAS Schools  
Competitions  
Closed.

School Closed  
for Easter  
Friday 30th Mar  
Mon 2nd April

Year3 Overnight  
Excursion  
Wed 4th April &  
Thur 5th April

Gold Medal  
Assembly  
Fri 6th April  
9.10am

Year4 Two Night  
Excursion  
Mon 14th May -  
Wed 16th May

### Term Dates 2018

Term 1  
30/01/18—13/04/18

Term 2  
01/05/18—06/07/18

Term 3  
24/07/18—28/09/18

Term 4  
15/10/18—19/12/18

Last day for students  
Wed 19th December

Dear Parents and Carers,  
**Principal's Report**

### EASTER LONG WEEKEND

I wish everyone a relaxing, safe Easter long weekend and look forward to seeing everyone return next Tuesday 3rd April.

### KINDERGARTEN and YEAR ONE PLAYGROUND

Parents of Kindergarten and Year One children will know there are many parents in the playground between 8.35-9.05. Whilst this is a good opportunity for parents to meet and talk, it does create some difficulties for teachers responsible for supervising the students.

To ensure the safety of our students, I ask parents, grandparents and carers who drop off their children at school in the mornings to sit on the aluminum seats in either the Year One or Kindergarten areas, and to closely supervise their toddlers and preschoolers. This is necessary to enable the teacher on duty to better monitor the playground.

When the music starts at 9.03am parents are asked to say goodbye to their Kindergarten or Year One child and allow the children to line up independently. Please do not walk with the children in their class lines as it prevents the teacher from being able to see all of the students in the class.

After you have said goodbye at 9.03 please move away from the class lines, please do not follow the students, call them back for a final kiss, or follow the children into the bag room.

Teachers want to provide every child the chance to develop independence and the school day starts when the music begins to play.

A teacher is on duty from 8.35am each day and parents can be confident that their child is well supervised, especially if the procedures above are respected.

### HAT PARADE

This Thursday 29th March, students in Kindergarten, Year One and Year Two are invited to wear which they have designed for our annual parade. The parade will occur in the main quadrangle after which students will move into the hall for some singing, which will be followed by the Easter Egg raffle draw.

### STUDENT BANKING - TOMORROW

For students in Years 2-6, bank books will be collected from the morning assembly.

Kindergarten and Year One bank books will be collected as they enter the classroom.

If your child is late arriving to school on Wednesdays their bank book will not be collected for banking.

**PARENT CONCERNS**

From time to time parents may have a concern or an issue at school which they want addressed. Please refer any concerns to the teacher supervising the students.

Instead I ask parents to:

1. Approach the class teacher first where appropriate. Contact the school office, leave your name and contact details and the teacher will contact you as soon as possible to discuss the issue over the phone or to make a meeting time.
2. Issues which are not appropriate for the classroom teacher should be directed to the grade leaders, as below, the Deputy Principal or the Principal.

Grade leaders:

KINDERGARTEN	Miss Hossack
YEAR ONE	Mrs Gwynne
YEAR TWO	Miss Waddell
YEAR THREE	Ms Hamilton
YEAR FOUR	Mr Harrison
YEAR FIVE	Miss Sheridan
YEAR SIX	Miss Brasier

**SOME TIMELY REMINDERS**

- Please remember to provide a note or email immediately after your child has been absent from school
- Be on time for school (9.05am) and for the afternoon pick (3.10)
- Should your details have changed please inform the school office staff, that is if you have a new phone number, emergency contacts, or address

Health care plans for asthma, anaphylaxis and other medical conditions need to be updated at least annually or if there are changes by your medical practitioner

**SCHOOL BUILDING UPGRADE**

The next Information Booth will be held at the school on 5<sup>th</sup> April from 2-4pm.

**K-6 GOLD MEDAL ASSEMBLY**

On Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April, we will have a Gold Medal assembly for all students from Kindergarten to Year Six starting at 9.10am. Students who have reached the gold medal level in our green card system will receive their gold medal at the assembly, and our Junior Band will perform.

**SCHOOL FEES INVOICE**

Thank you to everyone who has paid the school fees which were issued last week.

Parents may choose to pay these fees in cash, cheque or credit card. Online payment is available through our website [www.kentroadpublicschool.com.au](http://www.kentroadpublicschool.com.au), in the section called School News.

We are happy to accept payment for fees in instalments or the full payment. Many thanks in anticipation!

## HARMONY DAY

Last week's celebrations of Harmony Day included a very entertaining performance by visiting performers Wa-sa-bi and some great dances with Footsteps.

## SCHOOL NEWS





**Kindergarten – Year Two Assembly**

Class 2C hosted yesterday's K-2 assembly and presented the class item.

Students Bianca, Christopher, Rachel, Ethan and Isaac who demonstrated their fantastic public speaking skills as they conducted the assembly.

All students in class 2C are to be congratulated on the presentation of the work they have done on the picture book, King Pig, and also the characteristics they identified as necessary to be a good friend. Their presentation of the song, What Makes a Good Friend, was very enthusiastic and if everyone demonstrates the characteristics mentioned in the song our school will be a truly happy place. Hopefully everyone can *be kind, caring, helpful, a good listener, share, smile, look after others*, just to name a few. Their message *I can be, You can be, We all can be ... a good friend* is important for us all to remember.

Congratulations to the following Kindergarten, Year One and Year Two students who were awarded a class merit award:

KB	Sruthi	Improved News presentations
KC	Jasmine	Being a kind and caring friend
KH	Lahna	Big improvement in her Reading and counting
KJ	Jun Yu	Becoming more confident within the classroom
KL	Kaira	For being a kind and considerate member of KL
KR	Ryan	For excellent engagement and effort in Maths groups
KS	Khyah	Being an engaged learner during Maths groups
1B	Leilani	Excellent knowledge and involvement at our excursion
1C	Sheerah	Being a respectful and engaged learner at the Schoolhouse Museum
1G	Hathaim	For an improvement in Spelling and writing sentences independently
1L	Pranav	For detailed writing on his favourite part of the school
1N	Will	Asking thoughtful questions during the Year One excursions
2C	Lulu	For approaching her learning with great enthusiasm
2H	Sam	For writing an interesting postcard to his teddy
2R	Christian	Making connections and asking great questions in History
2V	Seline	being an engaged learner in literacy activities
2W	Amber	For good practice of telling the time
MUSIC	Vanessa	Being an engaged and enthusiastic learner in Music

**YEARS THREE- SIX ASSEMBLY**

Last Friday's class presentation to the assembly by class 3R provided insight into the cultural diversity of 3R as well as our school. Their focus was on Harmony Day and the theme 'Diversity Makes Our Community Stronger'.

The students provided a strong message of what it means to live in harmony, the importance of celebrating everyone's differences, to respect other culture as well as their own, that looks don't matter, it is how you treat people that truly matters – every day, every week, every year!

The class created their own song, titled Better in Harmony, which the audience enjoyed greatly.

Also congratulations to the award winners at last week's assembly:

3G	Manha	Always being an engaged learner
3L	Evelyn	Writing a persuasive letter to convince the pigeon to take a bath
3M	Elizabeth	Creative plot ideas for her narrative writing
3R	Aaron	Having a positive approach to his learning and always trying his best
4D	Zac	Always being a kind, thoughtful member of 4D
4H	Drew	Always bringing a positive and enthusiastic approach to learning
4P	Liam	Having an enthusiastic approach to learning
4V	Josselin	Consistently being an engaged learner who is ready to listen and to share
5G	Shreyan	Creating an interesting report on issues affecting Antarctica
5M	Charlotte	Being a helpful and respectful class member at all times
5S	Arlen	For his positive attitude towards his learning and peer relations
6B	Mabel	Writing interesting problems with creative complications
6G	Nicholas	Being an engaged learner in all learning areas
6I	Ella C	For always being a kind, thoughtful and motivated class member
MUSIC	Naoyuki (5G)	Consistent contributions to class discussions in Music

*Denise Minifie*

**Principal**

Last week Kent Road students celebrated Harmony day over two days. On Tuesday, classes were entertained by Wa- sa -bi a Japanese percussion and drumming group.



Students completed art activities in their classes that related to inclusiveness and belonging.



On Wednesday all K-6 classes enjoyed learning an International Dance as part of our Footsteps dance program. Many students wore the Harmony Day colour orange on the day while others wore the traditional colours of their home country.



**KINDERGARTEN CONNECTIONS**

Parents of students in KB, KL, KR and KJ are invited to attend their child's classroom on Friday afternoon to participate in the Kindergarten Connections initiative which is run through the *Ready for life, Ready for success* program organised through Relationships Australia.





Last week, KB, KR, KL and KJ had their first session of Kindergarten Connections. Our families were invited to come into our classrooms for the afternoon and see what it's like to be in Kindergarten!



KB's afternoon started off by reading, "Where the Forest Meets the Sea" by Jeannie Baker. We talked about different types of nature and why it is important to take care of our environment.



After our story we went for a nature walk and collected natural items from the ground. We found lots of different types of leaves, sticks, bark, flowers, feathers and even a cicada! We brought our items back to the classroom and made our very own forest! Thank you to all our families who came and helped!





Last Thursday, 1C and 1N went on an excursion to experience school life in the past. First we caught the bus to the Old School Museum. It was lots of fun seeing the houses fly by! Next we arrived at the place and ate our recess so we wouldn't be hungry later. We also took a photo together as 1C and 1N.



After that, we got to change our clothes by adding a pinafore if we were a girl or a sailor collar if we were a boy. Then we got to dance around the maypole. It was very exciting seeing the ribbons make a pattern.



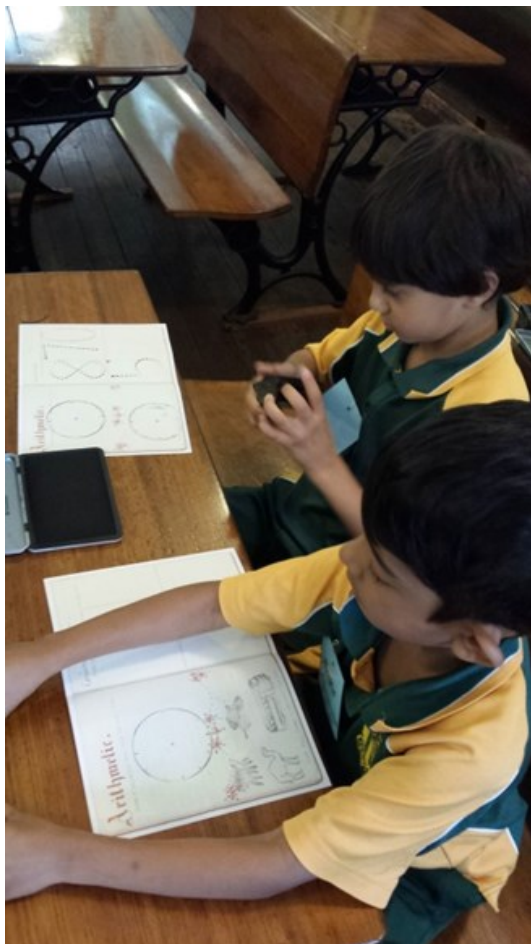
Our next activity was performing some exercises and drills using dumb bells. They were wooden and we had to keep our arms very straight and listen carefully to the instructions.



Then we headed inside for some more activities. We visited the 1800s room and got to experience what school would be like if we had to use a slate board or a pen nib and ink to do our writing lessons. It was very tricky trying to keep our handwriting neat!



After that, we went to the 1900s room and we did some more activities. We sang the old national anthem "God Save the King" and listened to how teacher's photocopied in the olden days. Did you know that they used a jelly pad to copy sheets for children?





Then we did a treasure hunt by looking for things from the past that were hidden around the room. We also did some stamping and made our own photocopy using the jelly pad. We even got to solve the mystery of the missing school key.



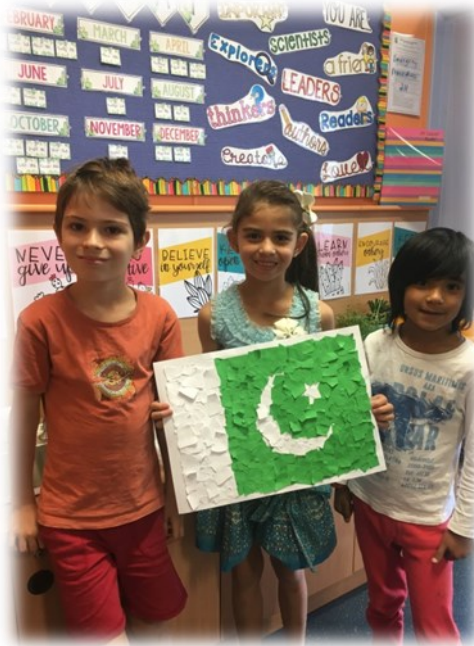
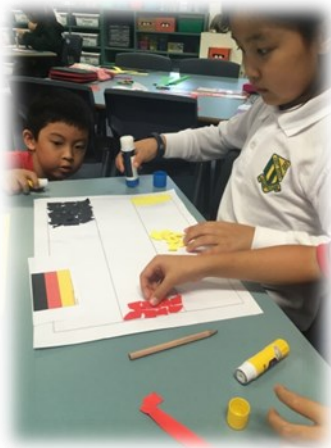
Finally, we got on the bus and travelled back to school to have lunch.

It was a fantastic day!

Here are some photos from 1G, 1B and 1L's excursion the following day!



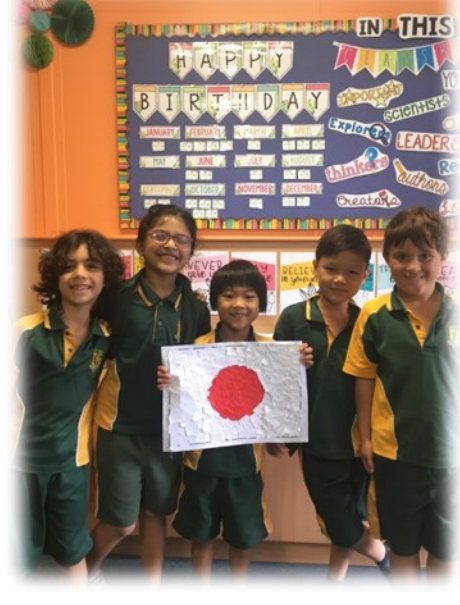
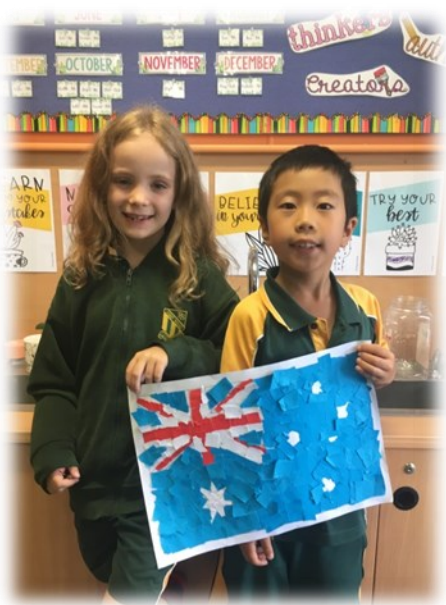
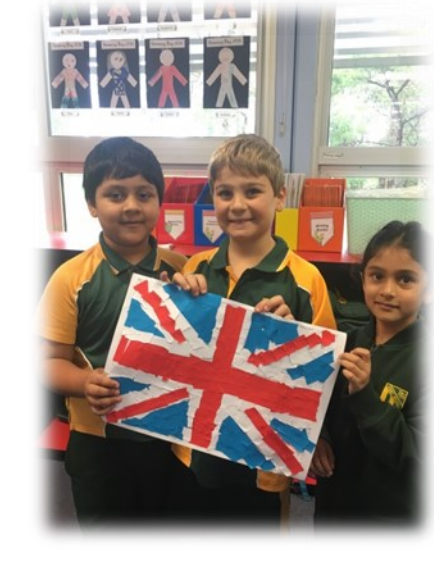
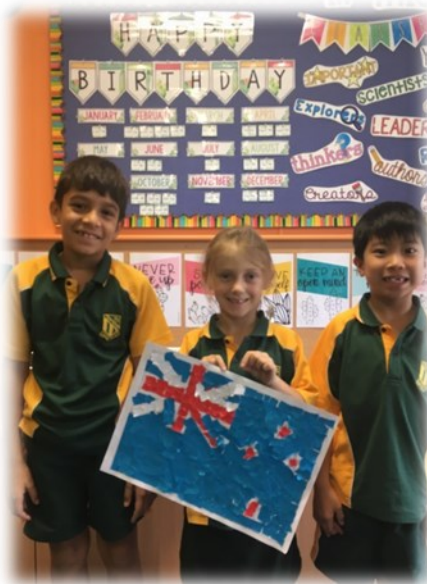
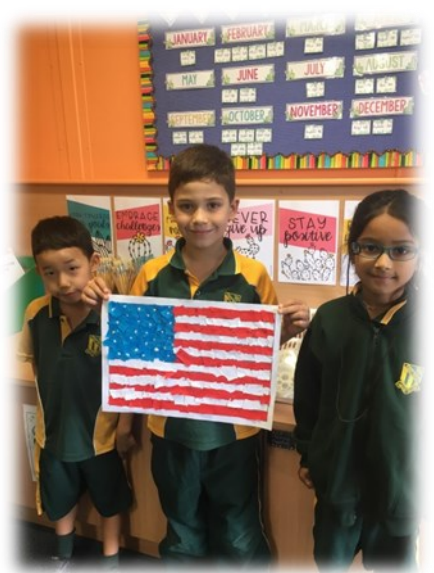
## YEAR TWO NEWS



For Harmony Day, 2H and 2C worked together to collaboratively make a flag collage of all the flags that represented our countries. Our teachers were so proud of how well we worked together and how beautiful the final flags looked! We had to work in teams to rip the coloured paper and stick it onto the template. If we got stuck, we were able to look at a coloured version!



YEAR TWO NEWS



Can you guess all the flags we made?

# YEAR FIVE NEWS

On Monday, Year 5 students attended a school incursion with the Macquarie Island and Antarctica adventurer Chris Olsen.

With our Year 5 students, Chris shared first-hand accounts of his trips to Macquarie Island through his personal photographs, video footages, diary entries and personal reflections. Through these primary sources and personal artefacts, Chris gave students detailed facts about Macquarie Island, talked in depth about the history of the wildlife that lives on and around the island, described the harsh weather conditions and explained the geological significance of this oceanic crust island.

Students were fortunate to handle rock specimens from “Macca”, wood from Mawson’s Hut and even touched ice from Antarctica! Some student volunteers enjoyed trying on the heavy clothing that was needed to survive on this island for a few days against the chilly temperatures and strong winds .

Year 5 ended their experience with a question and answer opportunity, allowing our students to have any questions they had formed throughout this term’s “One Small Island” literature unit answered by an authentic Macquarie Island adventurer.

Thank you, Chris Olsen, for visiting our school and sharing your knowledge and experiences with our students.



**Wood from Mawson's  
Hut**



# YEAR FIVE NEWS

**Touching Ice from  
Antarctica**



**Dressing for the Harsh  
Weather Conditions**

**Exploring the  
Macquarie Island  
Wildlife**



**KENT ROAD P&C ASSOCIATION NEWS****EASTER BASKET WRAPPING THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who volunteered their time this afternoon to assist with basket wrapping, there are now many Easter Baskets ready to be won by our students and their families at Thursday's draw!

*Kent Road Public School P&C Events Team*

**KENT ROAD CLASS PARENTS – 2018**

Our 2018 Class Parents have begun sending out introduction letters outlining their role and asking if you would like to be included in your Class Contact List for 2018. It would be wonderful if we could get as many parents as possible to take part in this list, allowing our school, teachers and Class Parents to easily keep you informed of school and class events. Thank you!

*Isabella Tan, Class Parent Coordinator*

**KENT RD UNIFORM SHOP**

The Kent Road Uniform Shop is **open every Monday of school term** from 8.45am until 9.30am. During this time, you can purchase items, check sizing or exchange items (just make sure tags are still on).

You can also make purchases at any time at [www.kentroadpublicschool.com/PandC/store/](http://www.kentroadpublicschool.com/PandC/store/). Your order will be **delivered directly to your child's classroom**.

We are **no longer able to sell hats with cords** so these have been removed from all our hats.

If you would like to help in the shop or need to contact us, email [krpsuniformshop@gmail.com](mailto:krpsuniformshop@gmail.com).

**Uniform Shop Roster / Mondays during Term 8.30am – 9.30am/ Shop Open for Sales and Exchanges – Term One**

Date	School Week	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
2/4/18	10/Easter Monday	X	X	X
9/4/18	11	Anastasia	Edith	River
PLEASE NOTE: Uniform Shop Coordinator Kate Mason acts as Team Leader every Monday throughout the term in addition to and assisting the volunteers listed.				

**Uniform Shop Roster / Thursdays during Term 9.05am – 10am/ Online Order Packing Only / No Face to Face Sales – Term One**

Date	School Week	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
29/3/18	9	Archana	May	Sherry
5/4/18	10	Archana	Rachel	Joe
12/4/18	11	Archana	Fran	Keiko





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## अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाना

माता-पिता के लिए जानकारी

आपके बच्चे के लिए शिक्षा में अच्छे से अच्छा करने व अपनी जिविका व जीवन के विकल्पों में वृद्धि के लिए, उनकी शिक्षा बहुत महत्वपूर्ण है व स्कूल में नियमित रूप से उपस्थिति ज़रूरी है। NSW में सरकारी स्कूल, माता-पिता के साथ साझेदारी में काम करते हैं, जिससे बच्चों व युवकों में स्कूल में नियमित रूप से उपस्थिति को बढ़ावा दिया जा सके। जब आपका बच्चा हर रोज़ स्कूल आता है तो उसके लिए पढ़ाई आसान हो जाती है व आपका बच्चा अन्य बच्चों के साथ मित्रता करेगा व उसे बनाए रखेगा।

### मेरी क़ानूनी ज़िम्मेदारियाँ क्या हैं?

न्यू साउथ वेल्ज़ में छः वर्ष की आयु से लेकर स्कूल छोड़ने की न्यूनतम आयु के बीच में बच्चों के लिए शिक्षा अनिवार्य है। शिक्षा अधिनियम 1990 (Education Act 1990) के अनुसार माता-पिता के लिए यह सुनिश्चित करना आवश्यक है कि उनके वे बच्चे जो अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने की उम्र के हैं उनका स्कूल में नामांकन हो, वे नियमित रूप से स्कूल जाएँ, या शिक्षा परिषद, पढ़ाई व शैक्षिक मानक (Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards) में उन्हें घर पर स्कूली शिक्षा पाने के लिए रजिस्टर कराया गया है।

एक बार नामांकन होने के बाद, जब-जब स्कूल विद्यार्थियों के लिए खुलता है तो बच्चों का वहाँ जाना आवश्यक है।

### समय पर स्कूल पहुँचने का महत्व

स्कूल व कक्षा में समय पर पहुँचने से

- यह सुनिश्चित होता है कि विद्यार्थी पढ़ाई पढ़ाई की उन आवश्यक गतिविधियों से वंचित नहीं हो रहे हैं जो दिन में सुबह जल्दी की जाती हैं
- विद्यार्थियों को समय-पालन व दिन-चर्या का महत्व जानने में मदद करता है
- विद्यार्थियों को कक्षा से पहले अपने मित्रों से मिलने का समय मिलता है
- कक्षा में बाधा को कम करता है।

देर से आने को आंशिक अनुपस्थिति माना जाता है और माता-पिता को इसका कारण स्पष्ट करना चाहिए।

### यदि मेरे बच्चे को स्कूल से छुट्टी लेनी हो तो क्या होगा?

कभी-कभी हो सकता है कि आपके बच्चे को स्कूल से छुट्टी लेनी पड़ेगी। स्कूल से छुट्टी लेनी के उचित कारणों में निम्नलिखित हो सकते हैं

- बीमार होना, या उसे कोई छूत की बीमारी होना
- डॉक्टर से मिलने का समय तय किया होना
- किसी मान्य धार्मिक उत्सव में जाना ज़रूरी हो
- किसी विशेष या महत्वपूर्ण पारिवारिक स्थिति का होना, जैसे कि अंत्येष्टि में जाना।

स्कूल से छुट्टी लेने के बाद आपको सुनिश्चित करना चाहिए कि 7 दिन के अंदर आप बच्चे के स्कूल को मौखिक रूप से या लिख कर अनुपस्थिति का कारण बताएँ। पर यदि 2 दिन के अंदर आप स्कूल को कोई कारण नहीं बताते हैं तो हो सकता है कि स्कूल अनुपस्थिति के बारे में बात करने के लिए आपसे संपर्क करें।

प्रधानाध्यापक आपके द्वारा दिए गए कारण को स्वीकार करने से मना कर सकता है यदि उसका मानना है कि इस प्रकार की अनुपस्थिति आपके बच्चे के हित के लिए ठीक नहीं है। ऐसी स्थिति में आपके बच्चे की अनुपस्थिति को अनुचित रिकॉर्ड किया जाएगा। जब ऐसा होगा तो प्रधानाध्यापक आपसे इस निर्णय के बारे में बात करेगा/करेगी व यह कि इसके क्या कारण हैं।

अक्सर बार-बार या लम्बे समय के लिए छुट्टी लेने का कारण जब बीमारी का कारण बताया जाता है तो प्रधानाध्यापक मेडिकल सर्टिफिकेट

या अन्य कागज़ातों के लिए निवेदन कर सकता/सकती है। प्रधानाध्यापक माता-पिता से डॉक्टरों विशेषज्ञ से बात करने की अनुमति माँग सकता है जिससे बच्चे की स्वास्थ्य देखभाल योजना बनाने के लिए मिल कर काम किया जा सके। यदि निवेदन को अस्वीकार कर दिया जाता है तो प्रधानाध्यापक अनुपस्थिति को अनुचित रिकॉर्ड कर सकता है।

### यात्रा

परिवारों को प्रोत्साहित किया जाता है कि वे स्कूल की छुट्टियों में यात्रा पर जाएँ। यदि स्कूल खुले होने के दौरान यात्रा ज़रूरी होती है तो इस बारे में अपने बच्चे के स्कूल के प्रधानाध्यापक से बात करें। लम्बी छुट्टी के लिए आवेदन करना (Application for Extended Leave) को पूरा करने की आवश्यकता हो सकती है। यात्रा के कारण अनुपस्थितियों को नामों की सूची में छुट्टी लिखा जाएगा, इसलिए यह आपकी कुल सालाना अनुपस्थितियों में जोड़ा जाएगा।

यदि यात्रा का समय स्कूल के 50 दिनों से अधिक होने जैसी कुछ स्थितियों में विद्यार्थी, पत्राचार द्वारा शिक्षा पाने के लिए उपयुक्त हो सकते हैं। इस बारे में अपने बच्चे के स्कूल के प्रधानाध्यापक से बात करनी चाहिए।





**यदि कोई विद्यार्थी स्कूल के सत्र में 8 दिन के थोड़े से समय के लिए अनुपस्थित होता है तो प्राइमरी स्कूल के अंत तक वह स्कूल से एक वर्ष के लिए अनुपस्थित होगा।**

### **मेरा बच्चा स्कूल नहीं जाता है। मैं क्या कर सकता हूँ?**

समस्या के बारे में बात-चीत करने व मदद पाने के लिए आपको प्रधानाध्यापक से जल्द से जल्द संपर्क करना चाहिए। स्कूल उपस्थिति में सुधार करने में मदद के तरीकों में स्कूल के पढ़ाई व सहायता दल से मिलने के लिए रेफरल शामिल हो सकता है या आपके बच्चे को उचित सहायता नेटवर्क से जोड़ा जा सकता है। उपस्थिति में सुधार योजना (Attendance Improvement Plan) का विकास करने के लिए प्रधानाध्यापक घर स्कूल संपर्क अधिकारी (Home School Liaison Program) से भी सहायता माँग सकता है।

### **यदि मेरे बच्चे की स्कूल अनुपस्थिति अस्वीकार्य स्तर पर जारी रहती है तो क्या हो सकता है?**

यह समझना बहुत महत्वपूर्ण है कि शिक्षा विभाग के लिए आगे कार्यवाही करना ज़रूरी हो सकता है, जब स्कूल जाने की अनिवार्य आयु के बच्चों की स्कूल में बार-बार अस्पष्ट कारण से या अनुचित अनुपस्थिति होती है।

निम्नलिखित में से कुछ कार्यवाहियाँ की जा सकती हैं:

- अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने संबंधी सभाएँ आपसे व आपके बच्चे से अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने संबंधी सभा में आने के लिए कहा जा सकता है। इस सभा में उन सहायताओं की पहचान की जाएगी जिनसे आपके बच्चे को नियमित रूप से स्कूल आने में मदद मिलेगी। आपके बच्चे को स्कूल में उपस्थित होने में मदद देने के लिए स्कूल, माता-पिता व एजेन्सियों साथ मिल कर सब के द्वारा स्वीकृत योजना (जिसे दायित्व (Undertakings) कहते हैं) का विकास करते हैं।

- अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने के आदेश के लिए बच्चों के न्यायालय में आवेदन करना

यदि आपके बच्चे की स्कूल में उपस्थिति असंतोषजनक रहती है तो विभाग बच्चों के न्यायालय में अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने के आदेश के लिए आवेदन कर सकता है। बच्चों के न्यायालय में मैजिस्ट्रेट अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने संबंधी सभा आयोजित करने का आदेश दे सकता है।

- स्थानीय न्यायालय में अभियोग लगाना

स्कूल व विभाग का स्टाफ आपके साथ मिल कर उन समस्याओं का समाधान करने के लिए वचनबद्ध है, जिनके कारण आपका बच्चा स्कूल में पूरी तरह हिस्सा नहीं ले पा रहा है। अनिवार्य रूप से स्कूल जाने के आदेश का उल्लंघन होने की स्थिति में माता या पिता के खिलाफ स्थानीय न्यायालय में आगे कार्यवाही की जा सकती है। न्यायालय की कार्यवाही का परिणाम सामुदायिक सेवा का आदेश या जुर्माना हो सकता है।

### **मेरा बच्चा किस आयु में स्कूल छोड़ सकता है?**

सभी न्यू साउथ वेल्स के विद्यार्थियों के लिए Year 10 पूरा करना अनिवार्य है। Year 10 के बाद व जब तक वे 17 वर्ष की आयु के नहीं हो जाते, विद्यार्थियों को अपने स्कूल की पढ़ाई पूरी करने के लिए कई सुविधाजनक विकल्प हैं।

### **साझेदारी में काम करना**

शिक्षा विभाग यह जानता है कि विद्यार्थियों का नियमित रूप से स्कूल जाने में सहायता करने का सबसे अच्छा तरीका है विद्यार्थियों व उनके परिवारों के साथ मिल कर काम करना।

हम आपके साथ मिल कर आपके बच्चे को उसके जीवन के अवसरों को पूरा करने में सहायता देने के इच्छुक हैं।

स्कूल में उपस्थिति के बारे में अधिक जानकारी निम्नलिखित वेबसाइटों से प्राप्त की जा सकती है

### **नीति, जानकारी व ब्रोशर**

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/studentsupport/programs/attendance.php>

### **स्कूल छोड़ने की आयु**

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/leavingsschool/index.php>

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### **क्या आपको दुभाषिया चाहिए ?**

यदि आपको अंग्रेज़ी में मदद और अधिक जानकारी चाहिए तो कृपया टेलीफोन दुभाषिया सेवा को 131 450 पर फ़ोन करें और अपनी भाषा में दुभाषिया माँगें। ऑपरेटर आपको बात-चीत करने में मदद करने के लिए टेलीफोन लाईन पर दुभाषिए का प्रबंध करेगा। इस सेवा के लिए आपको कोई खर्चा नहीं देना होगा।

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# SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL AND GET COLLECTING

Last week to collect your vouchers from Coles



**coles**

We would love your help collecting Coles Sports for Schools for our school. Tell your friends and family to get involved as well, because the more vouchers we collect, the more sports gear our school will receive.

## How does it work?



### Step 1

For every \$10 spent at Coles, customers will receive one Sports for Schools voucher.



### Step 2

Your school's families can then bring vouchers to your school, placing them in the collection bins provided.



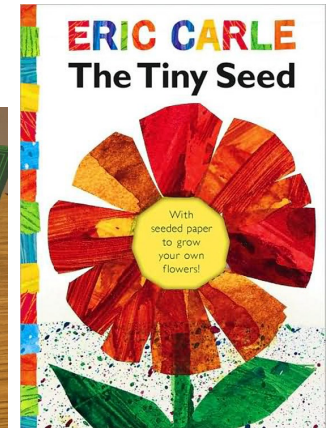
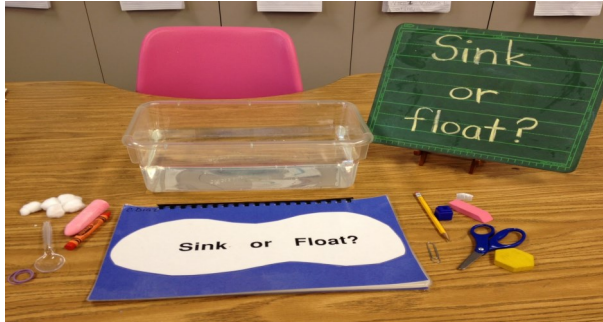
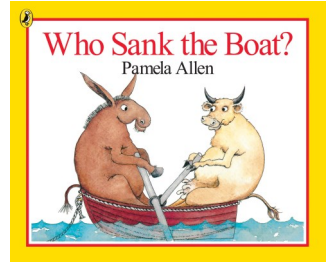
### Step 3

Every voucher received by your school will go towards your tally to help you order sports equipment.





Kent Road  
Public  
School



**Parents-  
YOU ARE  
INVITED**

## KINDERGARTEN CONNECTIONS

For classes KJ, KB, KL and KR

### Kindergarten activities for the day:

Parachute & Ball Games

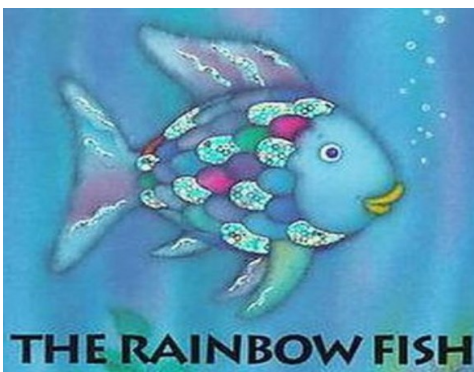
Nature walk and collage

*Who Sank the Boat? A scientific  
sinking and floating activity*

Scavenger Hunt

**Parents please join us!**

*On the 16.3.18 the school will be provid-  
ing an afternoon tea picnic at 3pm*



**Date:**  
Friday afternoon  
2.3.18, 9.3.18 and  
16.3.18

**Time:**  
2:15 - 3pm

**Venue:**  
Outside Kindy  
Classroom





### SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS AT MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY – [mq.edu.au/about/holidays](http://mq.edu.au/about/holidays)

- Children are introduced to science concepts and skills in a safe and supervised environment.
- Courses teach the concepts through experiments, art, drama, physical activity, craft and other hands-on activities.
- Students are provided with experiences and activities that help them to understand a concept or gain knowledge in an active way.
- Courses are added and rotated each school holidays, and drop off and pick-up times are designed for the working parent.
- The Junior Science Academy is for children in Years K–6 in primary school.



Drop off	8.30am – 9.30am
Activities	9.30am – 4.30pm
Pick-up	4.30pm – 5.30pm
Cost	\$122





## RYDE PANTHERS

### FOOTBALL CLUB

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**Looking for U6, 7, 9 mixed  
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### BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

My name is Rathy. I am a qualified Childcare educator.

I currently have spaces available for before and after school care. If you are interested please contact me on

**0470 320 719 / 7900 8381**

# WELCOME TO THE YOUNG ENGINEERS PROGRAM!



## Dear Parents,

Throughout the upcoming school year, we will provide your children with a fun and enriching science program. We strive to mold the engineers of the future using the old and familiar LEGO® blocks. Each lesson will begin with the study of a principle of physics, mathematics and mechanical engineering through experiments and stories. We will then go on to implement the principle using original and motorized LEGO Bricks models that the children will build.

### STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS



**Our award-winning curriculum has obtained global recognition and was found to improve your children's achievements.**

Lesson Plan: Theoretical explanation on physics, mathematics and engineering issues Building with a unique motorized Lego® kit Playing with and enhancing models

### Added values for program participants:

Foster planning and time management skills ■ Encourage independent creative thinking  
Develop ones ability to analyze engineering processes ■ Broaden knowledge of laws of physics and various natural phenomena ■ Improve spatial recognition ■ Cultivate a sense of self-efficacy  
Expand interpersonal communication skills



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**Day:** Friday from 3:15 – 4:30pm: This will start in Term 2, 2018.

**Cost:** between \$20 - \$25 depending on student groups

There is a limit of 17 students per group as students generally work in small groups of 2 or 3 people.

If you are interested in your child attending this after school activity please hand your form in at the office.

My child \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ is interested in attending the Young Engineers Program every Friday, starting in Term 2.

My email is: \_\_\_\_\_





Starting in Term 2, Mine Art Fun, will be running after school origami classes every Wednesday.

Each class will run from 3:15pm to 4:45pm taught by Tracey Rogers. Each class costs \$20.

The classes do a variety of activities such as going over different folds and model bases. Learning how to divide a square into halves thirds 4ths up to 8ths... and geometric shapes... and how to use all of these practices and ideas to create 3d objects from flat paper... and of course they make models.

More information can be found at the website: [www.mineartfun.com](http://www.mineartfun.com)

If you are interested in attending please use the website to enrol or simply fill in the form and return to your class teacher or see Mrs Gwynne in Year One.

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My daughter/son \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ would like to attend Origami on Wednesday afternoons from 3:15pm to 4:45pm.

My email address is: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_