



Year 2 and 3 Parent Information **Term 3 Information Letter**

THEME: T.E.A.M (Together Everyone Achieves More)

Dear Parents and Families,

Welcome back! The teaching team for Term 3 is Mrs Nila Poasa, Mrs Mary-Ann Landwehr with Miss Mia Catalano as our Education Assistant. Mrs Poasa is the Class Teacher and Mrs Landwehr teaches Yr 3 Religious Education and Mathematics after Recess, Yr 2 and Yr 3 Italian after lunch on Tuesdays and Yr 2 and Yr 3 Health on Fridays at 1.20-2.10pm.

Miss Catalano will be on leave in Week 2 and Week 3, so Mrs Belinda Curtis will be the relief Education Assistant during this time.

Classroom Learning Programme

Religion, English, Mathematics, Visual/Media Arts and Health is still taught by Mrs Poasa and Mrs Landwehr. Health with Mrs Poasa will be Child Safety and with Mrs Landwehr will be Healthy lifestyle options. The Curriculum Integrated focus topics are as follows:

Technology

For Semester 2, the students will be learning about Sustainability with a focus on creating a sustainable environment and the impact of climate change.

HASS

The Semester 2 focus is Geography:

The Year 2 students will be learning about Sites of Significance; and

The Year 3 students will be exploring, investigating and identifying the natural and physical environment of Australia.

Visual Arts/Media Arts

Students will be creating art pieces using colour and mixed media materials combined with digital technology related to their Geography and Technology topics.

Homework for Term 3 remains the same:

- **Reading:** Literacy Pro and/or Reading Book (from the Independent Book Box)
- **Spelling:** Look Write Cover Check booklet
- **Maths:** Practice work for the week
Year 3 Students continue with Multiplication daily
- **Religious Education:** Weekly Activity in the Student Diary
- Homework should take no longer than 20minutes each day

Parent Communication

The diary can also be used for Parent/Teacher Communication. Please feel free to write in this part if you need to make a quick note for the teacher to read. Please sign the diary once a week when you have viewed your child's outline for the week.

Seesaw will also contain some announcements for families and your child's work will be posted weekly on this digital app.

Please feel free to contact Mrs Nila Poasa to discuss your concerns or clarify anything regarding your child via email or phone. You may also see me before 8.00am from Monday-Friday or after school on Wednesday or Thursday. The email contact details are:

email: admin@stjoeswaroona.wa.edu.au.

Subject Line: Yr 2 and 3 Class: (Name of your child)

We look forward to continuing working with your child this year.

Kind regards,

Mrs Nila Poasa and Mrs Mary-Ann Landwehr
Yr 2/3 Teachers

Important Term Dates

| July | |
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| 26 | 9am Grandparents' Mass |
| 31 | Year 3 Reconciliation Retreat |
| August | |
| 8 | Bishop's Religious Literacy Assessment |
| 8 | Reconciliation Ceremony |
| 12 | Scitech Family Evening – Maths |
| 15 | Assumption Mass (Organised by Year 2/3) |
| 16 | Casuals for Catholics (Gold coin donation) |
| 22 | Book Week Dress Up Day |
| 23 | Pupil Free Day |
| 26 | Choir at Performing Arts Festival |
| 29 | Father's Day Stall |
| 30 | Father's Day Breakfast and Mass |
| September | |
| 5 | Yr 3-6 Jumps and Throws |
| 6 | School Athletics Carnival |
| 10 | Parent Night Learning Journey |
| 17 | School Photos |
| 19 | Choir @ Carnivale, Bunbury |
| 20 | Interschool Athletics (Yr 3-6) |
| 23 | Learning Journey |
| 25 | Excursion: Yr 2, 3 and 4 – 'The Twits' play in Bunbury |
| 27 | Yr 2/3 Assembly Item and Footy Dress Up Day |