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Thursday 16th
December

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

MONDAY 13 th December	TUESDAY 14 th	WEDNESDAY 15 th	THURSDAY 16 th	FRIDAY 17 th
Yr 6 Farewell Yr 6 Graduation	Stage 2 Celebration Day		Last day for Students Yr 6 Special Activities	Presentation Day

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Thank you to our school community for your ongoing support and adherence to continuing COVID restrictions.

Students continue to power on towards the end of the year.

A number of parents have asked me about what restrictions will be in place at the beginning of 2022. The short answer is that I don't know. At this stage we will start 2022 the same way we finish 2021. We will update families via DoJo and Facebook if there are changes in the days before we return.

End of 2021 and beginning of 2022

Thursday 16th Dec 2021 - Last day for students 2021

Friday 28th & Monday 31st January – School office open.

Tuesday 1st February 2022 – First day for students in Years 1- 6

Friday 4th February 2022 – Kindergarten students start.

Debating – We're Through to the State Final!

Congratulations to Sophie, Beth, Grace and Abby on winning their semi-final debate to go through to the final debate of the Premier's Debating Challenge.

Yesterday the team argued against St Ives Public School that "All top students in a school should be placed in the one class.

We are not sure when the final will be on at this stage, but we wish the team well. We are very proud of our debaters. Well done also to Mr Ridley for his coaching of the team.

Thank You Volunteers & Helpers



Normally at this time of year we would be holding a morning tea as a small sign of our appreciation for everyone who helps out to make our school a great school. Unfortunately, we are unable to do that this year so I want to acknowledge the contribution of many. It has been a tough year for volunteers, many of whom had to adjust and adapt to changing requirements.

Our **P & C members**, led by Tonia and Hannah, are a great group of parents dedicated to working with the school for the betterment of students. They provide feedback, ideas and input into policy and directions of the school, they fund raise and they work to help staff. Thank you to all of the P & C members for your contributions. We particularly thank you for your contributions to our new top playground area.

Uniform shop team. Led by Trish, the team has provided outstanding service to families during difficult times. The team are all volunteers and have put in many, many hours to make sure students are in the correct uniform. Thank you to the team.

Canteen Thank you to all of the volunteers whom have helped out in the canteen this year. Thank you also to Lyn, Mandy and Corrine. They are paid for some of their time but I know they also put a lot of extra time into provide a great service to students.

Banking Thank you to our student banking team over the years. Thank you to Sarah Martin for running banking this year. Student banking won't be continuing in the future at school.

Classroom helpers Thank you to all of our parents who have helped out during the year. Reading and maths helpers in classrooms, Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden program helpers, sporting team helpers and many others. Thank you.

Scripture Teachers Thank you to our many scripture teachers for your work in conducting special religious education classes.

Environment helpers Thank you to our many helpers for your work in supporting our environment programs. Helpers who took soft plastics for recycling, helpers with the gardens and the chooks and other helpers whom have contributed in many ways.

There are many others that have helped out along the way. Thank you to everyone on your contributions to our school.

Student Leaders & Volunteers

I also want to recognise and acknowledge our student volunteers for various roles.

Our student leaders – parliament members and sport house captains – have had a disrupted year but have continued to show their leadership throughout those changes. Well done to Abby and Kynan, our senior leaders. Thank you to Sophie, Micah, Aurora, Calais, Mathilde, Grace, Boadie, Archie, Max, Tye and Tom for their contributions and leadership. Thank you to Kara, Tor, Layla, Jimmy, Jordan, Spencer, Toby and Ava for their leadership of our sports houses.

Thank you to all of our other student volunteers for their work on diverse roles from putting flags up, feeding the chooks, emptying recycling bins and many more. I appreciate all of your contributions to make our school the great school it is.

Semester Two Reports

Semester 2 reports were sent home yesterday. The modified reports were sent with students. Additional reports will be posted by tomorrow. If you do not receive a report please contact the school office.

Year 6 Graduation and Farewell

Next Monday we will hold our Year 6 Graduation via Zoom webinar. Details have been sent home to families. In the evening students will enjoy their farewell.



Presentation Day

Our annual presentation day will be held via Zoom Webinar tomorrow. There will be a main session for stage 3 and major award winners. There will be sessions for each stage and the support unit (see list below).

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Practice Assembly 9:10am-9:45am Friday 3 December	https://nsweducation.zoom.us/j/69705777125?pwd=bCttbXhXOVZGbGtpUIUzaDk5dkRodz09	697 0577 7125	practice
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School Development Day

Friday 17th December is a school development day for staff. They will be involved in planning and training. In the morning sessions, staff will undertake evaluation of our school plan and then work on our plans for 2022. In the afternoon, staff will update their CPR training.

Step Up Transition Program

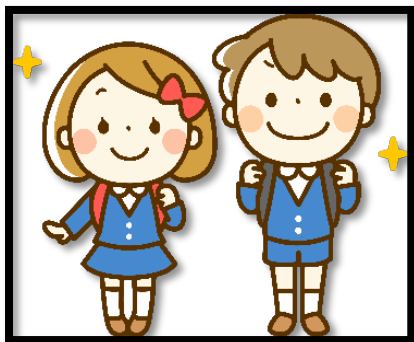
Students in Kinder, Year 1 and Year 2 have undertaken our step up program where they spend some time in a classroom for their next grade up. This gives them a chance to know where their classrooms will be in 2022 and some of the teachers they will meet. The classroom or the teacher they spent time with **may not be** their teacher or room for next year but just gives them a 'taste' to ease any worries.

Premier's Reading Challenge



Congratulations to all students for their participation in the Premier's Reading Challenge. Well done on ensuring you have read enough books to meet the target and receive your certificate. Particular congratulations to our Gold Award winners.

Uniform 2022



When we return in 2022, I am looking forward to everyone being back in correct uniform. Post COVID lockdown we have been 'relaxed' about uniform, understanding the position of families. However, when we return in 2022, the expectation will be that each student is in **correct** uniform. Students should be proud to be part of our school and this includes socks. **Black socks** are **NOT** part of the uniform. Grey shorts = grey socks, blue shorts or dress = white socks.

Enclosed black shoes, with good support.

The uniform was endorsed by the school community and is supported by the P & C. It is an expectation that students wear the correct uniform.

When purchasing items over the school holidays please purchase the correct uniform items.

School Hat Blue school bucket hat. Children are expected to wear their school hat in order to play in the playground as part of our SUN SAFE POLICY.

OPTION 1:

Summer: Check dress, white socks, black shoes or plain black joggers.

Winter: Blue check uniform, blue blouse, white socks/black stockings, black shoes or plain black joggers. Blue jumper and/or blue jacket.

OPTION 2:

Summer: Grey shorts, blue polo shirt, grey socks, black shoes, or plain black joggers.

Winter: Grey shorts or trousers, blue polo shirt, blue jumper or jacket with black shoes or plain black joggers and grey socks.

SPORTS UNIFORM:

OPTION 1: House T-shirt, royal blue basketball shorts or royal blue pleated skirt, white socks and white joggers. Tracksuit.

OPTION 2: House T-shirt, royal blue basketball shorts, white socks, and white joggers. tracksuit.

PSSA representative jumpers may be worn on your sports day only. The jumper must have been earned by the student (not their brother or sister).

JEWELLERY AND ACCESSORIES

Hair

School Uniform: Royal blue elastics, ribbons, head-bands
Sports Uniform: House colours

Accessories

Earrings: Gold/silver studs or sleepers
Bracelets: Baby bracelets or bangles that physically cannot be removed, medical alert bracelets
Necklaces: Religious e.g. St. Christopher
Rings: Signet ring

Make Up

Nail Polish: Clear
Face: Sunscreen, clear lip balm

Note - Any item that does not fall into the above categories is not permitted at school.

Michael Burgess
Principal

Kindergarten 2022

We are so excited to meet our new Kindergarten students starting next year! Please enrol online and upload or email any required documents directly to the school as soon as possible to ensure that all information can be sent to enrolling families.



Brooke Walkaden

Relieving Assistant Principal

Enrolments can be made on-line via the link on our school website.

[Home - Terrigal Public School \(nsw.gov.au\)](https://www.nsw.gov.au/education/schools/terrigal-public-school)

Library Books



Please return all school library books. Your child may have a library book they borrowed before lockdown that now needs to be returned. All library books can be returned to the 'returns' box in the Library.

Nari Foster
Teacher Librarian

Presentation Day Zoom Webinar Details

Instructions to Join Assembly (Test Session, 3 December) and Presentation Day (10 December) Via Live Stream (Zoom Webinar)

We encourage you to test this system by joining our school assembly this Friday, 3 December.

Please note that we are running separate webinars for each stage on presentation day, so if you have children in other stages, you must take note of the different times and meeting details for each child's stage.

Step 1: Create a Zoom Account

Prior to joining the meeting, you will need a Zoom account. The following link will direct you to the Zoom sign up page. <https://zoom.us/join>

Step 2: Join the Meeting.

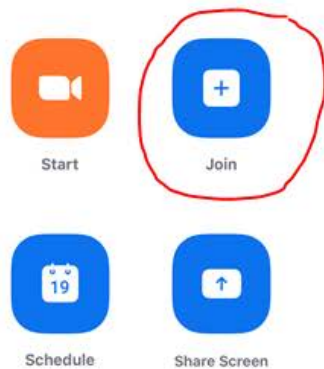
You will be able to view our assembly once you join the Zoom webinar. The webinar format means that attendees cannot share their screens or audio.

Log in to your Zoom account and join the webinar. See the table for meeting details. A visual guide has been provided.

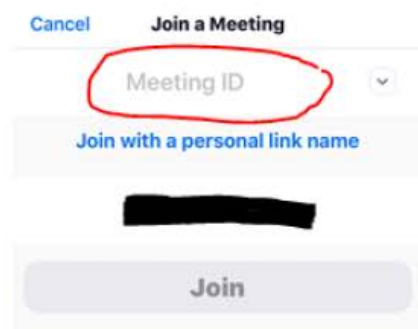
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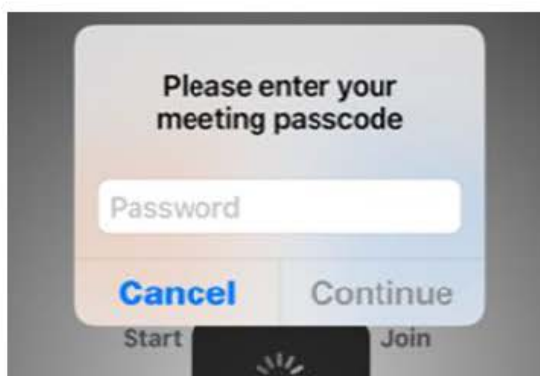
1: Click 'Join'



2: Enter the meeting ID in the box



3: Enter the webinar password and join the meeting (select 'continue')



MERIT AWARDS



Stage 3

6K All of 6K
6H Will
 Kye
6CR All of 6CR
6B Mati
 Addison
5/6TLE milee
 Thomas
5S William
 Maddie
5R Lucas
 Tilly
5G Evie
 Harper
 Kaleb
4/5C Calvin
4-6M Cody

Stage 2

4M Max
 Elizabeth
4L Xavier
 Mitchell
4/5C Kaelan
4B Heidi
 Marlie
3/4J Ione
 Max
3S Edie
 Aleksander
3R Eboni
 Hunter
3H Madeline
 Beau
3D Caylee
 Ashton
3-4H Nixon

Stage 1

2W Cuz
 Lavinia
2SF Jayce
 Ellie
2H Atlas
 Abbey
2C Hudson
 Hugo
2B Elynne
 Oscar
1/2M William
 Giselle
1W Austin
 Zeppelin
1T Bailey
 Louie
1S John
 Spencer
1FT Billy
 Snowden
1D Jarrod
 Vivienne
K-3N Bodhi

Early Stage 1

KP Kobe
 Christina
KN Ethan
 Aliyah
KL Blake
 Finn
KH Asher
 Jackson
KB Lucas
 Caleb
KA Freddie
 Milan

PRINCIPAL AWARD



The Principal's Award is presented to a student who has helped to make our school a happy and safe place to learn.

Congratulations Ione – 3/4J



CITIZEN OF THE WEEK



Jemma models an exemplary, selfless attitude on a daily basis. She has demonstrated a high level of maturity by always respecting others and school expectations.

Congratulations Jemma – 6K

We need YOU in 2022 😊

TPS Bush tucker garden!

After a difficult couple of years (COVID-19), we are keen to get moving on the TPS bush Tucker Garden.

I have liaised with school parent Tiffany Staines, who has kindly offered her help to design a lovely space, with bush tucker plants that are suited to our coastal climate. These will be child friendly and plants that we can use as part of our SAKG program.

We need some able-bodied parents to help us dig out the plants and prepare the bed for planting (COVID-19 guidelines will apply).

We are going to be building a path with seating, there will be planting information on Totem poles, a dry river bed, a fabulous “bush tucker” mural and lots of native plants.

This will be happening early in 2022, so if you think you can assist our school with any supplies, materials, artistic flare or just some hands on help for a planting bee, can you please contact Mrs Heidi Murphy (Teacher, Year 3) at heidi.murphy3@det.nsw.edu.au or chat with you child’s teacher.

Any help is always greatly appreciated, we have such a wonderful school community.

Thank you,

Mrs Murphy





UNIFORM SHOP – TERM 4 2021

OPERATED AND POWERED BY 100% VOLUNTEERS

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Thank you to our school community for your wonderful support of the P&C uniform Shop. We welcome our 2022 Kindy students for orientation next week and we can't wait to see everyone in their new uniforms in 2022.

2021-2022 IMPORTANT DATES

The UNIFORM SHOP will be CLOSED from Thursday 16th Dec with our First day back Wednesday 2nd February 2022.

At this stage we will continue with current online orders only – if restrictions change we will notify the school community.

	<u>2021</u>	
Tuesday 14th December	Last day to order uniforms for 2021	Flexi-Schools Order Cut-Off 5pm
Wednesday 15 th December		Final order to be completed and distribute to classes
Thursday 16th December		Last day of Term 4
Friday 17 th December		<u>SCHOOL HOLIDAYS</u>
	<u>2022</u>	
Monday 17 th January	Online orders Re-open for 2022	Please use 2021 Class Codes
Wednesday 26 th January		Public Holiday
Thursday 27 th January		School Holidays
Friday 28 th January	Staff Development Day	NO STUDENTS
Monday 31 st January	Staff Development Day	NO STUDENTS
Tuesday 1st February	1st day of Term 1 2022 Flexi-Schools Order Cut-Off 5pm	First day back Grade 1 -6
Wednesday 2nd February	Uniform Shop – ONLINE ONLY	Orders to be completed distributed
Friday 4th February		Kinder Start 2022

We are normally open on Wednesday morning 8:30am – 9:30am During School Term ONLY.

Unfortunately, due to **Current COVID restrictions the Shopfront is CLOSED. We are completing online and manual orders.**

- **PLEASE CLEARLY LABEL ALL ITEMS**

2nd Hand Uniforms – [FACEBOOK PAGE \(TPS-Pre-Loved Uniforms \(For Sale or for Free\)\)](#)

We do not sell or collect 2nd hand uniforms. We encourage families to utilise the community facebook page to reduce waste, encourage recycling and reduce the cost to families.

SUMMER UNIFORM

Option 1

Summer Dress
White Socks



Option 2

Grey Shorts (Girls)
Blue Polo (Unisex)
White Socks



Option 3

Grey Shorts (Boys)
Blue Polo (Unisex)
Grey Socks



How to Order

OPTION 1

Complete orders online (www.flexischools.com.au) or via APP using your child's class code

Orders must be received by Tuesday at 5pm by Flexi-schools for your order to be completed on Wednesday mornings, we then distribute them to classes/teachers for students to bring home. Please allow 1-2 days as absences and other school activities can delay distribution.

OPTION 2 (Order anytime)

Complete the attached order form and return to the school office.

We will contact/message you when your order is completed and can be picked up from the school office.

Why can't we try items on?

Unfortunately, due to COVID restrictions we are unable to allow students to try on uniforms.

What to do if what you ordered does not fit?

We will happily exchange undamaged items with the tags attached.

Please return incorrect items to the school office with the following details attached.

Name, Mobile, description of items you need swapped.

TERRIGAL PS SCHOOL BAND JOIN THE BAND!

Is your child interested in joining the school band?

The school band is now taking enrolments for 2022 and is open to all students currently in years 2-5.

No prior experience needed!

During Term 4 students will see a band demonstration highlighting the different instruments available to learn at school. **After this demonstration they will receive a flyer with information** about school band and how to enrol.

What do you need to do?

1. **Carefully read the flyer** for information about the school band (or visit www.teachingservices.com.au/EOI)
2. **Select which instrument**** your child would like to play in the band – there are some important factors to consider when selecting an instrument and these are all covered on our website
3. **Enrol online** – once you have confirmed which instrument your child wishes to play, please finalise your enrolment online

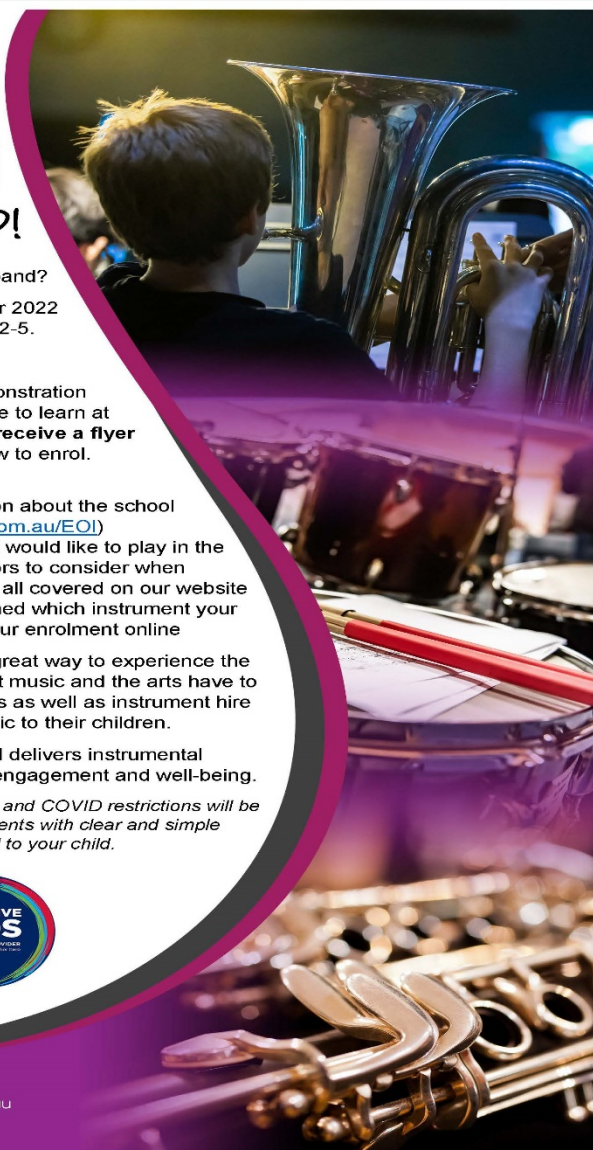
Learning an instrument in an ensemble is a great way to experience the social, educational and personal benefits that music and the arts have to offer! TSA provides a variety of tuition options as well as instrument hire and sales to help parents give the gift of music to their children.

TSA is a registered COVID-safe provider and delivers instrumental programs with a focus on inclusion, student engagement and well-being.

***Selecting an instrument during remote learning and COVID restrictions will be different to previous years – TSA will provide parents with clear and simple advice to help you find the instrument best suited to your child.*



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PIANO LESSONS

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Summer Holiday Art Workshops



Christmas Decorations

Wed 22nd Dec 9.30-12.30pm \$40
3 hours of Christmas fun making Chrissy trees and table decorations.



Christmas Craft

Thu 23rd Dec 9.30-12.30pm \$40
Our Christmas fun continues, this time making cards and wreaths.



Space Whale Drawing

Tues 4th Jan 10-12pm \$30 Zoom 2-4pm \$25
Magical coloured pencil drawing of a flying whale.



Cute Koala Painting

Fri 14th Jan 10-12pm \$30 Zoom 2-4pm \$25
Acrylic on canvas painting of an adorable Koala.



Clay Cow

Mon 17th Jan 10-12pm \$30
We begin with this cute clay cow, adding other baby animals to the collection.



Life Drawing

Mon 17th Jan 2-4pm \$20
Students bring sketchbook and draw live model.



Mixed Media Design

Mon 24th Jan 10-12pm \$30 Zoom 2-4pm \$25
Beautiful designs made with watercolour, gold paint, black pen and white acrylic paint.



Gum Tree Watercolour

Thurs 27th Jan 10-12pm \$30 Zoom 2-4pm \$25
Contemporary style watercolour painting of gum leaves and blossoms.



Treehouse Art Studio
Joanna Francis

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Holiday Break Camps.

Experience a **FREE** Holiday Break Camp at Point Wolstoncroft this School Holidays.

Holiday Break is a series of **FREE** camps for children in regional NSW aged between 12-15 years that have been impacted by COVID-19 border restrictions, bush fires and drought, offering a much-needed break.

Inclusions

- Day camps are inclusive of morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and activities.
- Open to boys and girls 12-15 years
- 40 places available per day

Camp dates Jan 2022

- Monday 10 January
- Tuesday 11 January
- Wednesday 12 January
- Thursday 13 January
- Friday 14 January
- Monday 17 January
- Tuesday 18 January
- Wednesday 19 January
- Thursday 20 January
- Friday 21 January

Activities can include

Archery , BMX, Kyaking, Orienteering, Problem Solving Activities,
Cook out or Survival Skills!

More information

sport.nsw.gov.au/holidaybreak or 13 13 02

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COST PER CHILD PER DAY \$7
\$13 PER FAMILY PER DAY

9-11.30AM EACH DAY
MON 3 TO FRI 7 JAN. 2022

An epic holiday program for kids. Come and enjoy awesome games, challenges, Bible talks, friendship & fun!

MORE INFO & BOOK ONLINE EVCHURCH.INFO/SUMMERFEST
Summerfest is run by EV Church - 331 Terrigal Drive Erina.




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\$2 ENTRY TEENS YEARS 7-12
more info evyouth.com

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SIGN UP TODAY

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+Learn ball skills and stay active
+All girls groups where possible
+Coached by our trained Cricket NSW staff

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Sydney Sixers Holiday Program - Central Coast

Date: Thursday 13th + Friday 14th January

Time: 9am - 12pm each morning

Location: Adcock Park, Gosford

Who: Boys and girls groups

Ages: 5-11

Inclusions: 6 hrs of fun + blast participant pack

Cost: \$69

Register today:

<https://www.playhq.com/cricket-australia/register/6f9ec7>

Contact

Matt 0478 285 757

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CRICKET NSW



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Property Central will donate **\$110**
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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA PARISH, TERRIGAL

The Catholic Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Terrigal sends its kindest regards and best wishes to the school community this Christmas.



To access our online digital Christmas Card and Advent Booklet – click on the following link:

[An Advent & Christmas Message from Catholic SRE Scripture Teachers](#)

With best wishes from the Catholic SRE Teachers