



Kaimkillenbun State School - Newsletter

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Wednesday 16 May - Week 5, Term 2

Welcome to Week 5

This week has seen our Year 3 and Year 5 learners participate in NAPLAN. I would like to say congratulations to these students who have approached the Language Conventions and Writing task (persuasive) with a positive, 'can do' attitude. Today, our 3's and 5's will be completing the Reading assessment with the Numeracy assessment tomorrow.



As you may be aware, NAPLAN is a short assessment that is undertaken four times across a student's school life. It supports conversations between parents, teachers and schools to ensure that we can continue to work together to help every child reach their full potential.

Additionally, NAPLAN is used to support school improvement by enabling us as a teaching team, to monitor student progress over time – this includes identifying areas of strength and areas of development.

As stated by the Australian Curriculum Assessment Reporting Authority (2018), 'NAPLAN is not, and should never be, the sole measure of a child's achievement at school or of the success of a school'. Here at KSS, learning is happening every day and the teaching team is constantly tracking and monitoring this learning.

Reports to schools and families are scheduled to arrive mid-August to mid-September.

Inclusion Coach Visit

Thank you to the KSS school community for your participation in yesterday's consultation on inclusion at KSS. I hope that we provided a safe environment for you to share your thoughts. Gail and Deb will now pull together the feedback from students, parents and staff and present us with some next-step thinking which will include what we are doing well and areas for improvement. I will share this feedback at the June P&C Meeting in addition to working with staff and the regional Student Support team to ensure that we consistently working towards improved learning outcomes for each and every student at Kaimkillenbun State School.

THANK YOU Volunteers from the KSS P&C

Thank you to those who took time out on Friday afternoon and Saturday to assist at the clearing sale. Your time and dedication is acknowledged and appreciated. Please attend next month's P&C meeting if you'd like to learn more about the outcome of this event.

Tuckshop Week 6

Tuckshop roster – Tuesday 22nd May: Amanda

Home cooking: Amanda

Students of the Week

Over the past three Friday's, we have been running on very low staff which has seen an impact on our weekly *Student of the Week* preparation. The following students will receive their certificates this Friday....thank you for your patience here:



Week 3 – Arrt for great outside of the box thinking during English and Andrew for responding well to feedback.

Have a great week, everyone!

Ms Julia Bailey
Acting Principal

Behaviour Expectations – Week 5



At Kaimkillenbun SS, we accept that no two people are the same. We believe that ideas and opinions should be shared; even if we don't agree and we are learning to understand that being different is a good thing. We are learning that being kind costs us nothing but makes other people feel worthy and accepted. And we are learning that parents and families have the biggest influence on their children's beliefs about tolerance and acceptance.

Be Safe	Be Responsible	Be Respectful	Be Kind
Term 1 Week 1 Follow staff instructions	Term 1 Week 3 Whole body listening and active learning	Term 1 Week 5 Keep our hands, feet and objects to ourselves	Term 1 Week 7 Kind voice, kind words, kind actions
Term 1 Week 9 Be in the right place at the right time.	Term 2 Week 1 Complete set tasks including homework	Term 2 Week 3 Use your manners	Term 2 Week 5 Value each other and accept differences
Term 2 Week 7 Use equipment carefully and for its purpose	Term 2 Week 9 Strive to achieve your goals and do your best	Term 3 Week 1 Line up quickly and quietly	Term 3 Week 3 Work together and co-operate
Term 3 Week 5 Be responsible for your personal safety	Term 3 Week 7 Be prepared and organised	Term 3 Week 9 Respect others' learning, space and property	Term 4 Week 1 Help out and encourage each other
Term 4 Week 3 Move safely and quietly	Term 4 Week 5 Tell the truth — own your choices and accept feedback	Term 4 Week 7 Deal with anger appropriately	Term 4 Week 9 Include others

At KSS, we are.....safe, responsible, respectful and kind

KSS Beliefs
Everyone can be successful
Everyone makes a valued contribution
Being positive is essential
Learning is a partnership

KSS Values
Giving your best
Working together
Respect
Responsibility
Friendship

Kaimkillenbun State School Calendar 2018

IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 2		
Week	Date	Event
5	15 th 16 th 17 th May	NAPLAN for Year 3 and Year 5 students
6	21 st to 25 th May	Scholastic Book Fair here in the Library!
6	21 st May	GREASE Performance Preview – Year 5 & 6, Dalby State High. Details coming.
9	14 th June	KSS P&C Meeting 7pm Library
10	20 th June	Kaimkillenbun SS Athletics Carnival – Kaimkillenbun (note date change)
11	27 th June	School Reports distributed
IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 3		
Week	Date	Event
9	12 th September	Under 8's Day at Kulpi State School