



Holy Trinity School Granville Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Friends,

Here we are already in week 3 and the learning is well on the way.

At HTG we are fortunate to have instructional leaders, (Mrs O'Leary, Mrs Salt, Mr Galea and Mr Fisher) who work closely with the teachers and students. Their role is monitoring student progress and ensuring that, after looking at the data, each teacher has the skills and knowledge to design programs of learning to suit the needs of each individual student. Some children need the opportunity for more intensive small group instructions and we have teachers who are trained to do this. We offer even more intensive learning through Reading Recovery, Year 1, EMU groups to develop Numeracy, Year 1 and Stage 3, R3, a reading program for older students.

As principal, it is my role to make sure that our leaders have the skills and knowledge they require to make the difference in each child's learning. I meet with the leaders regularly to know and understand the needs of each child and teacher in our school. I visit classrooms daily to observe and work with your children in their learning.

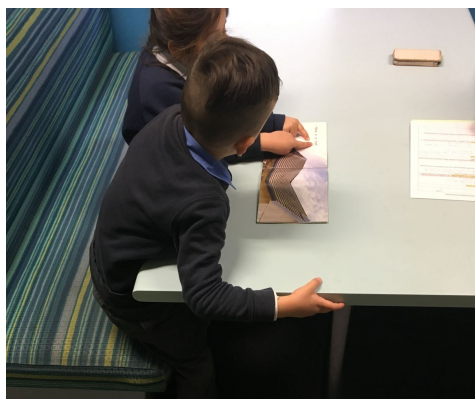
This week I will focus on the learning in K-2.

Kindergarten:

Mathematics:

Kindergarten are learning about multiplication and division in Mathematics in weeks 3 & 4. They are learning how to share and group collections into equal groups. Kindergarten have been learning about larger numbers up to 100. So far this term they have been making large collections and have been counting them accurately and showing how they have counted the collections.

English: Kindergarten are focusing on how to tell when they are making mistakes when they are reading. They need to be detectives and uncover the words when they are reading.



Stage 1:

English:



Year 1 & Year 2 are reading the book, 'The day the Crayons Quit' over the next week.

Students in Year 1 are learning about their writing and how to make better and more interesting sentences.

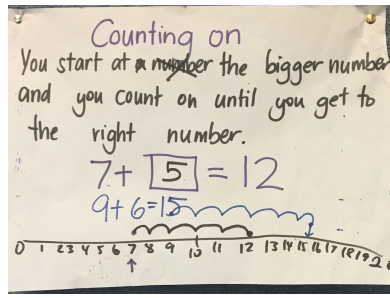
Year 2 are learning about how to write a letter to the crayons to persuade them not to quit!



Mathematics:

Year 1 & Year 2 will all be learning about how to tell the time during Mathematics over the next week. Already this term Year 1 & Year 2 have been learning about large numbers up to and beyond 100.

They have been counting collections and demonstrating what these larger numbers look like using equipment and adding and subtracting larger numbers.



Please join our facebook page and or skoolbag app, to keep updated on events at HTG that you are always welcome to attend.

Thank you to those parents who were able to join us on Wednesday to celebrate Mass for the feast day of Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop. Our mufti day raised \$214, thank you for your support of Miss Rapesoska as she prepares to attend World Youth Day in Panama next year.

Next **Wednesday 15th August** is the feast of the Assumption, this is an Holy Day of Obligation and as catholics we are obliged to attend Mass. We will not have a school Mass on this day but all families and staff are welcome to attend Mass at 8.15 on Wednesday.

BOOK FAIR: Next week our children will attend our book week performance and our annual book fair. Come along after school and buy some books for your children or donate some to the library.

SPORTING SCHOOLS: At the end of last term we applied for a Sporting Schools grant. We were successful and commencing in week 4 for 4 weeks Stage 2 and 3 students will receive coaching in basketball during their Monday sport lessons. This coaching will be provided by the WOLVES basketball group who are located in the PCYC building in Auburn,

World Youth Day tickets: Please return tickets and money to the office. If you are unable to sell the tickets **please return them to the office so that they can be sold at school.**

WHS In week 5 we will participate in our annual whole site evacuation. All students from HTG and Delany will evacuate to Granville park.

Zone Athletics Carnival: Congratulations to Malia Taliauli for coming 2nd in the 200m final on Wednesday and will now go on to the diocesan level. Congratulations also to Benton Setefano and Stella Fitzpatrick who made it into the finals of their events. Thank you to our parent helpers and to Mrs Ibrahim and Mrs Foley for supervising the children.



On **Friday 17th August** please join us for grandparents day. We welcome all grandparents to join us for a liturgy at 9.15. Following on with classroom visits and finally taking grandchildren to the Book Fair, to buy a book for them or to donate to our school library.

Our grandparents hold and share our history, we love them and pray for them.

Love Serve Hope

Helen Boyer

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Principal

95%

Attendance
week ending
3/8/2018

School Fees:

Term 3 school fees have been sent home and are payable by the 27th August.

Attention: All Parents and Carers

HTG are having a

Walk-A-Thon

Friday 19th October 2018

Would you like to be one of the organising committee.

We will need help with

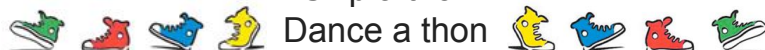
- * Sponsors
- * BBQ chefs
- * People to man checkpoints
- * And any other walk a thon ideas you can think of.

**Our first meeting will be
Monday 3rd September**

Why a walk a thon??? You ask!

Well in the past we have had

Skip a thon



Dance a thon

Read a thon

This year we want to raise money for library books computers and sports equipment
And this year we want to have more community and family involvement!

So get those sponsors primed and get those walking shoes on for a great fun day.

The more the merrier!

Kids Active Program

The NSW Government is helping kids get active with the new Active Kids program.

From 31 January 2018, parents, guardians and carers can apply for a voucher valued up to \$100 per calendar year for each student enrolled in school.

The voucher may be used with a registered activity provider for registration, participation and membership costs for sport, fitness and active recreation activities.

The voucher can be used at any time during The calendar year it was issued.

To use the voucher, give the details to your registered activity provider.

The program runs year-round, so kids can get active at any time!



Birthday Celebrations



Congratulations to the following students who celebrate their Birthday in **August**:

Isabella Montecino, Laasya Gaddi,
Lucy Sultana, Noah Batistic,
John Paul Diab, Ava Watts, Aliya Shamaa
Lopasi Liutai, Charlotte Bou-Francis,
Sophie Yang, Lamea Pirini, Alethia Sewell.



Student of the Week



Week ending 3/8/18

Kindergarten	-	Julie Al Qass
Year One	-	Telesia Anae Roberts
Year Two	-	Philip Kabia
Year Three	-	Jacob Juana
Year Four	-	Grace Batistic
Year Five	-	Timmy Nguyen
Year Six	-	Fatima Syeda



Calendar Dates

Tuesday 14th August	- Kindergarten Excursion to Featherdale Wildlife Park
	- Voice of Youth Cluster Final at St Patrick's Guildford - 11:30
Wednesday 15th August	- The Assumption of Mary - Parish Mass - 8:15
	- Whole School Book Week Performance - 1:50
Thursday 16th August	- Scholastic Book Fair
Friday 17th August	- Grandparents Day - Liturgy - 9:15
	- Classroom Visits, followed by visit to Book Fair
	- Scholastic Book Fair
Monday 20th August	- Captivate Dress Rehearsal
Tuesday 21st August	- Captivate Performance - Homebush
Wednesday 22nd August	- Captivate Performance - Homebush
Thursday 23rd August	- Sacrament of Penance - Holy Family Church - 6:30
Wednesday 29th August	- Father's Day Stall & Raffle
Friday 31st August	- Father's Day BBQ Breakfast - 7:30



YEAR 6 STUDENT LEADER

Saide Tannous



21st of May 2007

<i>Leadership Role</i>	Mackillop Sports Captain (Red)
<i>Time at HTG</i>	Kindergarten to Year 6
<i>Favourite Memory at HTG</i>	In Year 2 we had Crazy Hair Day and I had the most outrageous hairdo.
<i>Best Read</i>	Tom Gates Genius Ideas (mostly) by Liz Pichon
<i>Interests</i>	Playing sport, drawing with my sister and hanging out with friends
<i>Future Ambition</i>	To finish school and be a hairdresser
<i>Quote to Live By</i>	<i>Teamwork makes the Dream Work</i>
<i>High School for 2019</i>	Delany College

