

Holy Trinity School Granville Newsletter



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FRIDAY 9TH AUGUST NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

Dear Parents and Friends.

10 Ways to Help Your Children Succeed

- 1. Talk with your children talk early and often, provide them with information, feedback, a sympathetic ear, good advice based on family values, support rather than criticism. They will come to you throughout their lives for guidance if their early experiences are positive.
- Set high but realistic expectations. No one knows better than you your children's true abilities. Note their strengths and talents and gently encourage them.
 Assist them in setting realistic self-expectations.
- Build your child's sense of self-worth. As children grow and make choices they will make mistakes. Knowing they have your unconditional love and support whatever happens will help them pick themselves up and start again when things do go wrong.
- 4. Keep your children healthy. Children who do well at school come to class rested, well-fed and emotionally prepared. Children who are well nourished in every respect, have the foundation for success.
- 5. Support learning at home. Involvement in your child's learning starts at home. Create the conditions for good learning books, a computer, a quiet study area, library membership, time set aside for homework, interest in progress and reports.
- Communicate with school. Teachers who never hear from parents often assume they are not interested. Attend meetings. Read notices and newsletters. Offer help. Join the Parent Group. Send polite notes to your children's teachers.
- 7. Encourage a spirit of inquiry. Show your children what a wonderful place the world is. Visit parks, museums, art galleries. There is plenty of free entertainment and exploration available. Curiosity about the world around them is the first step to children's thirst for knowledge.
- 8. Build friendships. Children want to fit in and feel they belong. Welcome their friends to your home. Show your children how to be good friends. Teach them the difference between true friendships and popularity.
- 9. Keep children safe. Identify risks and hazards and show your children how to avoid them. Children develop a sense of security when they are taught what to do if they are in danger.
- 10. Speak well of teachers and schools. Children learn their attitudes from you and will like and respect their teachers if they see you do the same.

Love Serve Hope

Philip Mahony Principal 92%

Attendance week ending 26/7/2019

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS 2020



If your child turns 5 by 31st July 2020, they should enrol for school for next year.

Please collect an enrolment package from the school office as soon as possible and return the completed forms with all the required documentation. Letters of acceptance are being sent home now.

SCHOOL FEES

Term 3 fees have now been sent home and are due and payable by the 28th August.

If you are experiencing any difficulties regarding payment of fees, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Notice required Before Moving Students from School

10 school weeks in writing must be given to the principal before removal of a student or a full term's fees will be

This requirement is in recognition by the family of the commitment to assist funding of the School by having their child take a place that could have been offered to another family.

STUDENT SUPERVISION

It is a priority to keep every child safe. Teachers have a duty of care to supervise children both in the learning space and on the playground. This supervision commences at 8:30am each day and no child should be dropped off at school prior to this time.

Afternoon supervision of children concludes at 3:30pm. All children must be collected before this time. Of course, we understand that there are emergencies from time to time that prevent parents from collecting their child on time. Should this occur, please contact the office by phone to let us know you will be running a little late.

After School Basketball

PCYC is holding after school Basketball lessons on Mondays over 4 weeks from 12th August to 2nd September at Holy Trinity.

> 3.20pm - 4.20pm Cost is \$20 per child for the 4 weeks.

Birthday Celebrations

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

Isabella M, Lucy S, John Paul D, Ava W, Aliya S, Lopasi L, Charlotte B, Sophie Y, Lamea P, Alethia S, Laurence S, Isabella S, Jasmeet B



Student of the Week Week ending 26/7/19



Aisha S Kindergarten Year One Jennifer L Year Two Chelsea C Year Three Ephraim C Year Four Gabriel C Year Five Hans C Year Six Alexandra B



Calendar Dates

Cumberland Zone Athletics Carnival, Blacktown Tuesday 6th August Wednesday 7th August Debating - Delany Cup

Thursday 8th August Feast of Mary MacKillop - Mass 2pm

Staff Development Day - No School for Student Friday 9th August

Monday 12th August PCYC Basketball Session 1 - 3.20-4.20pm

Thursday 15th August Feast of the Assumption Book Week Performance

Book Character Parade

Book Fair Open

