

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI UPDATE

Term 1

Week 5

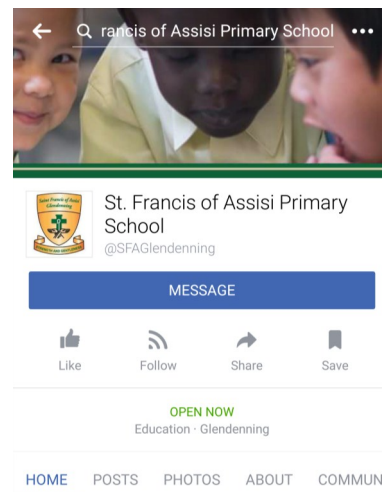
24th February 2017

WE ARE ON FACEBOOK

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ASSEMBLY TIMES & DATES

Due to the Wellbeing and Mindfulness Program in the hall on Fridays, Term 1 assemblies will be held in the even weeks, on different days at 2.30pm. We will send out an alert on the Skoolbag App to remind you on the day of the assembly.

Week 6 - Tues 28 Feb

Week 8 - Thur 16 Mar

Week 10 - Wed 29 Mar

ABSENCES

If your child is going to be away from school could you please advise the office via phone, email or Skoolbag App by 9.30am on the day that they are absent.

CAR PICK UP & PARKING

We are still having issues in the car pick up and drop off in the morning and the afternoon.

When you are dropping your child off in the morning, parents are NOT to park in the bay on Armitage Drive. If you want to walk your child in, you will need to park on the street or in the BP (but not at the pumps).

When you are picking your child up in the afternoon, you need to join the queue on Armitage Drive and wait your turn. There is to be no queue jumping as this is extremely unsafe as well as unfair to those parents who have been waiting their turn. Please ensure your child gets in your car from the curb side and that they are restrained correctly and doors are fully closed before driving off.



DATES COMING UP

- 01/3 Ash Wednesday
- 06/3 Catholic Schools Week
- 15/3 School Photos
- 30/3 Year 6 Camp



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

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On Monday 6th March St Francis of Assisi Primary will be holding a liturgy in the hall at 9.00am.

Afterwards there will be open classrooms from 9.45am to 10.30am.

ALL FAMILIES AND FRIENDS ARE WELCOME.

PARENT LEARNING FORUM

On Tuesday 7th March at 7pm in the library there will be a Parent Learning Forum. On the night we will be going over our School Goals for 2017 and how technology looks at St Francis for 2017.

The P & F will also be holding their AGM afterwards.

All families are invited to attend this learning forum and the P & F AGM.

P & F EVENT DATES

This year the P & F Group will be holding the following events:

7th April 2017 Easter Raffle

12th May 2017 Mother's Day Stall

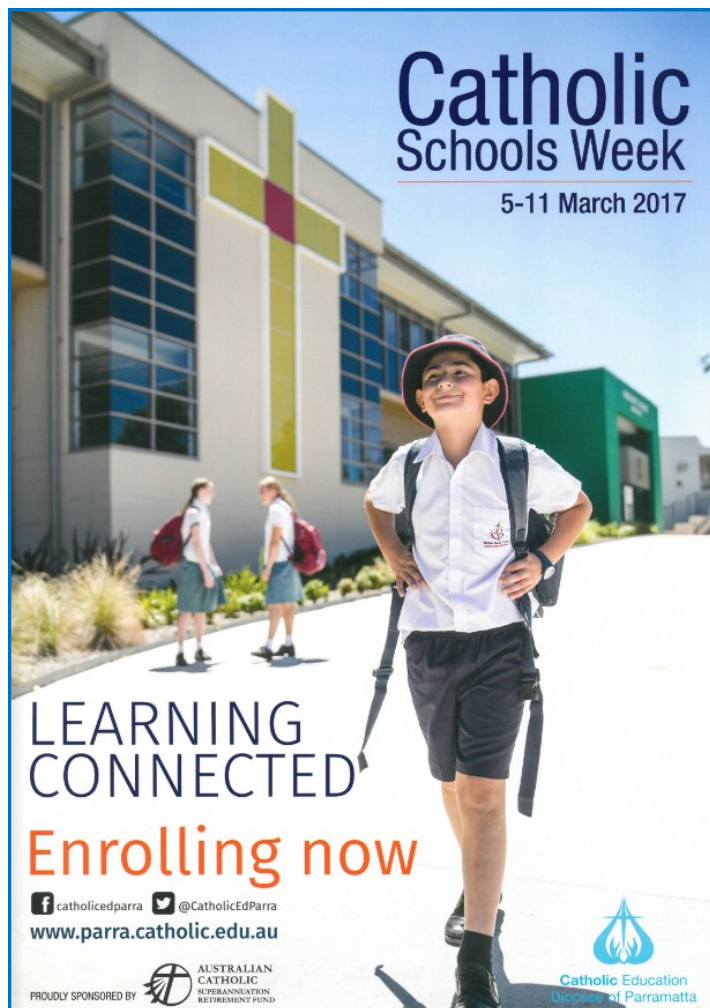
June 2017. There will be two disco's one for infants and a one for primary. Dates to be advised.

ATTENDANCE

Attendance is a major focus for St Francis of Assisi this year.



EVERY LEARNER, EVERY DAY is our school slogan for 2017. It is our combined responsibility to have our children at school every day and on time.


Please assist us to increase our student attendance.




Catholic Schools Week
5-11 March 2017

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 AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC SUPERANNUATION RETIREMENT FUND

 Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta

SCHOOL FEES

A reminder that Flexible Payment Plans forms were due back to CEO this week. If you haven't sent this in and want to take part please return immediately.

Term 1 school fees are due on Monday 6th March 2017. We do not have a lot of change available so please ensure if you are paying cash at the office, that you have the correct amount.

If at any time you need to discuss your school fees account, please feel free to call the office as this enables all conversations to remain private.

every learner
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TERM 1 OVERVIEW – 2017

Updated: 24/02/2017

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT/SUN
1 JAN	23 rd	24 th	25 th	26 th Australia Day Holiday	27 th Staff return 2017	28 th 29 th
2 JAN FEB	30 th STUDENTS RETURN	31 st	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th 5 th
3 FEB	6 th	7 th Parent Info Sessions Years 2 & 3 6.30pm Years 4,5 & 6 @ 7.00pm	8 th	9 th Opening School Mass 10am	10 th February Census	11 th Our Lady of Lourdes 12 th
4 FEB	13 th Kindy Info & BBQ 5.00pm Year 1 Parent Info Session @ 6.00pm	14 th Valentine's Day	15 th Blacktown Zone Swimming at Mt Druitt Pool	16 th Reconciliation Yr 5	17 th	18 th 19 th
5 FEB	20 th	21 st	22 nd	23 rd Mass Year 5	24 th Diocesan Swimming Blacktown Pool	25 th 26 th
6 FEB MAR	27 th	28 th Shrove Tuesday Whole School Assembly @ 2.30	1 st Season of Lent ASH WEDNESDAY	2 nd	3 rd	4 th 5 th 1 st Sunday of Lent
7 MAR	6 th Catholic Schools Week	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th School Cross Country	11 th 12 th 2 nd Sunday of Lent
8 MAR	13 th	14 th	15 th SCHOOL PHOTOS	16 th Whole School Assembly @ 2.30	17 th St Patrick's Day	18 th 19 th 3 rd Sunday of Lent
9 MAR	20 th	21 st	22 nd	23 rd Year 6 Mass	24 th	25 th 26 th 4 th Sunday of Lent
10 MAR APR	27 th	28 th	29 th Whole School Assembly @ 2.30	30 th Year 6 Camp Stage 2 Reconciliation	31 st Year 6 Camp	1 st 2 nd 5 th Sunday of Lent
11 APR	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th Stage 2 Mass	7 th Last day of Term 1	8 th 9 th Palm Sunday HOLY WEEK

GOOD FRIDAY 14th April, EASTER SUNDAY 16th April, EASTER MONDAY 17th April