# WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL YEAR 5



## WELCOME BACK!

Welcome to Term Two! There is another busy and wonderful term of learning in store for our Year 5 students. Our students have returned back to school well rested and eager to see what's in store for them this term. Our Inquiry topic is Science based and focuses on our Solar System. We have an incursion planned with Science Discovery Dome to support the Inquiry topic. The incursion is taking place during week four on Friday 3rd of May. Information can be found on Compass. All Year 5 students will be cooking during week five, this is an activity that our students look forward to and thoroughly enjoy. During week five students will also betaking part in a number of assessment tasks that will help form the basis of our student midyear reports that will be distributed to parents in week ten of this term. During week six we will be celebrating our first nation people and their achievements and contributions that they have made to Australian society. Belvedere Park Primary will be celebrating Education Week in week five. This year's theme is 'Spotlight on STEM.' During this week the school will be hosting an open night, May 14th, and an open morning, May the 16th.

Mr Will Spencer and Mrs Shari Lopez



# CHOICE, RESPONSIBILITY, RESPECT AND CONSEQUENCES

These are the four words we live by in the Hive. All students have been introduced to, or reminded of, the behaviour system that runs throughout the 5/6 area. Each student's behaviour is directly linked to the Friday electives. Each Friday afternoon students have a choice of fun activities. Students who have been on the behaviour system during the week accumulate consequences starting with the loss of their choice and increasing to the complete loss of their time. We are encouraging students to see the connection between their choices throughout the week in the classroom and playground and the ability to participate in weekly rewards.

### **SPECIALIST TIMETABLE 2024: TERM 2**

5A

**PE: Tuesday 9:00-10:00** 

Performing Arts: Tuesday 10:00-11:00 Digi Tech: Wednesday 10:00-11:00

Art: Thursday 9:00-10:00

**5B** 

Performing Arts: Tuesday 9:00-10:00

PE: Tuesday 10:00-11:00

Digi Tech: Wednesday 9:00-10:00

Art: Thursday 10:00-11:00

5/6 Sport

Friday 11:30-12:30

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# **UNIFORM**

It's great to see many children looking fabulous in the correct school uniform. We have recently reminded students of the school rules regarding jewellery and nail polish. This information can be found on the school website in the Uniform Policy.



## **TERM 2 CURRICULUM CONTENT**

MATHS	READING	WRITING	INQUIRY
Addition	Inferring	SPELLING AND GRAMMAR	Earth's Place in Space
Data and Interpretation	Cause and Effect	Explanation	Sudden and Extreme Changes to Earth's Surface
Subtraction	Compare and Contrast	Procedure	Living Things in their Environment
Angles and Shape	Summarising	Information Report	
		HIVE Newspaper	

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### **HOMEWORK**

There will be 3 main consistent components of homework throughout the year.

- 1. Weekly spelling words, which will go out on the Monday and be tested on the Friday of the same week.
- 2. Regular times table practice.
- 3. Daily reading of a text. Recommended time is between 10-15 minutes.

There was also a larger project sent home last week that is due on the 17th of May regarding our Space Unit.



## **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 3rd: 5/6 Space Incursion May 7th: District Field Events May: 9th: Mother's Day Stall May 13th-17th: Education Week

May 14th: Open Night May 16th: Open Morning May 20th-24th: Book Fair

May 29th: Division Cross Country

June 9th: Kings Birthday June 10th: Student Free Day June 20th: Sausage Sizzle

June 25th: Parent Teacher Interviews

June 28th: Last Day of Term 2:30 Dismissal

