

# WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL YEAR 5



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Welcome to Term Four! Cannot believe we already here, time fly's! There is another busy and wonderful term of learning in store for our Year 5 students in The Hive.

Term three was a busy and exciting period for our year 5 students. Highlights included the week long intensive swimming program at PARC, a number students participating in the inter school sport round robin tournament with our year 6 students, Lightning Premiership day at Mahogany Rise Primary School and an insightful and educational Indigenous art incursion.

Term four is also shaping up to be even more action-packed. We begin with one of the biggest events on the school calendar, the annual school fun run, which looks to be bigger and better than last year. Our students have a visit from St. John's First Aid, where they will learn valuable and important information on what to do in an emergency. We will finish the school year with a 3 week block dedicated to leadership. During this time, our grade 5 students will be learning what it takes to become a respected leader at Belvedere Park Primary. They will also get a chance to nominate themselves for the important roles of 2024 school captain, house captain, enviro leader, ICT leader and bike shed leader. Students will have the opportunity to work with their teachers on crafting application letters and speeches as well as workshops on improving public speaking. We look forward to a busy, action packed Term 4 with our year 5 legends!

**Mrs Shari Lopez & Mr Will Spencer**



## **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 2023: TERM 4

### 5S

**Art: Monday 9:00-10:00**

**Digi Tech: Wednesday 9:00-10:00**

**Performing Arts: Thursday 9:00-10:00**

**PE: Thursday 10:00-11:00**

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### 5/6 Sport

**Friday 10:00-11:00**

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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
FRACTIONS	FACT AND OPINION	WRITER'S NOTEBOOK	MATTER
TIME	MAIN IDEA	REVIEWS	AUSTRALIAN COLONIES
	AUTHOR'S PURPOSE	PERSUASIVE ADVERTISING	
	UNDERLYING THEMES	SPEECH WRITING	

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## HOMEWORK

As you would have seen, homework is looking different this year. We have sent home a small project based around our Matter unit that is due on Friday the 27th of October. This is an optional task. Students who complete the task will be awarded with house points when they return it to their teacher. Another small project will be handed out after week 5 exploring the early Australian colonies.

## SPORT

During our Friday sports sessions, students will be participating in the annual 5/6 T-Ball round robin. Teams have already been selected and the tournament will kick off on Friday the 20th of October.



## IMPORTANT DATES

**October 13th: School Fun Run**

**October 25th: St John's First Aid Program**

**November 6th: Pupil Free Day**

**November 7th: Melbourne Cup Day**

**December 20th: Final Day of Term (1:30 Finish)**