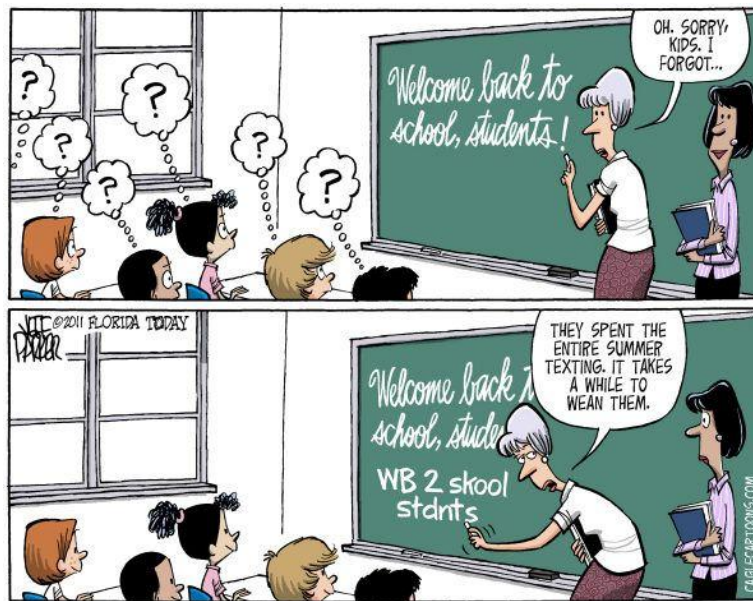


YEAR 5 PARENT INFORMATION BOOKLET 2019



TEACHER: MISS KATE VIDULICH

Classroom Behaviour Policy

Our school has introduced a whole school approach to behaviour management, focussing on a colour coded system, outlining clearly to students the 'Levels of Behaviour.' The students have discussed different behaviours in class and levelled them according to the severity of the actions; green through to red.



Classroom Behaviour Consequences System

Fun with classmates and friends
A smile, encouragement, 'thank you' & praise
House tokens
Class reward system
Certificate at assembly
See Mr Bienkowski with special work

Adult check in - the 'Look'
Green behaviour request
Reminder signal from an adult
Verbal Behaviour warning (3rd reminder)

After 3rd Reminder:
Adult check in – move to 'Thinking Space'
Move to 'Partner Class' to complete Reflection Sheet (parents to sign)
Teacher to contact Admin

Admin Referral – Principal/AP check-in with teacher:
1. See Admin to talk about disruption.
2. Withdrawal from class to work in Admin for a period of time.
3. Parent Contact.

HOMWORK POLICY

Year Fives are expected to complete about 30 minutes a night.

This will generally consist of:

- 10 minutes Reading
- 10 minutes Spelling practice
- 10 minutes Math worksheet, Studyladder or Maths Apps practising Basic Number Facts

Homework will be given out on Monday and collected on Friday. Homework diaries will also be collected on Friday to check that they have been signed along with the Reading Record sheet.

Homework may occasionally consist of the completion of class work, especially if it is felt that time has been wasted during school time.

If students do not understand the homework set, or are unable to complete it, please let me know in writing (note in diary), or in person.

HOW CAN PARENTS HELP?

Help set up a consistent, organised place for homework to be done.

Help your child establish a consistent schedule for completing homework.

Encourage, motivate and prompt your child but do not sit with them. The purpose is for your child to practise and use what they have learned. If they are unable to complete it by themselves, please let me know.

If homework goes over the specified time and they have not completed it, stop them. Again, please let me know.

Specialist Teachers:

The Arts: Tuesday, 11:00-11:50 with Mrs Yvonne Langan

Library: Tuesday, 10:00-10:40 with Mrs Jan Young.

Science: Thursday, 11:50-12:40 with Mrs Vicki Hodgson

Digi-Tech: Thursday, 1:20-2:10 with Mrs Vicki Hodgson

Sport: Thursday, 2:10 – 3:00 with Mr Travis Bienkowski

*Yellow t-shirts to be worn on Tuesday and coloured faction shirts on Thursday

General Information:

If you have any concerns, please make an appointment to see me before or after school. I am unable to meet with parents on Monday afternoon, due to staff meetings.

I would prefer if parents drop students at the door in the morning so they can get organised for the day and interact with each other.

All absentee days need to be accounted for in writing (note or email), the day your child returns to school. This is a legal requirement. The phone call is not enough.

Parents collecting children during school time for appointments need to sign their child in and out at the office.

If someone different is collecting your child, please notify either the office or myself.

Correct uniform is expected to be worn at all times. If this is not possible for whatever reason, please send a note explaining why. Uniform notes will be sent home with children not complying with the school's Uniform and Grooming Policy.

Please contact me at any time.

My email: kate.vidulich@cewa.edu.au

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- Ribbons, buttons, etc.
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