

# Edi Upper Primary School Newsletter



Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September Term 3 2020

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## Term 4 Flexible and Remote Learning & Onsite Learning

This week is the last week of Term 3, please see the 'dates to remember' to check what the arrangements are for this week. The current advice from DET is our students will be returning to onsite learning in **Week 2** next term.

At this stage, the first week back we will be running Monday and Thursday onsite learning, and Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday doing remote learning activities. I will send out a letter with more details if there are any changes to this arrangement later this week.

Once again, a big *thankyou* goes out to our parents, students and staff during remote learning this term! Our students have been able to continue with their hands-on learning activities each Monday and Thursday which I think you would all agree, has been a great plus in coping with our different school arrangements.

I hope you have a great holiday with the kids and we'll see everybody back onsite on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October.

Have a great week!

Cheers,

*Claire Bradbury*

Principal

## Dates to put in your diary....

**Tues 15<sup>th</sup>, Wed 16<sup>th</sup> and Fri 18<sup>th</sup> September:**

❖ *The students will be doing remote learning activities*

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September:**

❖ *The students will be onsite at school*

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September:**

❖ *This the last day of term. The students will be doing a 'Fun Friday' activity. School learning finishes at 2:30pm on this day.*

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October:**

❖ *The students come back to school for onsite learning*

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October:**

❖ *The students will be doing remote learning activities*

**Beginning Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October:**

❖ *All students will be back onsite for the rest of Term 4*

❖ *Our students will begin a series of three Indigenous Dance workshops with a tutor from 'Bangarra'*

## Reading News...

\*Congratulations to:

- **Jessica** for achieving **150** nights of reading!
- **Sam, Ed and Bridgette** for achieving **175** nights of reading!
- **London** for achieving **200** nights of reading!



## Student of the Week...

Congratulations to **Sam** for achieving success in your Remote Learning activities throughout this term.



## Reminders... 'Roll Call' / Absences

- ❖ **Monday & Thursday onsite learning:** When your child is attending onsite, their attendance will be recorded once they arrive to school. **If your child is unwell (even a 'sniffle') please do not send them to school.**
- ❖ **Tuesday & Wednesday 'roll call':** Please make sure your child is dressed and breakfasted ready for our 9am 'roll call' via Webex Meetings.
- ❖ **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September:** There will be no Webex roll call on this day. Please send a text via the school mobile when your child has started their 'Fun Friday' activity.
- ❖ **Absence:** If your child is unwell and will be absent from either our onsite or remote learning session, please text the school mobile **before 9am** on **0487732881** or ring **57293560**.

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## Bus Pick up/Drop off

The learning packs and iPads will be sent home today, and collected on Thursday. Please review the schedule below:

Monday - Student pick up/drop off	Tuesday – Webex roll call at 9am	Wednesday - Webex roll call at 9am	Thursday - Student pick up/drop off	Friday – Send a text to the school mobile by 9am
14/9 – New Learning packs go home with students	15/9 – Do remote learning activities at home	16/9 – Do remote learning activities at home	17/9 – 'Fun Friday' activity goes home	18/9 – Do 'Fun Friday' activities at home. Learning at home finishes at 2:30pm.

## Wilfred Gordon McDonald Partridge – My Special Memory stories...

**Sam:** My special memory is jumping on my trampoline. It makes me very happy.

**Jessica:** My special memory is when I was going to the Water Park. I love doing some fun things with my family.

**Ed:** My special memory is jumping on my trampoline. It makes me happy.

**Bridgette:** My special memory is when my family and I went to Cairns. We went to my favourite ice cream shop and I got vanilla with a lolly snake and sprinkles... I had brain freeze. I was so so so HAPPY!

**London:** My special memory is when we went to Fun Fields because my Dad and I went on a ride that does a 360 degree turn. It made me feel excited, scared and happy. The reason I felt scared was because when we were coming down really fast my tummy felt sick, but then when we went back up I felt so HAPPY!!!



## Term 4 Online Rekindling Workshops

Our students have been invited to participate in three online workshops with Bangarra Dancers, funded through Creative Arts Australia. They will do workshops that will get the 'jarjums' up and have fun! The workshops will include some contemporary Indigenous inspired dance games and warm-ups, and an exploration of animal motifs and rhythms. They will share some language words and have a yarn with Bangarra Dancers.

Here's some photos from STEM Remote Learning activities...well done Edi Upper PS!