

Paddington Public School



Newsletter

Term 3, Week 7

1 September 2020

Thank you

Thank you to all our wonderful families for being supportive and understanding with our new restrictions, varied drop off and pickup locations. We will continue to have staff at the gates in the morning and the afternoon until the end of the term.

School Gates

On Monday a new automated intercom system for the office gate on Elizabeth St was installed.

When arriving at the gate please:

- Press the top button
- Wait
- You will hear a dial tone and phone ringing
- Office Staff will answer
- Identify yourself
- Office Staff will unlock
- You will hear a click
- Push on the gate gently
- Only Students to enter



Please be mindful that this is a new system for us and may take time for everyone to adjust.

The timer for the gate on Oxford St, has been modified to lock at 9.05am, open at 2.55pm and lock at 3.05pm.

COVID-19 Reminders

Any child demonstrating flu-like symptoms will be sent home and cannot return to school until they are symptom free and until they have shown the school that they have returned a negative COVID-19 result. This will involve taking a screenshot of the negative test result and emailing it to the school prior to the student returning. Students who are absent from school because they are demonstrating flu-like symptoms are required to follow these same procedures.

Any person entering the school office must complete a COVID-19 visitor form, even if they have only been on the premises for a few minutes. We apologise for the inconvenience but it is important for NSW Health to have this information should there be a requirement to do contact tracing.

Water Bottles

The bubblers are not available for students to use. All students need to bring their own drink bottle to school. Please make sure that the drink bottled is clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

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School Photos

School Photos have been booked for Term 4, Thursday 22nd October. Order forms and more details will come home soon.

Parent Cyber Safety Education Session – Monday 7th September 2020

Don't forget to book in for the Parent Webinar via zoom on Monday 7th September at 7.30pm

Students in Year 3 – Year 6 will be participating in workshops during the day, however all parents are warmly welcome to join the

School Uniform Shop

The School uniform shop will be open Thursday 10th September from 8.40am until 9.20am, we will have strict social distancing measures in place.

Our transition to a new uniform (twelve months) is coming to end this term. All students will be expected to be in the new uniform for the commencement of Term 4.

This means:

- Boys – Navy shorts/trousers and Sky Blue Polo Shirts only (Monday – Thursday).
- Girls – New style summer tunic or Navy culottes and Sky Blue Polo (Monday – Thursday),
- **Reminder girls are NOT to wear Friday navy sport skort as culottes on a Monday to Thursday.**
- Sports Uniform for everyone is Red Polo and Navy Sport Shorts (Friday), **girls will no longer be able to wear navy sport skort, they must wear navy shorts.**
- Year 6 have their senior uniform and hat to wear.

For Yr 5 Parents Only – we are introducing a school uniform pack for Year 6 2021 – from Term 4 this will be available and will contain: Yr 6 Senior Polo, hat etc. More details to come.

Vacation Care

Kids Capers are currently taking bookings for September/October school holidays. Please click on link for more information: <https://www.kidscapersoosh.com.au/vacation-care>

REMINDER
FATHERS DAY
RAFFLE

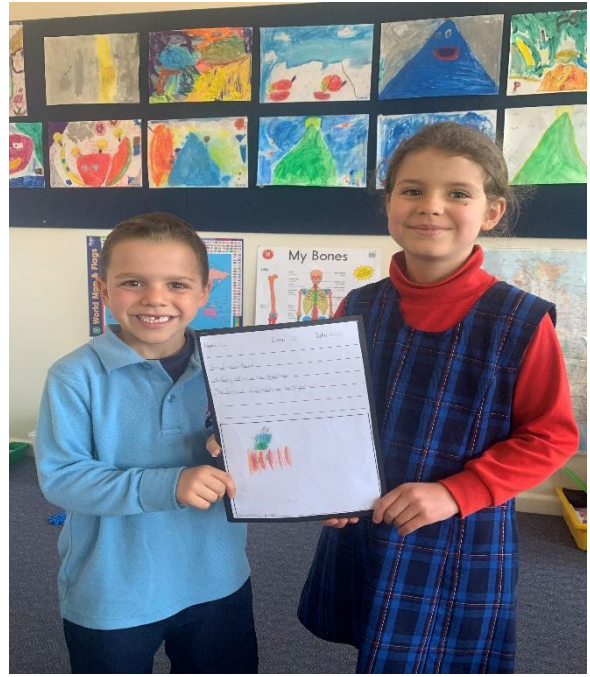
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Friday 4 Sept 2020
All tickets must be
returned to school by
3/9/20
Ask the office for more tickets

Tickets \$5 each or 5 for \$20

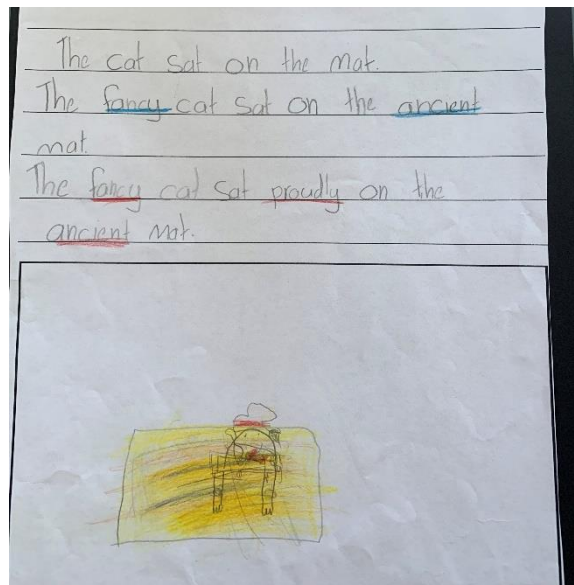
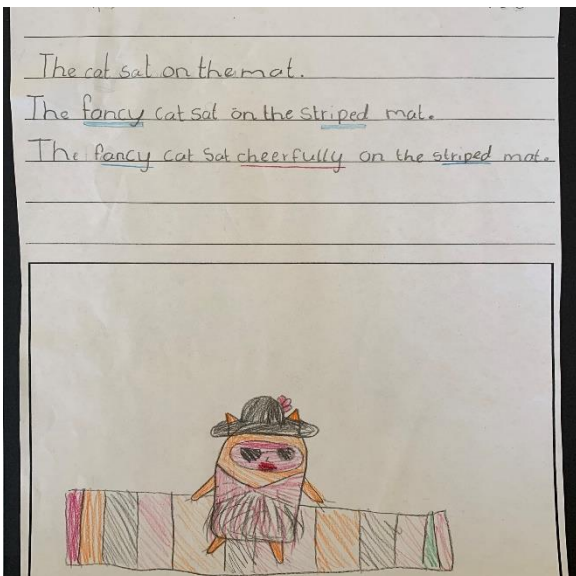
Funds raised for Year 6 Farewell and gift to the school
Complete details on tickets you would like to purchase and return all tickets to school along with payment. Tickets will be cut in the office before drawing (with blanks discarded)

What's been on in 1/2G

1/2 G has been working hard on making our writing more appealing to the reader! We have been learning to turn our boring sentences into super sentences! We have been doing this by using adjectives to describe nouns (person, place or thing) and adverbs to describe verbs (doing words).



Some of our favourite Authors, such as Alison Lester and Aaron Blabey use adjectives and adverbs in their writing, so we decided to give it a go ourselves!





Paddington Public School

AFTER SCHOOL PROVIDERS



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MARTIAL ARTS

Phone: 1300 304 532

3pm wedensdays

CLASS ARTZ ACADEMY

after school art class
years K-6

Returning in Term 3

We are excited to announce that regular classes will be returning in Term 3. Art activities will include drawing, painting, printmaking and more. Enrolments due to COVID restrictions will be strictly limited so get in early.

Tuesdays: July 28 - Sept 15
Wednesdays: July 29 - Sept 16
3-5 pm Paddington PS

Enrol online www.classartzacademy.com.au


\$296
8 week term

on-site after school
qualified teachers and aides
2 hours of activities
engaging art program
open to all students

Due to COVID-19, extra hygiene measures and safety protocols are in place to ensure the protection and well being of all our students.

call us: 0417 261 349
renee@classartzacademy.com.au

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SYDNEY ACADEMY of CHESS

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Learn to be a chess champion! 12:30 to 1:30 Mondays (starting 10 August 2020 for Term 3)

Enrol online: <https://sydneyacademyofchess.com.au/payment>

Class Code: 8FVV897170

Contact: Sydney Academy of Chess on 9745 1170



Fun and Easy Mandarin Chinese



Classes at Paddington P.S. will be held on **Mon 3.10pm-4.10pm**. To enrol, please go to www.chifunese.com/enrol/. Get a \$100 discount for the ChiFUNese Mandarin classes by applying for a Creative Kids voucher at <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-creative-kids-voucher> and email the voucher details to admin@chifunese.com to redeem.





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The Music Bus is back at your school!!

WE ARE BACK!
Back to back in schools resuming

Lessons Resuming
Following a short break due to COVID-19, the Music Bus is back doing face to face lessons at your school. We have missed all our little rock stars and can't wait to see them!

How to Re-enrol
Call us on 1300 682 742 or email us at contact@themusicbus.com.au

Lesson costs of \$20 per week (\$22 drums)

Initial purchase of starter pack which includes a book and bag (\$50) required for all new students.

Need to purchase books?
Go to www.themusicbusshop.com to purchase books and instruments!

DON'T MISS THE BUS!
Due to reduced class sizes, spaces are limited so please act quickly to reserve your spot.

Current and NEW students all welcome to enrol

COVID POLICY:

- All teachers have complete Government Health Department certified training
- All equipment and surfaces disinfected between every class

Want Online Lessons?
We now offer Online lessons until 7pm!
Go to www.themusicroom.com.au for more info!








BOOK NOW - Phone 1300 682 742 or visit www.themusicbus.com.au

PADDINGTON P.S.

AFTER SCHOOL IN TERM 3

DRAMA CLASSES

3.00PM - 5.00PM - THURSDAYS - YEARS K,1,2,3,4

We meet in the Kindergarten Courtyard when school ends. Includes time for an afternoon tea break.






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