WELCOME TO YEAR TWO

Parent Information Night
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Mottos, Mission, and Behavioural Expectations

- Constant and True
- Vision and Mission
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Hopes and Dreams

Hopes and Dreams for your children.

• Work to their potential
• Making good choices in and out of the classroom.
• Maintain a happy and safe classroom environment
• Feel confident and happy
Routine

A day in the life of a year two student.

- **Morning:** English block, including Crunch and Sip
- Recess
- **Maths – Groups,** varied tasks and activities to meet students needs
- Religion
- Lunch
- Silent Reading
- **Other KLAS (PD, Creative Arts, HSIE, Science)**
Specialist Lessons

- **Library**: Wednesday and Thursday at 12:30pm with Mrs Brown
- **Sport**: Thursdays 2:00pm with Mrs Lilycrop.
- **Sports uniform days will be Wednesday and Thursday this year regardless of when we have sport.**
Belongings, Birthdays and other Business

• Belongings- please check that all items are labelled.
• Birthdays- You are welcome to send in small individual items but please consider that some students have allergies to foods.
• Work books have been sent home this week. Please return these covered in clear contact by next Monday.
Absences

Please ensure if your child is sick that contact us within the next 3 days.

An email to alert us of your child’s absence is appreciated, and this is adequate for our school records.

Extended leave must be applied for from Mrs Vescio.
Crunch and Sip

• Crunch and Sip each day at 10:00am, whilst students listen to the class novel. They are welcome to bring fruit or vegetables.

• A bottle of water for in class in also recommended.
Before and After School

• Please try and have your children to school on time before the bell.

• If your child arrives at school after 8:45 they are to go straight to the office to collect a late pass.

• After school let the office know if you are running late I will always wait with your child until someone comes to get them.

• Can you please remind your children each morning how they are going home of an afternoon and to only ring the office to pass a message on when plans change in the case of an emergency.
**Homework**

- Homework will be loaded to the website on Fridays and is to be completed by the following Friday.

- If there is a reason why your child has not completed their homework please let us know in writing or via email.

- Students who have not completed homework will be given the opportunity to complete homework in their lunch time. *(Thursday Lunchtime)*

- Presentation of homework is important. Neatness encouraged and care of homework books.
Volunteers

- There are many opportunities to assist in Year 2. This will commence from next term.

- All volunteers must have completed the training course.

- A Working with Children Check needs to be completed also.
confirmation

- The next Sacrament, after Baptism, in our Diocese is Confirmation.
- Children need to be 7 and/or in Year 2
- An information Night for Parents will be held later this year. This is an information night for Parents to attend and children do not need to attend
- On hearing the information on this night parents can then enroll their child/ren for Confirmation, the process will be explained on the night
- Confirmation in our Parish will take place at St. Joseph’s Church, Narrabeen.
Confirmation

• Enrolling your child in the Sacramental Program is a family decision as the family has the duty of preparing their child for the Sacraments.

• The school fully supports the teaching of the Sacraments in the Religious Education units, and the children build on their knowledge as they go through school.

• If you find as a family that this is not the right time to take part in the program because of overseas or family holidays etc you can return next year to take part.

• All information for the Sacramental Program is on the Parish Website including the dates.
Communication

• Communication is vital to ensure we support your child’s learning.
• The best way to contact us is via email.
• Please understand that we do not have the opportunity to respond to our emails during the day, so if it is something urgent please contact the office and they will get the message to us.

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