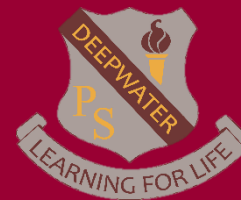




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Newsletter



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Term 4 Week 2

12th October 2021

Welcome back for term 4!

We are currently on the Department of Education Level 3 restrictions. Below is a snippet of the restrictions. For full details on what level 3 restrictions are go to <https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>.

- We recommend watching the new sign in procedure which commences on Monday 18th October (highlighted in green). It is a little different to our current QR code sign in procedure.
- With the NSW Public Health Order, all visitors must be fully vaccinated. Only essential visitors are permitted on school grounds. Parents will be allowed on school grounds for any emergency or health issues relating to their child.
- All visitors **must** present to the office on arrival and sign in appropriately. This includes all staff, parents, community members and contractors.
- Pick up and drop off of students out of regular times eg. If you need to pick up your child early - ring the school and your child can be taken to the gate.

Thank you for your understanding and patience. If you have any questions, just give us a ring.

A reminder for all families

Students must not attend school if unwell, even with mild symptoms of COVID-19. Any person with any COVID-19 symptoms must be sent home and not return to school unless:

- they have isolated for 10 days, when no medical certificate is available
- they have a negative COVID-19 test result and are symptom free.

In circumstances where children have other medical reasons for recurrent symptoms, a letter from their GP is sufficient to negate the requirement for a negative test.

Anyone who is unwell with COVID-19 symptoms is strongly encouraged to get tested and self-isolate until a negative result is received.

Visitors

Non-essential visitors are not permitted in schools. Some visitors are permitted in schools based on the guidelines that follow.

Parents and carers must follow their school's advice regarding changes to drop off and pick up including staying in the car when dropping off and picking up children if safe to do so.

Parents should:

- maintain physical distancing by avoiding gathering outside of school gates
- remain outside of school grounds
- follow mask-wearing requirements and sign in using the Service NSW QR code when entering the school.

School Visitor Check-in

A single School Visitor Check-in system for every school across the state is coming from 18 October!

The Department of Education has partnered with Service NSW to provide a streamlined, digital school sign-in system for visitors and contractors at every NSW government school.

Benefits of the new system include:

- Accelerating your check-ins to as fast as 20 seconds!
- Linked to NSW Health's COVID-19 contact tracing ensuring every school is compliant with the NSW COVID-19 mandate.[External link](#)
- Giving every school greater access to streamlined NSW Government services.

Watch our short [parent video](#)[External link](#) to see how it works for parents or our [contractor video](#)[External link](#).

Who can use School Visitor check-in

- Visitors such as parents and carers, contractors, service providers and volunteers.
- Students or visitors under the age of 18 are not required to use School Visitor Check-in.
- School Visitor Check-in will be ready from 18 October at all NSW Government schools.

For more information visit [School Visitor Check-in](#) on the department website.

What is permitted with modification

School based activities

- Schools must make alternative arrangements for graduations, formals and school dances that support the broader guidance. This includes:
 - No visitors (including parents and carers)
 - Events to align with current health order restricting size of gatherings
 - COVID Safe planning.
- Personal hygiene, physical distancing, cleaning and record keeping practices must be adhered to at these events.
- Library activities are permitted in-line with the Infection Control requirement for Libraries.

Activities that are not permitted or on hold during school hours or within school grounds

Schools must cease the following activities:

- Interschool activities and events including interschool sport, gala days, trials, knock outs and carnivals
- SRE/SEE/VSA
- Assemblies
- School performances, productions, concerts, speech nights and award presentations
- Excursions, camps, field trips and principal-endorsed activities for students.

WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER.

Kindergarten Orientation

This term we will be holding kindergarten orientation, dates to be confirmed. If you know of any children in the community who will be commencing kindergarten in 2022, please ask them to contact the school for orientation details.

Annual Swim School Program

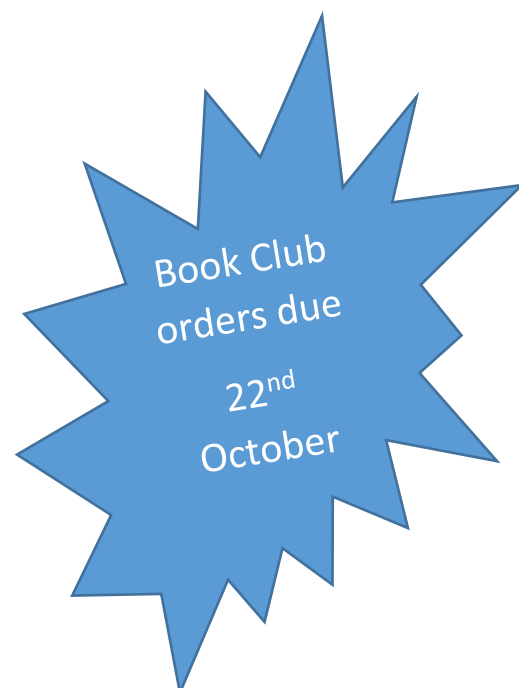
We have tentatively booked our annual swim school for later in the term. This will only go ahead if the restrictions ease.

End of Year Presentation

The presentation night will only go ahead if restrictions are eased. We are planning for the night to happen, so fingers crossed.

Canteen

Canteen will commence this Friday 15th October, see attached revised menu. Orders MUST be in on Thursdays.



Term 4	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 2	11 th Oct	12 th Oct	13 th Oct	14 th Oct Student Banking	15 th Oct Library Canteen
Week 3	18 th Oct	19 th Oct ECS Yr 7 transition	20 th Oct	21 st Oct Student Banking	22 nd Oct Library Canteen
Week 4	25 th Oct	26 th Oct	27 th Oct	28 th Oct Student Banking	29 th Oct Library Canteen

TENTERFIELD JUNIOR CRICKET REGISTRATIONS

Online player registrations are now being accepted for Tenterfield Junior Cricket for 5 to 15yo players.

A season of junior cricket in Tenterfield will cost \$100 and can be paid for in full by a NSW Government Active Kids Voucher which can be claimed online.

Junior Cricket registrations should be completed online at: www.playcricket.com.au

Select Tenterfield Club or put in the 2372 postcode

Select the relevant level of cricket for the player:

- Junior Blasters – 5-7years - new to cricket – players receive a free playing shirt and bucket hat in various BBL colours, plastic bat and rubber ball. More co-ordinated 4 year old children or those who will soon be turning 5 are also welcome to join the blaster program.
- Master Blasters – 7-10 years – new to cricket or second season of Blaster cricket -playing with a soft ball – players receive a free cap in various BBL colours and a water bottle.
- Junior Cricket – hard ball junior cricket generally for players from 8-15 years with a reasonable skill set and knowledge of the game. New players will receive a free Club shirt and cap. Regional representative club cricket is planned but will be dependent on NSW Government restrictions. It is anticipated that Border Bubble competition will be possible regardless.

This season Cricket NSW Covid-safe rules will apply. Junior cricket will commence at Shirley Park, Tenterfield on Friday 29 October 2021 when NSW Government team sport restrictions are eased.

Junior cricket enquiries should be directed to Leeza Wishart on 0457 246 064.

TERM 4 2021- Canteen List

Fresh Sandwiches and Wraps

Vegemite	\$1.50	Ham & Cheese	\$2.50	Chicken Strips, lettuce	
Cheese	\$1.50	Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$3.50	& Cheese	\$4.50
Ham	\$2.00				

Prices above are for a sandwich. Upgrade to a wrap for \$1.00. Choice of white or wholemeal

Tasty Teasers

Small Sausage Roll	\$1.50	Pie	\$4.00	Noodle Cup	\$2.00
Large Sausage Roll	\$3.00			(Chicken or Beef)	

Munch Crunch & Sip

Zooper Dooper	\$0.50	Juice Popper	\$2.00
Flavoured Ice Block	\$1.00	(Apple or Orange)	
Paddle Pop	\$1.50		



If sauce is required your young person can come to the canteen and get sauce for their lunch at no cost



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For Term 4, 2021, the Canteen will be run in collaboration with The Deepwater Bakery.

Please bring your paper lunch bag on

THURSDAY to school, for **FRIDAY LUNCH**.

Write your name & order on your bag & money inside.