

The Evangelist

St. John's Primary School, Riverstone

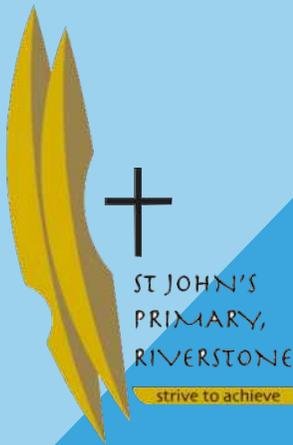
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Term 1 Week 2

Wednesday 5th February 2020



Dear Parents/Carers,



I trust that you have had a **restful, refreshing and holy Christmas break** – one where you had the opportunity to spend special time with your family and loved ones. This new school year is shaping up to be another great year of learning. St John's is about creating life-long learners who are well equipped to be problem solvers. Learning should be about inquiry, creating, collaboration and challenges. Using the tools and technologies of today should enhance what we do and allow our children to more fully engage with the world in which they live. Learning is best when it has context and meaning. One way parents / carers can keep abreast of St John's learning programs is by talking to their children about their daily learning activities.

The staff of St John's are extremely excited about working with you and your children again this year. **Education is a 3-way partnership of parents, children and staff** and we are very keen to be furthering the wonderful work that has been implemented in past years.

Your children's happiness and safety is always paramount. Success and happiness go hand-in-hand; it is very difficult to achieve one without the other. Throughout 2020 I expect each child to work towards their potential. This then becomes their personal best (PB). **I would like to ensure that St John's continues to be a place that your children want to come to – a place that is motivating, exciting and inspiring.**

Please consider joining me this year for a **cuppa and chat** – dates will be advertised through the school newsletter and parent calendar.

Bishop Vincent will be visiting St John's Parish on Saturday 8th February (6.00pm) 2020 to celebrate Mass. St John's Youth Group and the YFC Youth Group will be singing at this special Mass. There will be a light supper after Mass for all parishioners and guests. Father Zac has extended an invitation to all our families and staff of St John's Primary to attend this Mass.

It was wonderful to have our **kindergarten children (ES1)** join our learning community last week. It was lovely to see so many smiling faces and such excitement. The children had a smooth transition into 'BIG' school; they looked beautiful in their school uniforms and 'shiny' new shoes; so grown up. I congratulate the children (and parents) for the way the children wore their new uniforms with pride.

On behalf of the community of St John I welcome:

Aditi, Ajang, Caelum, Olivia, Kana, Jaxx, Hayley, Nathia, Indyah, Chaerin, Evaleigh, Tabitha, Ruby, Mai, Ryan, Isaac, Levi, Noah, Rachel, Brody, Leighthan, Ameliah, Hunter, Ethan, Shaun, Tristan, Phoenix, Jacob, Seth, Shritik, Amelia and Rami.



MAI and Best Start Assessments

Thank you to our parents and carers for bringing your children to school for either **MAI** testing (Year 1 – 6) or **Best Start** testing (Kindergarten). The data that teachers gather from these assessments are invaluable. It allows the teachers to identify the individual learning needs of each student and to develop learning programs and tasks that personalise the learning. The testing period will continue over the next few weeks until all beginning of year data is collected.

Curriculum Overviews will be sent home by the beginning of week 3. This overview will give you an outline of the teaching and learning planned for your child this term. I encourage you to read the overview carefully and display it in a prominent position to refer to throughout the term. The overview can be used as a platform to engage your children in discussion about their learning this term. If you need clarification about any aspect of the overview or if you have any questions about your child's learning please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher.

A student '**Code of Conduct**' was sent home last week which outlines the expectations the school has for your children. I ask that parents / carers read through this document with their children and talk to them about their commitment to St John's code of conduct. Please sign the Code of Conduct before returning it to your child's teacher.

Building project

I am pleased to announce that the building project for the new administration office is underway. The work was commenced on the 6th January 2020. It is anticipated that the project will be completed in the first few weeks of Term 2. Due to the building work there have been some changes to routines this term to ensure the safety of our students; The Stage 2 children are now placing bags in the undercroft area prior to commencement of school each day and for safety reasons the entire 'fenced off' area of the administration block is out of bounds for all community members.

Coronavirus

What is the current advice to parents? NSW Health is urging parents of children who have had contact with a confirmed case of coronavirus to keep their children at home and not send them to school or preschool for 14 days, and to monitor for symptoms. All other children can attend school as per normal. You can find NSW Health's 'Advice for parents ahead of school returning' here. Commonwealth and state government agencies, including the Australian Department of Health, have established mechanisms to respond to matters such as this. We continue to monitor the situation and will provide you with updated information when that is made available.

Bush Fires

Over the school holidays, many parts of the country have been seriously affected by bush fires. Tragically, lives have been lost and more than 2,000 homes destroyed. The fires have also seen the significant loss of wildlife. While no CEDP schools were damaged, the impact of the fires continues to be felt in our school communities. With the start of the new school year, please be mindful that for many students, their families and staff, the events of the past few months will have had an emotional toll. With this in mind, the CEDP has asked schools to organise fundraising events across the diocese.

Fundraising

Week 4 of Term 1 2020 (17 to 21 February) has been nominated by CEDP as a week where schools can focus on fundraising activities to support victims of the bush fires, where capacity exists to do so.

Schools have been encouraged to be creative about their fundraising efforts. St John's has already reached out to St Ignatius in Bourke and many in our communities have given generously to various appeals. We are now proceeding to organise another fundraiser to take place in Week 4.

Safety

Students and Parents/Carers walking home in the afternoon will now leave via the back gate exiting on McCulloch Street. Parents/Carers are asked to please be vigilant while using the carpark especially in the afternoon. Please exercise patience and courtesy to others, parents please ensure you are holding your child/children's hands at all times. The safety of everyone is paramount.



Letter of appreciation from St Ignatius Primary School Bourke

We received an email from St Ignatius Primary School that I would like to share with you all.

Dear St John's Primary School Community,

What a beautiful surprise it was to walk in to school today to find packages of love from Riverstone.

I must admit I teared up a little bit to see so many beautiful gifts and the effort that your community had gone to, thinking of our little school in the Bush.

I can't express in words just how happy this is going to make kids at school. Many will turn up with the shirt on their back and lunch if we are lucky. Getting back in routine is hard for us all but for kids who have had little routine for 5 weeks, St Ignatius is there safe place. St Johns Riverstone has just made it an even better place to be, where every kid is important and cared for.

I will take some photos with kids and write a proper thank you letter for you once we are back next week.

Thank you for truly showing what Catholic schools are capable of, embracing diversity, connection and living out the Teachings of Christ by taking care of your neighbours, even when spectated by a small 850 Kms.

Many blessings and I'll be in touch soon.

John.

(St Ignatius Primary School Bourke)

COMPLAINTS AND GRIEVANCES

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PRAYER FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY BUSHFIRE AND DROUGHT

Eternal God, In wisdom and love you created our earth to sustain us and give us life.

We turn to you now in faith, hope and love, asking you to look with favour on our fire-ravaged and drought-stricken land, on our starving and displaced animals, on our failing crops and burning farms, towns and forests.

Strengthen, sustain and give new heart to our farmers and to all who are affected by drought; be with those who support them.

Strengthen and comfort the victims of the fires, those who have lost family, friends, property and stock.

Protect our volunteer firefighters and all members of essential services.

In your loving providence, send abundant rain to quench the fires and to restore our parched earth.

Father of all compassion, hear our prayer through Jesus Christ your Son, in whom the promise of new life has dawned, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life: Renew your faithful people; Renew the face of the earth.

Our Lady of the Southern Cross, Mary, help of Christians – Pray for us. St Mary of the Cross MacKillop - Pray for us.

God Bless Patricia



SAY CHEESE!



SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

St John's Primary Riverstone

School Photography Date: 18/03/2020

SCHOOL PHOTO ORDER CODE: TMX EXY KJ8

SCHOOL PHOTO ORDER LINK:

<https://www.advancedimage.com.au/keycode/keycodefinder.aspx?keycode=TMXEXYKJ8>

SAY CHEESE!



Dear Parents and Carers,

School photography day is coming up very soon. Group and portrait photographs can be purchased by following the link above or by using the envelope provided. (Envelopes will be sent home soon)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- School photos purchased online **DO NOT** require envelopes returned to school
- Don't forget to order your sibling photos now, if your school is offering sibling photos*
- **Late fees/additional charges will be applied for purchases after photo day**
- Photos will be returned to your school for distribution approximately six weeks after photos are taken
- Past years' photographs including sports, co-curricular and representative groups available at school's **advancedorder** site (follow the link above) and your child's **advancedyou** photo site

*Sibling photographs must be ordered either online or by order envelope prior to the day of photography. A photograph will not be taken without an order. Sibling photographs can only be taken of children enrolled at the school. **Please note:** Sibling photographs are not offered at all schools.

advancedlife would like to express our appreciation to St John's Primary Riverstone for placing your trust in us. Please remember we offer a 100% money-back guarantee on our products, for your peace of mind, and are also here to resolve any issues you may experience to ensure your satisfaction. If you have any questions, comments or feedback relating to your **advancedlife** experience, please contact us at: enquiries@advancedlife.com.au

All parishioners are welcome to celebrate Mass at

St John's the Evangelist Parish

6pm on Saturday 8th February 2020

with **Bishop Vincent Long OFM Conv.**



Please join us after Mass for a light supper in our church hall.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Calendar of Events

What's Coming Up

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| 12th Feb | Beginning of Year Mass 10.30am |
| 14th Feb | Zone Swimming Carnival |
| 24th Feb | Y6 Visit SJP2 'A School Learning Experience' |
| 26th Feb | Ash Wednesday |
| 2nd Mar - 6th Mar | Catholic Schools Week |
| 4th Mar | OPEN DAY 9.30-10.30AM and 4.30-5.30PM |
| 13th Mar | Cross Country |
| 18th Mar | WHOLE SCHOOL PHOTO DAY |

Bus Flashing Lights campaign

BY LAW, DRIVERS ARE REQUIRED TO SLOW DOWN TO 40KM/H

Motorists warned to slow down to **40km/h** when bus lights flash.

Encourage the school community to be **'Bus Aware'**.



Driving near buses Bus lights flash on the front and back of a bus when the bus is picking up or setting down school children. A 40km/h speed limit applies when bus lights flash. The speed limit is for all traffic travelling in the same direction as the bus, whether the bus is stationary or moving. Informal school bus stops Informal bus stops are not sign posted and are usually found in rural areas. They may be at the front of a property or on the side of the road. Drivers may find it difficult to see children at informal bus stops. Families should take special care when using these stops. Staying on the bus a bit longer to travel to another bus stop may reduce the need for your child to have to cross the road. Refer to the Safety Information in this brochure and for more information on selecting or reviewing informal bus stops visit: <http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/stayingsafe/schools/informal-school-bus-stops.html>



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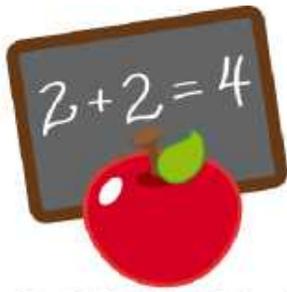
OPEN DAY 4 March 9:30am-10:30am and 4:30pm-5:30pm

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We look forward to welcoming
you to our school

Enrol Now





**ASSISTANT
PRINCIPAL**

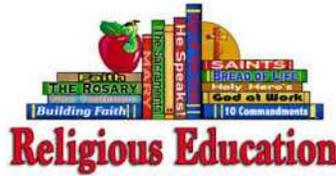


Thank you to all parents and caregivers for bringing your children to school in Week 1 for either MAI testing (Year 1 - 6) or Best Start testing (Kindergarten). Your support is much appreciated by the staff. The MAI is an interview by the class teacher about the students understanding of mathematical concepts. This Mathematics assessment is designed to provide the teachers with detailed information about student's number knowledge and to assist in identifying the learning needs of individual students. The students answer questions in the domains of counting, place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division. The assessment results are reviewed and the data gathered is used to plan learning experiences for the students. When planning for lessons teachers use this information about what the students need to know and how students learn to plan engaging tasks.

There are four key beliefs about how students learn Mathematics

1. Children construct mathematical ideas from their experiences
2. Children learn through being actively and intensively engaged in mathematical learning experiences
3. Children construct mathematical ideas through discussing, listening, simulating and reflecting upon their mathematical experiences and
4. Mathematical learning involves taking risks and this requires confidence!

Judith Murphy Assistant Principal



Opening School Mass

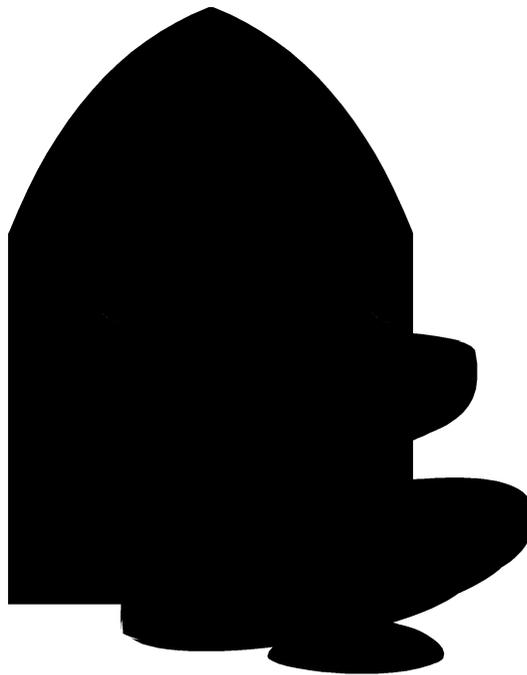
We will be celebrating our Open School Mass and Commissioning of Leaders on

Wednesday 12th February 2020 at 10.30 am in the Church

All parents and carers, family and friends are welcome to attend this special celebration of the Eucharist.

Bishop Vincent visit

Bishop Vincent the Bishop for Parramatta Diocese will be visiting our Parish this weekend on Saturday 8th February and Celebrating Mass at 6 pm, all are welcome to attend this special Mass and hear our spiritual leader.



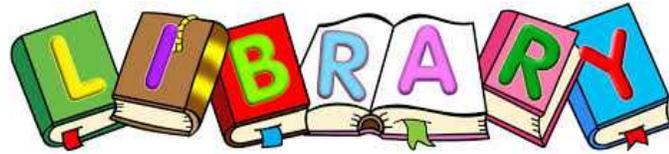
*God Bless
Kim Roffman REC*



WELCOME EARLY STAGE ONE!

In Early Stage One, we have been getting to know our school and each other! We are excited to be at St John's and are learning lots of great things already! On our first day we embarked on an adventure to find our friend 'Ted' the teddy. We have also found out some exciting things about each other, explored our classroom and learnt to read, write and count! Here are some pictures of our adventures so far.





Thank you to those students who returned all their overdue books at the end of last year.

We still have some books that are overdue and they need to be returned asap.

As our building project continues and the Administration Office is now located in the library, please be advised that the Library will be closed for borrowing until further notice.

We appreciate your understanding during this time.

Mrs Abbott



SUMMER UNIFORM REMINDER

Girls

Blue check dress with tab tie

**Black traditional style school shoes
which can be polished**

Plain sky-blue ankle length socks
with fold over top (not anklet)

Maroon hat with school emblem
(available from the school office)

Maroon jacket with zip and school emblem

Boys

Sky blue short sleeve shirt. Grey school shorts

**Black traditional style school shoes
which can be polished**

Grey with school stripes ankle length socks
with fold over top (not anklets)

Maroon hat with school emblem
(available from the school office)

Maroon jacket with zip and school emblem

**PLEASE NOTE ALL SCHOOL SHOES SHOULD BE BLACK TRADITIONAL STYLE LEATHER
THAT CAN BE POLISHED**



ST JOHN'S

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SCHOOL FEES

Accounts will be generated by CEDP approx Mid March.

Any questions or concerns please contact Natalie in the school office on 02 9854 3200

SCHOOL FEES SIBLING DISCOUNTS

RECONCILIATIONS TO EXTERNAL SIBLING DISCOUNTS ARE CONDUCTED BY CEDP. IF YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE IN REGARDS TO SIBLING DISCOUNTS PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY. FAILURE TO DO SO COULD RESULT IN A INCREASE IN FEES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR AND YOUR CURRENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENT MAY NOT COVER THE BALANCE OF YOUR ACCOUNT.

ADVICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ENROLMENT

Please note that under the School Fees Policy as set out by the Catholic Education Office Parramatta:

"A term's notice (10 school weeks) in writing must be given to the Principal before the removal of a student or a full term's fees will be payable.

One exception is that notice in writing will be accepted at any time during Term 4 in relation to the following year's enrolment, that is, the notice period of 10 weeks will be waived in this circumstance."



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St John Paul II Catholic College



OPEN EVENING

9 MARCH SCHOFIELDS
4PM - 6:30PM CAMPUS

Meet our welcoming College community & explore our educational opportunities!

Year 7 2021/2022 enrolment information, Years 7–10 subject stalls, tours, free BBQ, entertainment & more.

Can't make it to the event?

Call to book a personal tour at any time, Monday to Friday, or view our virtual tours of both campuses on our website!

Discover...

- A well developed primary to high school transition program
- A strong support system in place for students and parents to ensure your child's wellbeing and quality education
- Professional, contemporary teaching staff and a broad curriculum to support the spiritual, academic, sporting, creative and musical interests of students
- Purpose-built classrooms outfitted with the latest technology and wireless connectivity
- Unique opportunities for students in Years 10-12 with Western Sydney University and TAFE as part of the Nirimba Education Precinct, plus access to other courses from Australian Catholic & Notre Dame Universities
- State of the art, air-conditioned facilities across two campuses including science and technological labs, a performing arts centre, co-operative learning space and libraries
- Multiple school sporting opportunities and facilities
- Additional learning enrichment program to support and challenge students

and more!



SCHOFIELDS CAMPUS (YEARS 7-10)
85 HAMBLEDON ROAD, SCHOFIELDS

NIRIMBA CAMPUS (YEARS 11-12)
EASTERN ROAD, QUAKERS HILL

www.stjohnpaul2.catholic.edu.au



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St John Paul II
Catholic College



Matilda Keating
3rd January

Shritik Vivek
13th January

Avi Menon
15th January
Abigail Yeo
30th January

Olivia Bickford
15th January

Tristan Fletcher
25th January

Taiti Ah Kiau
28th January

Jonathan Yeo
30th January

Stephanie Bugeja
4th February

Esha Menon
31st January

Reva Borawake
30th January





St John's Primary School Riverstone

School Attendance Level %



81.9 %

Scholastic Year

School Year Attendance Level %

Kindergarten	97.0%
Year 1	87.0%
Year 2	93.9%
Year 3	81.8%
Year 4	94.4%
Year 5	90.9%
Year 6	90.9%

In NSW school attendance is compulsory for children over the age of six years until the minimum school leaving age of 17 years.

What if my child has to be away from school?

If your child has to be absent from school, you must advise the school and provide a reason for your child's absence. To explain an absence parents and carers may:

- send a note or email the school
- telephone the school, or
- visit the school and complete an absent form at the office.

A small number of absences may be justified if your child:

- has to attend a special religious ceremony
- is required to attend to a serious and/or urgent family situation (e.g. a funeral)
- is too sick to go to school or has an infectious illness

Children need to arrive to school and class on time

Lateness to school or leaving early from school must be recorded as a partial absence.

EVERY LEARNER EVERY DAY



SCHOOL OPAL CARDS FOR BUS TRAVEL

**ALL STUDENTS TRAVELLING TO AND FROM SCHOOL BY BUS
ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE A VALID OPAL CARD**



(either a School or Child/Youth Opal Card)

Please remind your child/children to

TAP ON and TAP OFF



every time they get on and off the bus

For more information and to apply for a School Opal Card call 131 500 or apply online at www.opal.com.au/en/about-opal/opal-for-school-students/



**REMINDER THAT PARENTS/CARERS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO
PARK IN THE STAFF CAR PARK OR WALK THROUGH THE STAFF
CAR PARK WHEN THEY DROP OFF OF PICK UP THEIR
CHILD/CHILDREN FROM SCHOOL.**

*THE SAFETY OF OUR STUDENTS IS PARAMOUNT AND WE APPRECIATE
YOUR CO OPERATION REGARDING THIS VERY IMPORTANT MATTER.*



UNEXPLAINED ABSENCES

LETTERS ARE SENT HOME TO
PARENTS/CARERS ON A REGULAR
BASIS REGARDING UNEXPLAINED
ABSENCES

THIS IMPORTANT INFORMATION IS
REQUIRED URGENTLY AND NEEDS TO
BE RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL
OFFICE

If your child is absent from school it
is the Parent/Carers responsibility to
send to school with the child (on
their return) a written explanation
of the reason for absence and it also
needs to be signed by the
Parent/Carer.

This is a legal requirement.

every learner
every day 

KISS AND DROP SAFETY TIPS

- Always drop-off at the designated drop-off zone and follow the schools procedures.
- Drivers must remain in their vehicles at all times.
- **Make sure all children exit the vehicle from the drivers side passenger door only, (door closest to the teacher on duty).**
- No student should be walking behind or in-front of their vehicle.
- Make sure the handbrake is applied when the vehicle is stationary.
- All children 12 years and under are not permitted to sit in the front seat of the vehicle unless the back seats are fully occupied.
- Avoid dangerous maneuvers such as u-turns and 3 point turns.
- All passengers under 7 must be in an approved child restraint.
- To ensure correct and safe installation of your child car seat, contact an Authorised Restraint Fitting Station.

**THE SAFETY OF ALL OUR STUDENTS, STAFF
AND COMMUNITY IS PARAMOUNT**



COMPLAINTS AND GRIEVANCES

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SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP NEW TRADING HOURS

MONDAYS - CLOSED

TUESDAY - FRIDAY

OPENED from 2.30PM-2.50PM

Please see Belinda Murray in the under-croft.



Lunch orders are available on Monday's and Friday's from Sam's Café

Please write your child's name, class and order on a brown paper bag and enclose the correct money.

Children can then place their orders in the RED lunch order baskets located in the under-croft.

Orders need to be in the boxes by 8.50am

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

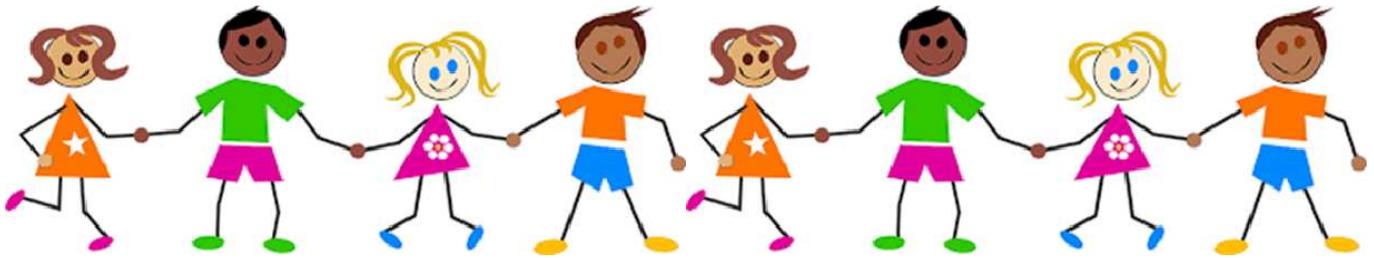
*IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ALL
PARENTS/CARERS TO ADVISE THE SCHOOL
OFFICE IN WRITING OF ANY
CHANGES/UPDATES TO PARENT/CARERS AND
EMERGENCY CONTACTS*

TELEPHONE/MOBILE NUMBERS

***It is imperative that the school
is able to get in contact with
each and every child's
emergency contacts at anytime***

*PLEASE FORWARD ANY CHANGES/UPDATES IN
WRITING TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE SO YOUR
CHILD RECORDS CAN BE AMENDED. YOU CAN
ALSO PICK-UP A FORM FROM THE SCHOOL
OFFICE*

Thank you for your support



Building Child Safe Communities

Important Information for Volunteers

Thank you for your interest in volunteering. The opportunities provided to students are greatly enhanced by the contribution of volunteers. All volunteers will need to complete the '**Undertaking for Volunteers' Form and Training Module** online before they can volunteer at St John's, please use the link below.

<http://childprotection.parra.catholic.edu.au/home>

Step 1: Complete 'Building Child Safe Communities - Undertaking for Volunteers' Form

You will need to complete a Volunteers Form for **each location** that you volunteer. A notification of your successful completion of the form will be sent via e-mail to the volunteering location and also to your email address.

Step 2: Complete the online training module

It is a system requirement that the online training module be completed by all volunteers commencing at any of our locations and the training needs to be completed every second year.

- Open the module by clicking the **Start** link below.
- Read through the presentation.

Complete and submit quiz questions (this will take approximately 10 minutes).

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED THE TRAINING MODULE YOU WILL ONLY NEED TO COMPLETE THE 'UNDERTAKING FOR VOLUNTEERS' FORM.



How to install the SkoolBag app

instructions for parents and community

1. Get your favourite mobile device
2. Open the App Store/Play Store
3. Search for "SkoolBag"
4. Download the free app
5. Open the app and add your school(s)

for Apple users



for Android users



for more info visit skoolbag.com.au





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Take a look at our website and you can subscribe to receive our fortnightly newsletter, event reminders and news

www.stjohnsrivestone.catholic.edu.au



SCHOOL DROP OFF AND PICK UP

REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS/CARERS

MORNING DROP OFF

MORNING SUPERVISION COMMENCES AT 8.20 AM.

PARENTS AND CARERS ARE ASKED TO REMAIN WITH THEIR CHILD/CHILDREN UNTIL THIS TIME AND NOT TO LEAVE THEM UNATTENDED WAITING AT THE SCHOOL GATES.

WE ALSO ASK THAT PARENTS DO NOT PARK OR WALK THROUGH THE STAFF CAR PARK.

AFTERNOON PICK UP

PARENTS ARE ASKED TO WAIT IN THE UNDER CROFT BETWEEN THE CANTEEN AND ADMINISTRATION OFFICE TO COLLECT THEIR CHILD/CHILDREN FOR AFTERNOON PICK UP.

STUDENTS ARE DISMISSED FROM THE BLUE AREA IN FRONT OF THE HALL AT 2.50PM.

IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IF YOU WILL BE LATE FOR PICK UP.

IF WORK COMMITMENTS PREVENT YOU FROM PICKING YOUR CHILD UP ON TIME, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE.

THE SAFETY OF OUR STUDENTS IS PARAMOUNT AND WE APPRECIATE YOUR CO OPERATION REGARDING THIS MATTER.

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Principal: Patricia Charlton

Office Hours 8.30am - 3.30pm

Parish

Cnr Garfield Rd & McCulloch St

Riverstone 2765 Tel: 9627 2276

Email: stjohns10@bigpond

Parish Priest: Father Zakaria Gayed

Weekend Mass Times: Saturday 6pm, Sunday 7am & 9am