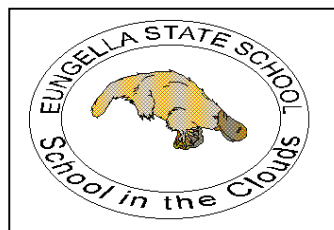


THIS WEEK AT EUNGELLA STATE SCHOOL



2nd November 2015

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The best educational outcomes for each student

ATTENDANCE – Every day counts

2015 Year to date end Term 3 – 90.1%

2015 school attendance target - 94%

Actual attendance rate Term 4 – 86.0%

This is below the State average. Please ensure your child is at school every day.

We aim for 0-5 day's absence each student **each semester** (95% - 100% attendance).

ATTENDANCE CUP CHALLENGE

Our Attendance Cup Challenge continues in Term 4, with the winner being determined over 9 weeks. The final week of 2015 will not be included as the kitchen will not be available for cooking on the last day of the year. The class with the most wins over the term wins a pizza lunch and will use the kitchen to make their own personalised pizzas.

Winner Term 4 Week 4: Year 4-6 with 80% 😊

PREP TRANSITION SESSIONS

4th November 10.00 – 11.40am

11th November 10.00 – 11.40am

18th November 10.00 – 11.40am

25th November 10.00 – 11.40am

DAY FOR DANIEL

As we were on whole school camp last week, our school will participate in Day for Daniel this Friday. All students, staff and family members are encouraged to wear red.

Keeping Kids Safe!

Throughout this week, students will watch a DVD as well as learn the importance of **Recognise React Report**.

The website www.danielmorcombe.com.au has loads of information for everyone in the community. Worth a look.



SNACK SHACK COMMENCING THIS WEEK

Eungella Shop will be providing a Snack Shack menu once a week to students commencing Week 5. The menu will alternate each week. Attached is a colour copy of the menu – please put this on your fridge or home noticeboard for easy access.

Monday – Menu options in school newsletter

Tuesday – Students write their order on a brown paper bag and place the money inside the bag. Each classroom will have a coloured crate for Snack Shack. Students place their order bag in their classroom crate. Crates will be delivered to Eungella Shop at first break on Tuesday.

Wednesday – Orders will be handed out to students at first break. Any money change due to the student will be placed in their brown paper bag by the Eungella Shop.

Please note the school office will not be collecting money or providing change for Snack Shack. There will be brown paper bags for 5c each at the school office if needed.

The information required on the brown paper bag: Student Name, Class, order, total cost and money enclosed.

Menu for Week 5

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| Square meat Pie | \$4.20 |
| Sausage Roll | \$2.80 |
| GF* Sausage Roll | \$3.60 |
| Chocolate Chip Cookie | \$1.00 |
| GF* Chocolate Chip Cookie (GF – gluten free) | \$1.60 |
| Chocolate Milk | \$1.80 |
| Strawberry Milk | \$1.80 |
| Poppa Juice Apple or Orange | \$1.50 |

LEARNING IN LITERACY

COMPREHENSION STRATEGIES

Weeks 5 and 6 focus will be on the strategy/skill of **COMPARE AND CONTRAST**.

This skill teaches students to

- Find what is the same and what is different
- Signal words such as **all, same, both** are used for things that are the same
- Signal words such as **but, difference, unlike, although** are used for things that are different
- Deconstruct information into graphic organisers such as Venn Diagram

WORK EXPERIENCE STUDENT

Welcome to Euan Jull, who is a Mirani High School student undertaking work experience at our school this week. Euan is interested in teaching as a career. Hope you enjoy your week with us.

SCHOOL CAMP

A massive thank you to the staff and parents who attended camp (Mrs Atkins, Miss Swan, Mrs Naylor, Mrs Fredrickson, Ms Mellie, Ms Lisa, Mirta Parenza, Julie McEvoy, Will & Ingrid Haviland, Tony Woodhouse, Dawn Smith, Jan Clark.

The only hiccup we had was the failure of lights at our disco – thank goodness for our party lights!!! ☺
Enjoy some camp comments from the students below.

Sophia – It was a very long, boring drive. It was fun on the boat, sitting up the front with the wind in your hair and sitting on the side of the boat as we cruised around. The coral was cool. Seeing the big fish while we were snorkelling was cool but a bit scary.

Ryan – My favourite thing on camp was feeding the fish and going on the boat. I had a great time looking at the coral. It was the first time I had used a snorkelling mask or swum in the ocean.

Amanda – I enjoyed practising snorkelling in the pool. I loved seeing the massive big maori wrass when we were feeding all the fish off the boat. And the baby stingray and yellow tailed shark in the mangrove nursery.

UPCOMING CALENDAR

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| 2.11 to 5.11 | Work Experience Student – Euan Jull |
| 3.11 | Garden Class |
| | Art Class |
| | Staff PD – Speech Language Programs |
| 4.11 | Special Needs Support Meeting |
| 6.11 | Day for Daniel – Wear Red |
| 11.11 | P&C Meeting 9.30am |
| 18.11 | ARD Visit |
| 21.11 | Art Auction Fundraiser - HUB |
| 30.11 to 4.11 | School Curriculum swimming |
| 07.12 | Yr 6 Graduation dinner |
| 09.12 | School Concert |
| 10.12 | Movie Day |
| 11.12 | Last day of term |

HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEK!!!!

Judy Atkins
Principal

