



Karna Plains School R-12

Strength Through Learning • Taingiwilta Tirkanthi-arra

NEWSLETTER #9 Term 3, Week 1 2024

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

**TERM
3**

Diary Dates - Term 3

Week 2	Dental for Schools ACE Industry Immersion Week Friday 2nd August Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day Celebrations
Week 3	Tuesday 6th August Sammy-D Presentation
Week 4	National Science Week Monday 12th August Pupil Free Day - No school Wednesday 14th August Governing Council 5.30pm
Weeks 4-6	Friday 16th, 23rd & 30th August Power Youth Program
Week 5	Book Week and SSO Week Monday 19th August Author Visit Tuesday 20th August Bedtime Stories Thursday 22nd August Book Week Parade
Weeks 5-7	Intro to Construction
Week 6	STEM Congress
Week 7	Wednesday 4th September Indigenous Literacy Day Wednesday
Week 8	Monday 9th - Wednesday 11th September U8s Ear Health Program Friday 13th September Governing Council 9.30am
Week 10	Thursday 26th September Community Breakfast Friday 27th September Sports Day Last day of term - Early finish

Niina Marni

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Welcome back to Term 3 and what a great start it has been too! We welcomed several new students including our amazing new mid-year Receptions! We now have so many receptions that we have just completed a break out learning space for them outside their classroom. The space is for intentional learning, movement breaks and more. We can't wait to share more when this is further established.

We are so excited to be co-hosting **National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day** on Friday 2nd August. This is our second

year hosting the event with Connected Beginnings, Children's Centre and Childcare. The event is on from 10am – 2pm on the school oval and all families are invited to attend. We have Uncle Moogy opening and Sarah Agius performing. There is a colour fun run, football, Yara Family Connections and many more activities offered on the day. Don't forget to return your Colour Fun forms as soon as possible to your class teacher!

Dental for Schools: Please remember to bring these forms back to Uncle Michael.



NAPLAN results have headed home this week. If you have any question or need clarification, particularly around the new reporting system, please see Aunty Leayshia.

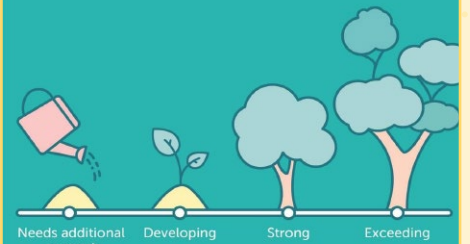
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Reminder

Monday 12th August
Pupil Free Day
- no school



The way NAPLAN results are reported has changed



Aunty Natalea's Report (continued)

As we start this term, I want to strongly remind students and families about several policies:

Uniform: At Kurna Plains School we strongly believe that uniform is a vital part of belonging, equality, connection and pride. From Week 2 we will be offering a spare uniform to change into and calling home regarding non-compliance. If there are any issues with uniform please write a note in the diary or communicate with teachers. We aim to have high expectations whilst being supportive. Overall, there has been a marked improvement in uniform and we wish to continue this over Term 3. If there are any concerns, please see staff to chat.

Mobile Phones: We have had a resurgence of mobile phone use across the site. Please be reminded that it is state-wide legislation that students do not have mobile phones on them during the day. Students have a secure, locked container in a locked room to store their phones. Our Ab Ed Team are on hand to ensure students have access to their phones in emergencies.



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Aunty Natalea
Acting Principal

Attendance



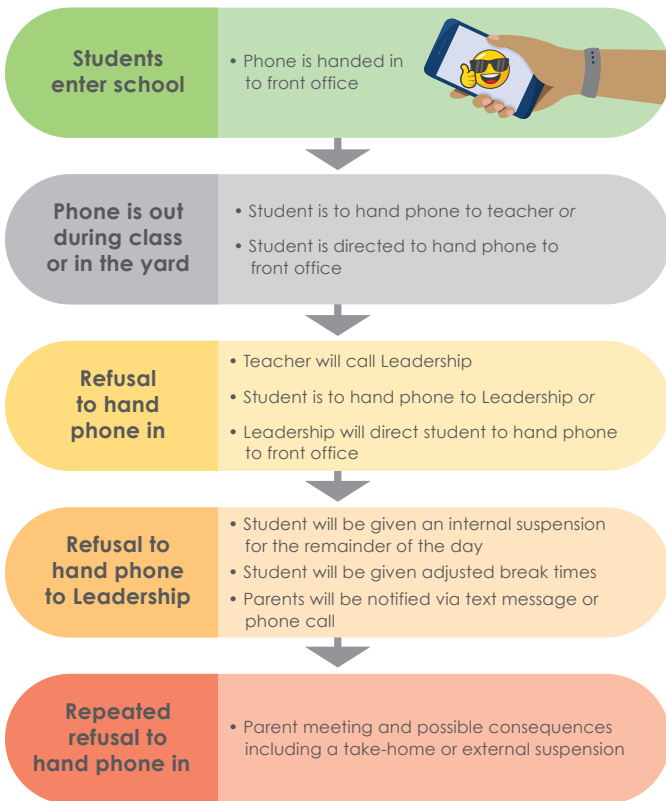
Year to date 69%



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Mobile Phone Procedure Flow Chart



SPECIAL INVITATION

We invite you to attend

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

Strong in Culture, Stronger Together

Friday 2nd August 2024
10.00am - 2:00pm

at Kurna Plains School R-12
83 Ridley Road, Elizabeth

Celebrating with a fun day of activities and performances



General Information:

- Community event (not public event)
- Car parking will be limited on the day
- Lunch provided
- Port-a-loos provided for adults



For more information, contact Kurna Plains School R-12
83 Ridley Rd, Elizabeth SA 5112 Ph: 8252 4419

Email: dl.1792.info@schools.sa.edu.au www.kurnaas.sa.edu.au Kurna Plains School

PLEASE UPDATE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH THE FRONT OFFICE IF ANYTHING HAS CHANGED



HOME/RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS?



MOBILE NUMBERS?



EMAIL ADDRESSES?



EMERGENCY CONTACTS?



FAMILY INFORMATION?

Community Notices

Little Steps



The KWY Little Steps program supports Aboriginal women who have past or current experiences of family and domestic violence and or other barriers to strong parenting.

Little Steps runs over 10-weeks.

Dates: Tuesday 30th July - Tuesday 17th September 2024
Time: 10.30am - 12.30pm on Tuesdays for 10 weeks

Groups run throughout 2024

Location: Kurna Plains - Marni Waiendi Children's Centre
 83 Ridley Road, Elizabeth South

****Light Snacks will be provided****

Referral: Call 08 8377 7822 or go to kwy.org.au for the referral form
 If Creche is needed please call KWY to assist in organising.




Aged 14-17?
Want to be a part of the local music scene?

LOW STAKES

ALL AGES EVENTS TEAM

5-Week Live Event Course:
 Tuesdays 5-7pm
 20th August - 17th September
linktr.ee/NorthernSoundSystem

KAURNA PLAINS CHILDREN'S CENTRE

TERM 3 FAMILY CENTRE TIMETABLE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8.30am - 11.45am Nunga Playgroup For families with children birth to 4yrs For info call: Thurza 0428 286 349 Sarah 0439 104 355 KPCC 08 8209 3840 3pm - 4.30pm Family By Family After school program every second Monday CAFHS Every second Monday Come in and chat to the nurses from CAFHS about any concerns/needs for	10.30am - 12.30pm Little Steps Helping women build strength and resilience in their lives Children welcome Food provided For info call: KWY Aboriginal Corporation 08 8377 7822 KPCC 08 8209 3840 BUSY BEE TUESDAY 16TH JULY 10.00am - 12.30pm Join us these school holidays for a day of fun	9am - 4pm NDIS Feros Care Available to chat and help you with any issues relating to NDIS every Thursday For info call: KPCC 08 82093840 10am - 12pm Ngangkita/Yarlita & Wakwaku Playgroup For Mums/Dads and Bubs	12.30pm - 2pm Yarning Circle Connecting those looking after our children 0-5yrs Friday 16th August Friday 13th September For info call: Eunice 08 8209 3840 

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KAURNA PLAINS FAMILY CENTRE STAFF	PRESCHOOL SESSIONS	FOR MORE INFORMATION
Reception Jazmine Glancey/Kim Neate Community Development Coordinator Tessa Lennon Occupational Therapist Tina Sordillo Speech Pathologist Di Nelson Aboriginal & Community Development Officer Citu Of Playford	Monday/Wednesday 8am - 3pm Tuesday/Thursday 8am - 3pm For enrolments contact Mary Oberer (Preschool Director) 08 8209 3841	 69 Ridley Road Elizabeth South  08 8209 3840  facebook.com/kaurnaplainschildrenscentre