

Holy Child Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Issue 3, 11 March 2021



Our school motto:
Wisdom, Knowledge and Grace



DEPUTY PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

MRS BERNADETTE VENABLES



Important Reminder

There is **NO SCHOOL TOMORROW (Friday 12 March)**. The teachers are having a professional learning day with a number of staff from the Catholic Education Office.

Education in Faith News

The Sacrament of Penance

This coming Wednesday 17 March at 6:30pm, some of our Year 3 and Year 4 children will celebrate the Sacrament of Penance (Reconciliation) for the first time. Please keep these children in your prayers.

Pope Francis visits Iraq

Many in our community are excited by Pope Francis' recent visit to Iraq. During this visit he has reminded us all of the importance of hope. May we remember that hope can never be silenced as we journey towards Easter this Lent.



God bless,
Bernadette

SCHOOL GROUND HOURS

GATES OPEN	8.30AM
GATES CLOSE	3.40PM

Children playing outside the school grounds, before and after school, are not supervised until 8.30am before school and up to 3.40pm after school. Many children are going to the Jack Culpin Car Park\Reserve and Gibbs Reserve, before and after school, to wait for their parents' drop-off and pick-up. We are not able to supervise your children in these areas.

Please ensure that your children are collected from the School Grounds in Area 1. If your child is not collected by 3.40pm they are to be collected from the Reception Foyer.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE is available, contact **Camp Australia** directly on 1300 105 343 or oshc@campaustralia.com.au.

EASY PLAN AHEAD LUNCH BOX IDEAS

Nutrition Australia says that "Packing a healthy school lunchbox will help children to learn and play well and be happy at school." For more information please see <https://heas.health.vic.gov.au/schools/healthy-lunchboxes>

SUN SMART

Australia has one of the highest rates of skin cancer in the world.

In Victoria, from September through to the end of April, average UV levels are 3 and above, which is when UV radiation can damage skin and eyes and lead to skin cancer. When the UV Index is 3 and above:



1. **Slip** on sun-protective clothing
2. **Slop** on SPF30+, broad spectrum, water resistant sunscreen - put it on 20 minutes before you go outdoors and every two hours afterwards
3. **Slap** on a hat - that protects your face, head, neck and ears
4. **Seek** shade
5. **Slide** on some sunglasses - make sure they meet Australian Standards.

Holy Child is a SunSmart School and we enforce



Children must wear the school hat during the break times at school.

During warmer weather, DRINK MORE WATER

As the weather warms up it is important that our children drink regularly.

Children will need a clearly named and refillable drink bottle.

Please do not send food that needs re-heating. Due to health and safety, we are unable to heat children's food at school.

UPCOMING EVENTS

March

Friday	12	No School
Monday	15	Scholastic Book Club orders due
Thursday	25	Parent School Learning Walk

April

Thursday	29	Photo Day
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UNIFORM

Date _____

UNIFORM ORDER FORM

Student's Name _____

Sex F M

Year Level _____

UNIFORM ITEMS	QTY	SIZE 4 -10	SIZE 4-10	SIZE 12-18	SIZE 12-18	MONEY ENCLOSED
School Windcheater			\$40.00		\$45.00	
School Jacket			\$45.00		\$50.00	
School Polo Top (S/S)			\$25.00		\$30.00	
School Polo Top (L/S)			\$30.00		\$35.00	
School Grey Long Trousers			\$45.00		\$50.00	
Girl's Summer Dress			\$50.00		\$55.00	
School Girl's Pleated Pants			\$45.00		\$50.00	
Grey Shorts			\$20.00		\$25.00	
School Hat			\$15.00		\$15.00	
School Beanie			\$15.00		\$15.00	
School Bag			\$40.00		\$40.00	
School Raincoat			\$55.00		\$55.00	
Sports Uniform						
School Navy Shorts			\$20.00		\$25.00	
School Track pants			\$40.00		\$45.00	
School Team Colour T-Shirt			\$20.00		\$25.00	

- Please return Order Form with cash in an envelope with your child
- Order will be filled and the uniform will be sent with your child

• يرجى إرجاع استمارة الطلب للزي المدرسي مع النقود في ظرف مع طفلك (لا يتوفر EFTPOS)
• سيتم تعبئة الطلب وسيتم إرسال الزي المدرسي مع طفلك.

- Vui lòng trả lại Mẫu đơn đặt hàng, và gửi bằng tiền mặt, trong một phong bì với con của bạn (không có sẵn EFTPOS)
- Đơn hàng sẽ được sắp xếp và đồ đồng phục sẽ được gửi cùng với con bạn
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COMMUNITY HUB

TERM 1- 2021 PROGRAMS

You are invited to participate in a variety of onsite classes in Term 1. You may find all the commencement dates in the table below.

Class	Commencement Date		Time
Computer Class	Monday	22 Feb	9.15am -11.15am
English Conversation Class	Tuesday	2 March	9.15am -12.15pm
Playgroup	Tuesday	9 Feb	9.30am- 11.30am
Sewing Class	Tuesday	9 Feb	1.00pm - 3.00pm
English Class for Citizenship Clas	Tuesday	23 Feb	12.30pm -2.30pm
English Class	Wednesday	10 Feb	9.15am -12.15pm
Cooking Class	Thursday	11 Feb	9.15am -12.15pm
Playgroup	Thursday	11 Feb	9.30am- 11.30am
English Class	Friday	12 Feb	9.00am- 11.00am
Barista Training Course	Monday and	22 March	9.30am -3.15pm
	Tuesday	23 March	

There is limited space available in order for us to adhere to COVID-19 safety measures.

If you are interested in any of the above classes, please contact Van Bui to register

Phone: 9306 1620 on Tuesday & Thursday Email:
vbui@hcdallas.catholic.edu.au

ADVERTISEMENTS

Second hand uniform items available for sale at
cheap prices



Before School Care and After School Care is available at Holy Child every school day

Regular Bookings

Before School Care is available from 6.30 am to 8.45 am and **costs \$2.40** after Child Care Subsidy is applied.

After School Care is available from 3.20 pm to 6.00pm and **costs \$3.30** after Child Care Subsidy is applied.

Casual Bookings

Before School Care is available from 6.30 am to 8.45 am and **costs \$2.85** after Child Care Subsidy is applied.

After School Care is available from 3.20 pm to 6.00pm and **costs \$3.75** after Child Care Subsidy is applied.

You need to register your child once before you use the service. Please call the school office, leave your name with Reception and someone will call you back to assist with registering your child.



Parent School Learning Walk

Parents and carers are invited to tour the school, the learning spaces and visit the adult Community Learning Hub

* Please bring a mask | * Maintain 1.5m distance

Các chuyên đi bộ học tập dành cho cha mẹ

Phụ huynh và người chăm sóc được mời tham quan trường học, không gian học tập và thăm Trung tâm Học tập Cộng đồng dành cho người lớn.

*** Vui lòng mang theo khẩu trang | * Duy trì khoảng cách về thể chất**

**KHI NÀO: 9:00 sáng, Thứ năm ngày 25 tháng 3 |
Gặp nhau tại văn phòng thư ký**

جولة تعليمية للأهالي في المدرسة

**ندعو الأهالي وأولياء الأمور للقيام بجولة تعليمية في المدرسة، والمجالات التعليمية
وزيارة المركز الاجتماعي التعليمي للبلدين Hub.**

- يرجى جلب الكمامة.
- الحفاظ على مسافة 1.5م

**يوم الخميس ٢٥ آذار في الساعة ٩:٠٠ صباحاً
الالتقاء في استعلامات المدرسة**

*Thursday 25th March at 9:00am
Meet at Reception*

HOLY CHILD PRIMARY SCHOOL IS COMMITTED TO THE
SAFETY, WELLBEING AND PROTECTION OF THE CHILDREN IN OUR CARE



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