



#### Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome to Term 4. I would like to extend a special welcome to our new families arriving this term. This term is always a very busy term and I hope this question and answer sheet assists you with your back-to-school organisation. Further to this we will be sending home a Term 4 Calendar for you to place on your fridge and keep up-to-date with all the events at school.

### Q. When will home learning commence?

A. Home learning will commence Monday 22 October and will be sent home each Monday and is due back no later than Friday. There will be no homework sent home the last week of the term.

### Q. When will the canteen open?

A. The canteen will open Wednesday 17 October and will open each Monday, Wednesday and Friday, given we have enough volunteers. We are still **looking for volunteers**, please let us know if you are able to assist.

### Q. When do students wear their sports uniform?

A. P.E. will be held each Thursday and sport will be on Friday.

### Q. How do I book for before and after school care?

A. The facility at Murrumburrah PS is located off Albury Street. For all enquiries please contact Sandy Manwaring 0418 581 357 or Bunyip Preschool 6386 2631.

### Q. Can I still pay my voluntary contributions?

A. Yes, we gratefully accept voluntary contributions during term 4 if you have not already paid. You can send payment in with your child or online via 'make a payment' on the school website. Voluntary contributions are \$30 per child or \$50 per family.

### Q. What do I do if I need to speak to my child's teacher about their learning?

A. You are welcome to make an appointment with your child's teacher by contacting the front office to arrange a mutually convenient time.

### Q. When will intensive swimming start and what will my child/children need?

A. Intensive swimming will commence Friday 9 November and continue until Friday 16 November. Students will need

swimmers, towel, rashie, sunscreen, hat and water bottle. A more detailed note will be sent home in the coming weeks.

#### Q. What are the uniform requirements for term 4?

A. Students are expected to wear their summer uniform this term. If you have difficulty with obtaining a school uniform for your child, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

### Boys

Light blue shirt with MPS logo Grey shorts Navy blue jumper with school emblem Grey socks Black shoes Navy blue bucket hat (available at school only)

### Girls

Navy skort Light blue shirt with MPS logo Navy blue jumper with school emblem Black shoes Navy blue bucket hat (available at school only)

### Q. What are the school bell times?

9.10am	Morning
11.20am -12.20pm	Lunch break
1.50pm to 2.15pm	Afternoon break
3.15pm	End of day

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any further questions.

From my desk...

Clare Crawford

PS. I hope you enjoyed your family time during the break as much as I did!



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## WHAT'S HAPPENING...

EVENT	CLASSES	ACTIVITY DATE	COST	Notes / Money due
Canteen Opens	All	Wednesday 17 October		
SRC Assembly Presentation of 'Class Rep' badges	All welcome	Friday 19 October 12.30pm in the hall	Free	
Year 1 Excursion to Canberra 'The Gruffalo'	Year 1	Tuesday 23 October	\$35	Overdue
P&C Meeting	All welcome	Tuesday 23 October @ 6pm	Free	
Boorowa Touch Football and Netball Carnival	Years 2-6	Friday 26 October	\$4 entry \$10 bus	



Hi All,

Looking forward to a big Term 4!

We hope that everyone had a great holiday with family and friends! The P&C are looking forward to another big term with the following on the go!

*\$20 Raffles* - These have been selling well and we are asking for those families who have been given a book or two to sell to hand back into the office by 12th November, so we can gauge how many we need to sell! Every cent we raise from this raffle will be spent on upgrading the Schools Science and Technology resources for 2019!

Our *Facebook Auction* will commence again this term and we have some amazingly generous donations - watch this space!

The **Uniform Shop** Pre-Order forms will be going home this week, we are asking parents who already know that they will need new uniform for Term 1 of 2019 to complete and return the form to the office by 21st November, as this will allow us to order the uniform in advance and ensure we have stock on hand!

At this stage the uniform shop will be open on Wednesday 21st November from 1-4pm as this is the 2019 Kindergarten Open Day. Following our meeting on 23rd October we will advise every one of our other opening days. Online ordering is available through the Skoolbag app with the orders being packed on Friday's.

We will also be looking at opening during the school holidays on a Saturday morning from 9-12pm, so that everyone can be ready for Term 1, 2019.

The Canteen will be closed a few days during the term which is disappointing to see but we just didn't get the volunteers to man the canteen on those days. However if you are able to volunteer on any of these days please let us know! We must have two volunteers to have the canteen open, the number of lunches we process is too much for one person.

Have a great week!

Em

P&C President

