



Gawler Primary School Newsletter



Term 1 Week 4 - 19th February 2021

Our School Values

Success
Mutual Respect
Active Participation
Responsibility
Teamwork

Student Absence Hotline

Phone 85222988

SMS 0401 121 559

Email

dl.0141.info@schools.sa.edu.au

Attendance rate for Term 1

95%

Same time last year:

92.2%

IT'S NOT OK TO BE AWAY!

**Gawler Primary School is
NUT FREE**

Important Dates

**PUBLIC
HOLIDAY
MONDAY 8th
MARCH**

**SPORTS DAY
FRIDAY
12th March**

**Gov Council
Meeting
15th March**

From the Principal

Meet and Greet

Thank you to all families who took time to join us last Tuesday morning for our annual Meet and Greet. Personally, it was fantastic to meet many Gawler Primary School parents and I really appreciated you taking time to come and chat. Thank you to Rachel Mahoney, Tracey Reed and Natasha Winter for your support in cooking the BBQ and serving our community.

I welcome any feedback that families have in regards to what worked well and ideas for improvement. Feel free to feedback via email to:

dl.0141.info@schools.sa.edu.au

Governing Council AGM

Our AGM was held last Thursday, 18th February. The 2020 Annual Report was presented, which included a summary of 2020 highlights, Governing Council Report, student results in PAT-Maths/PAT-Reading as well as other information pertaining to Gawler Primary School. If you would like a copy of the Annual Report please see the Front Office staff. Following our AGM the first Governing Council meeting for 2021 took place, where nominations and elections of office bearer positions occurred.

I am pleased to announce the 2021 Governing Council office positions, office bearers and sub-committees as follows:

Chairperson: Rachael Mahoney
Deputy Chairperson: Louise Egan
Secretary: Miriam Yip
Treasurer: David Reiman
Governing Council members:

Marie Brunato
Miriam Yip
Louise Egan
David Reiman
Tracey Reed
Tracy Tye
Natasha Winter
Melisa Powell

Appointments to sub-committees are as follows:

Finance: David Reiman and Louise Egan

Fundraising: Tracey Reed, Amanda Reiman, Jess Saler, Anna Saler, Natasha Winter, Cathy Treloar and Marie Brunato
OSHC: David Reiman
Grounds: Miriam Yip, Marie Brunato

We still have some vacancies on Governing Council and in sub-committees. If you wish to join us, please see Melisa in the front office.

Medication at School

If your child/ren needs to have medication at school it must be brought to the Front Office and discussed with Front Office staff. It is a Department for Education requirement that a Medication Agreement form is provided and must be completed by a GP or Specialist. Staff are not able to administer medication unless this form is provided to us.

Medication must be provided in original pharmacy packaging - clearly labelled. Staff are unable to cut or break medication.

Asthma Care Plans must be provided even if students keep their Ventolin for use themselves.

If your child has a non-specific health condition that requires additional care I ask that you make a time to meet with me to discuss the needs of the student and forms completed.

Have a great week everyone.
Take care
Celeste

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Celeste Matthews

Deputy Principal:
Jennifer Pinnock

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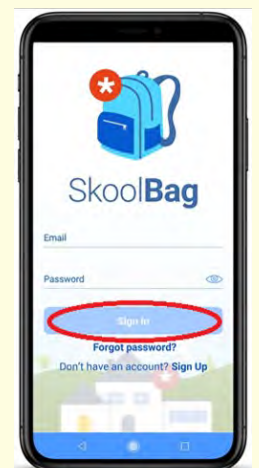
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Don't forget to
download the
SkoolBag App
to keep up to
date with every-
thing going on
around Gawler
Primary School!



WELCOME TO OUR RECEPTIONS!

On Friday 19th February our Year 7 students welcomed the new Reception students to Gawler Primary School at assembly.

The Reception students have settled in very well here at Gawler Primary School and we hope they are enjoying their time with us so far!



FINANCE MATTERS

School Materials and Service Charge invoices should have arrived in your mail box over the last 2 weeks. The M&S charge for 2021 is \$246. If you are eligible for School Card please submit your application online. Online applications are approved faster and your information goes direct to the School Card team. If you are having any issues with your School Card application please do not hesitate to come in and see me. If you are not eligible for School Card yet would like to pay off your fees in smaller manageable instalments please come in and see me to set up a "Payment Agreement"

All payments to the school can be made via EFT deposit our bank details are:

Gawler Primary School

BSB: 105 009

Acc: 065599440

Payments can also be made in person at the cash office by cash and EFTPOS
Coming soon Qkr App for all payments and lunch orders!

APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



All types of School Card applications are now online.

You can access the online forms from any device that gets internet, including mobile devices, such as tablets and smart phones, as well as laptops and computers.

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

- STEP 1** Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
- STEP 2** Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A') and follow the prompts.
- STEP 3** Complete all mandatory fields.
Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
- STEP 4** Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
- STEP 5** Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button.
Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form, and return to complete it at another time, by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.



sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard



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GAWLER PRIMARY SCHOOL CALENDAR TERM 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1 Mon 25/01/2021			STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL		
Week 2 Mon 01/02/2021					Newsletter Online
Week 3 Mon 08/02/2021					
Week 4 Mon 15/02/2021		Morning Meet & Greet 8.15am—8.50am			Newsletter Online
Week 5 Mon 22/02/2021			Year 6/7 Aquatics Camp	Year 6/7 Aquatics Camp	Year 6/7 Aquatics Camp
Week 6 Mon 01/03/2021					Newsletter Online
Week 7 Mon 08/03/2021	ADELAIDE CUP DAY				SPORTS DAY
Week 8 Mon 15/03/2021	Governing Council Meeting 3:45pm				Newsletter Online
Week 9 Mon 22/03/2021					
Week 10 Mon 29/03/2021				Newsletter Online	GOOD FRIDAY
Week 11 Mon 05/04/2021	EASTER MONDAY				EARLY FINISH 2.05pm

