Orama News

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Term 1, Week 10 Monday March 30th, 2020

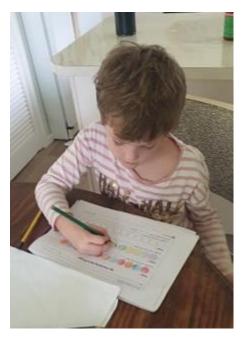


Orama Public School is surrounded by a supportive and engaging community.

Our Resilience Shines

Katie, Leah, Benn, Robyn, Melissa, Nathan and I thank you all for your support over the last week. It has been a strange existence but the professionalism of all our staff has been outstanding. All staff have completed training out of hours so they can create learning experiences for students that help to continue the learning journey. Thank you for being patient with us in this new environment. We have plans to expand our reach but we're going to take our time so that we can truly know systems and possible hiccups that we and you may face. Please keep an eye on emails and Facebook for updates.

Resilience is shining through the students and homes and we thank you all for this. It is a new step for us all and if there is any way we can make this easier for you, please let us know. We are currently undertaking an audit of our



available laptops so if a LS2 student needs one, please let us know. I also know that data can be a huge factor and I am looking into options for accessing data. Those LS2 students who cannot access the Google

classroom suite, we have printed copies of work here at school. LS1 students will continue to get printed copies of their booklet. We will also

continue to email them.

I have also placed an envelope in the courier's cupboard at Thora Store where you can access the booklets. New copies will be



placed there every Monday afternoon. At the end of each week if you can return the booklets for marking.



Continue to engage with https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-from-home where regular updates are also placed.

Please also send us photos of your children busily learning- in any type of learning!



How long will this last?
We don't know either!
However what we are sure about it is vitally important to limit any unnecessary travel and any unnecessary contact with others.
Staff will still be at school so we are contactable during school hours.

Have a safe and reassuring week,

Katharine

Katharine Sutherland, Principal



This fortnight's school value: DIVERSITY



WHAT'S ON @ ORAMA PUBLIC SCHOOL TERM 1, 2020- WEEKLY CALENDAR

Week 10	
Tue 31 st March	Canteen- Belinda CANCELLED
Week 11	
Thurs 9 th April	Easter Hat Parade CANCELLED
	Last Day of term

TERM 2, 2020- WEEKLY CALENDAR

Week 1	
Mon 27 th April	School Development Day
Tue 28 th April	Students Return
Week 2	
Tue 5 th May	Canteen- Volunteer please
Week 4	
Tue 19 th May	Canteen- Volunteer please
Week 5	
Thurs 28 th May	P&C Meeting 2pm Library
Week 6	
Tue 2 nd June	Canteen- Volunteer please
	School Photos
Week 7	
Mon 8 th June	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday
Week 8	
Tue 16 th June	Canteen- Volunteer please
Week 10	
Tue 30 th June	Canteen- Volunteer please
Thurs 2 nd July	Student Reports distributed

As you probably already know, children like routine. Here is a simple timetable that you may like to use or adapt at home. We have also set our weekly tasks to resemble a timetable.

Before 9:00am	Wake up
9:00-10:00	Morning walk
10:00-11:00	Academic time
11:00-12:00	Creative time
12:00	Lunch
12:30PM	Chore time
1:00-2:30	Quiet time
2:30-4:00	Academic time
4:00-5:00	Afternoon fresh air
5:00-6:00	Dinner
6:00-8:00	Free TV time
8:00	Bedtime