



St Peter Apostle Catholic Primary School

Learn, relate and live in the light of the Catholic faith.

Term 1 - Week 4A

21st February 2019

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Dear Parents,

It was great to see the high attendance at our Prep-2 interviews and 3-6 Information sessions. This was a good opportunity for you to meet your child's teacher for 2019 and develop an understanding of the requirements of each grade level. If you are yet to meet your child's teacher and need to discuss your child's needs, then please make an appointment to meet with them before or after school in the coming weeks.

On Tuesday the 5th March, we will be having our Annual Pancake Night. This will commence at 5.30pm and finish at 7.30pm. On this night you will have the opportunity to buy pancakes for your family as well as get to know the rest of the parent community and school staff. I would encourage you all to come as this has proven in the past to be a very popular night with families and a great way to celebrate the start of the year as a school community.

On the 12th March at 6.30pm we will be having our Parents and Friends AGM in the school staffroom. All are welcome to attend. The P&F is an important group in our school community, however the number of members we have is quite small. At the moment we have around ten parents who are overseeing the organisation of events such as Pancake Night and Father's Day Breakfast. The low numbers mean that a lot of work is being undertaken by a small group of dedicated parents. In order for the P&F to continue we will need more parents to join and support the school. The P&F meet with myself and some staff members approximately two or three times a term and I would encourage mums, dads and grandparents to attend our AGM to find out a bit more about this group.

As you are aware, our 3 - 6 swimming program finished last week and I am pleased to say that the students did a wonderful job of transitioning to a new class for the year whilst attending swimming classes. A special thank you to Miss Joyce and the teachers for their support with the program.

Just a reminder that our 2020 Prep Information Night will be on Tuesday the 19th March at 7.00pm. If you have a child that will need prep enrolment for 2020, then you will need to attend this night as enrolment interview times will be organised on the night.

Regards

Karen Wilson

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Principal

Dates to Remember

Dates are subject to change



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| Wednesday | 27th February | Year Prep and Year 1 - NO SCHOOL |
| Tuesday | 5th March | Shrove Tuesday Pancake Night at 5.30pm |
| Tuesday | 12th March | P&F AGM at 6.30pm in the staff room |
| Tuesday | 19th March | 2020 Prep Information Session at 7.00pm |
| Friday | 5th April | End of Term 1 School finishes at 1.00pm |
| Tuesday | 23rd April | Term 2 commences School begins at 8.45am |
| Thursday | 25th April | Anzac Day - PUBLIC HOLIDAY |
| Wednesday - Friday | 29th May - 31st May | Grade 6 Camp |
| Monday | 10th June | Queen's Birthday - PUBLIC HOLIDAY |
| Tuesday | 11th June | Curriculum Day - NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN |
| Friday | 2nd August | Curriculum Day - NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN |
| Friday | 18th October | Curriculum Day - NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN |
| Monday | 4th November | Curriculum Day - NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN |
| Tuesday | 5th November | Melbourne Cup - PUBLIC HOLIDAY |
| Tuesday | 17th December | Final Day (Preps to Gr 5) |

Term 1 - Ordinary Times - Week 4- WildernessThe Word:

Jesus was led by the Spirit through the wilderness for forty days. He ate nothing and by then end was very hungry. Then the devil tested him promising power and honour if Jesus would worship him. But Jesus refused and the devil left him.

Talk About it: Fasting

Fasting is about more than avoiding certain indulgent foods, like chocolate or ice cream. Eating is just one of many activities in which we are prone to over indulge

Prayer: Space

Lord God, we call out for your mercy. Bring us back to you and to the life your Son won for us by his death.
Amen

SACRAMENTAL DATES 2019

RECONCILIATION

Parent Night - Tuesday 12th March at 7pm

Reflection Day - Friday 29th March at 9-3pm

Sacrament - Tuesday 2nd April at 7pm

FIRST COMMUNION

Parent Night - Wednesday 24th April at 7pm

Reflection Day - Friday 10th May at 9-3pm

Sacrament - Saturday 18th May at 6pm,
Sunday 19th May at 10:30am
Saturday 25th May at 6pm
Sunday 26th May at 10:30am

CONFIRMATION

Parent Night - Tuesday 16th July at 7pm

Reflection Day - Wednesday 31st July at 9-3pm

Sacrament - Thursday 1st August at 7pm



For parents/guardians of students:

2019 Student Residential Address and Other Information collection notice

This notice is from the Australian Government Department of Education and Training (the department), to advise you that the department has requested that your child's school provide a statement of addresses, in accordance with the Australian Education Regulation 2013 (Cth) (Regulation).

A *statement of addresses* contains the following information about each student at the school:

- Student residential address (**not student names**)
- Student level of education (i.e. whether the student is a primary or secondary student)
- Student boarding school status (i.e. whether the student is boarding or a day student)
- Names and residential addresses of students' parent(s) and/or guardian(s)

Schools generate a record number for each student for the purposes of this collection, which is also provided to the department.

Purpose of the collection

This collection is routinely used to inform Commonwealth school education policy, and to help ensure that Commonwealth funding arrangements for non-government schools are based on need, and are fair and transparent.

On 20 September 2018 the Government announced that it will implement a new, improved capacity to contribute methodology used in the calculation of the Commonwealth's needs-based funding arrangements for non-government schools. This follows a review of the existing socio-economic status (SES) score methodology by the National School Resourcing Board. Further information about the review and the Government's response can be found here: <https://www.education.gov.au/review-socio-economic-status-sesscore-methodology>.

The information collected in the *statement of addresses* will be used to refine the new capacity to contribute methodology and may also be used in school funding calculations from 2020.

Use and disclosure of personal information

Your personal information is protected by law, including the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth). Any use and disclosure of your personal information relating to the *statement of addresses* will occur in accordance with the Regulation.

Your personal information may be used by the department, or disclosed to the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS), for the purposes of SES score policy development, reviewing SES score methodology, calculating SES scores, Commonwealth school education policy development (including school funding), or where it is otherwise required or authorised by law.

For example, your personal information may be provided to the ABS for statistical and research purposes, which includes data integration projects such as the Multi-Agency Data Integration Project (MADIP). Further information on the MADIP can be found here:

[http://www.abs.gov.au/websitedbs/D3310114.nsf/4a256353001af3ed4b2562bb00121564/9099c77cb979d558ca258198001b27a0/\\$FILE/MADIP%20iPIA_2018.pdf](http://www.abs.gov.au/websitedbs/D3310114.nsf/4a256353001af3ed4b2562bb00121564/9099c77cb979d558ca258198001b27a0/$FILE/MADIP%20iPIA_2018.pdf).

The department may, from time to time, carry out audits of school submissions. In the event of an audit, contracted auditors may seek to compare a school's *statement of addresses* with student enrolment information held by the school. These contractors will not use the information for any other purpose.

The department may also be required to disclose your personal information to its service providers, including the Australian Government Department of Jobs and Small Business, for the purposes of the provision of information and communications technology (ICT) support services to the department.



Australian Government
Department of Education and Training

What do you need to do?

You are not required to do anything. Your school is responsible for providing the requested details to the department, however, you may wish to ensure that your school has the most up-to-date and correct details for your family.

Contacts for further information

Your school can provide additional information about the process of the address collection.

If you have any further questions regarding the collection, you can contact the department by:

- Email: seshelpdesk@education.gov.au
- Phone (free call): SES helpdesk on 1800 677 027 (Option 4)

The department's privacy policy is available on the department's website at www.education.gov.au. The privacy policy contains information about:

- how individuals can access and seek correction of the personal information held by the department;
- how complaints about breaches of the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth) can be made; and
- how the department will deal with these complaints.

For Parents/Guardians of Students : Frequently Asked Questions - 2019 Student Residential Address and Other Information Collection [click here](#)

St Peter Apostle Primary School
P&F Presents

PANCAKE NIGHT 2019

Tuesday 5th March
5.30pm to 7.30pm
School Basketball Court

Pancakes \$1.50
Drinks \$1.00

Join us for a relaxing & enjoyable
school community evening.

Games and Fun for all!

FEE PAYMENT

Fee statements were emailed on Wednesday, 13th February.
Fees for Term 1 are due by Tuesday, 5th March 2019 unless you have advised the school of a payment plan.

Please use the reference that is noted on the statement emailed or your ELDEST CHILD's first name and surname.

As per the 2019 Fee Payment Option Plan : Monthly payments will commence from Friday, 15th February and fortnightly and weekly fee payments commence from Thursday, 14th February.

Fee payment Consent Form - [click here](#)

Fee Payment Options - [click here](#)

Credit Card Direct Debit Form - [click here](#)



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2019 FEES

| | |
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| 1 Child | \$2,037.00 |
| 2 Children | \$2,766.00 |
| 3 Children | \$3,492.00 |

TERM PAYMENTS. DUE 2ND WEEK TERMS 1, 2, & 3

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| 3 Payments | |
| 1 Child | \$679.00 |
| 2 Children | \$922.00 |
| 3 Children | \$1,164.00 |

MONTHLY PAYMENTS. DUE 15TH OF EACH MONTH

9 Payments, commencing 15th February and final payment 15th October 2019.

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| 1 Child | \$227.00 |
| 2 Children | \$308.00 |
| 3 Children | \$388.00 |

FORTNIGHTLY PAYMENTS. DUE THURSDAY FORTNIGHTLY

18 Payments commencing, Thursday 14th February and final payment 10th October 2019.

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|------------|----------|
| 1 Child | \$114.00 |
| 2 Children | \$154.00 |
| 3 Children | \$194.00 |

WEEKLY PAYMENTS. DUE THURSDAY WEEKLY

36 Payments commencing Thursday 14th February and final payment 17th October 2019.

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|------------|---------|
| 1 Child | \$57.00 |
| 2 Children | \$77.00 |
| 3 Children | \$97.00 |

Payments have been rounded up. if you over pay the payment will go towards your \$150 deposit for 2020. If your child is leaving at the end of 2019 you will need to adjust your final payment.



LOST PROPERTY

The Lost Property Box is located outside the Wellbeing Office.



St. Peter's Canteen **OPEN THURSDAY & FRIDAY ONLY**

The Canteen will be open on Thursdays and Fridays for 2019. We are looking for volunteers that can help out on these days.

We are sorry for any inconvenience this will cause.



PARENT RESOURCES

STUDENT ABSENCE



TERM DATES



CANTEEN /

LUNCH ORDERS



MOBILE PHONES



CAREMONKEY



SCHOOL APP



AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION



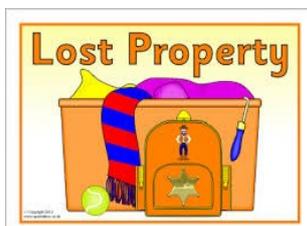
SCHOOL UNIFORM



STUDENT HEALTH



LOST PROPERTY



2ND HAND UNIFORM

SHOPPE



OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS

CARE (OSHC)



Late Arrivals & Early Dismissals

Children late for school (after 9.00am) must report to the office for a **LATE PASS**.

If you need to collect your child/children early, you must report **first** to the office to sign out your child.

PLEASE AVOID COLLECTING YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN DURING THE BREAK

First Break

(11.00am-11.45am)

Second Break

(1.45pm to 2.15pm).

Medications

It is the policy at St. Peter's that staff members are unable to administer any medication to a child without the parent's written authorisation.

No child is to carry medication on them, unless it is for Asthma. If a child is to be given any medication, parents must report to the office to complete a medical management consent form *prior* to commencement of administering medication. All medication will be administered around 12 noon.

School Banking



Commonwealth Bank
Dollarmite banking day is Wednesday

Dollarmite Accounts
want to get you involved in
School Banking [Click here.](#)

Dollarmite Banking is now
closed and will commence
on Wednesday, 20th
February, 2019.

Year 5 students in 2019 starting Year 7 in 2021

Families interested in enrolling in Catholic High Schools please get in touch with the High School as Applications are now open for Year 5 students commencing Year 7 in 2021.

Applications close on 23 August 2019.

MacKillop College OPEN DAY

Tuesday 5th March
2.00pm-6.00pm

Final Tour 5.15pm