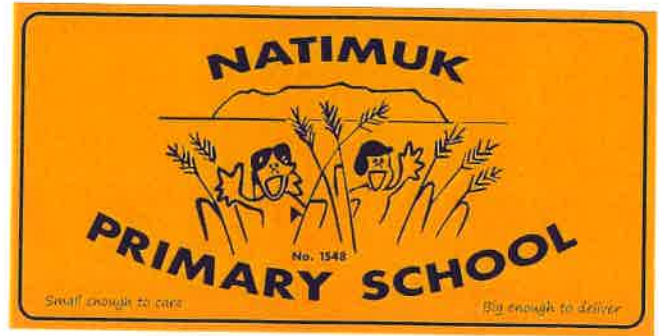


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13 July 2022

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday 21 July	Book Club orders due
Tuesday 26 July	School Council meeting, 7.30pm
Thursday 28 July	Parent Teacher Interviews

Welcome back everyone to term 3. Mrs Clarkson will be back from her holidays next Tuesday; she will be able to share with you all what she got up to in Paris!

RAT Tests

Students were given another box of RAT tests on Monday. As we are currently in the middle of winter, there is still a lot of illnesses going around. If you need more RAT tests during the term please let us know. The current advice is still to test if you have symptoms or are a close contact.

Pie Warmer

We have had a number of students beginning to have pie warmer again this week. A reminder that food needs to be defrosted and name clearly marked on the item. Try to keep items flat so they can fit into the pie warmer.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent teacher interviews are coming up on Thursday 28th July. A good opportunity to talk about mid term reports and see how your child is going in class. Forms are attached for making an appointment. We try to accommodate where possible but first in, first served for desired times.

Melissa Blake



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Miss Blake

Welcome back to a busy term 3! There are a lot of activities planned for this term so hopefully we can all stay fit and healthy. This week students are completing revision with their spelling words. The Ones/Twos have individual word lists with words from previous spelling tests and their writing books. The Preps are revising the words zip, yes, wax and vet. In writing, our first focus is on explanation writing. Our first topic that will be covered is how a butterfly comes out of its cocoon. It can be a tricky text type to learn.

In Maths students have been revising numbers to 20. We have learnt a new game called Hippo Race, using a dice to see which hippo wins the race. Students will learn some new concepts over the course of the term and we will be doing a week long investigation on 2D and 3D shapes.

In PE the older students are spending 3 weeks on basketball, learning skills before participating in a game while the younger students are focusing on the fundamental motor skill of kick. We will then move onto athletics practise for the House Athletics Sports.

In Wellbeing we read *Pig the Rebel*, which everyone agreed looks like it is the final book in the Pig the Pug series. They were all a little sad about this as they love reading those books. The older students had a discussion about different emotions and when they have felt these emotions. The younger students watched a directed drawing video on how to draw *Disgust* from the movie *Inside Out*. We have one more emotion to learn about from the movie.

Mrs Hausler

We have had a fabulous couple of days back in the 3/4 classroom. It sounds like we all had a great break, with everyone keen to share holiday anecdotes on Monday.

In Literacy, we have revised how to select 'good fit' books and restocked our book boxes with both levelled texts and books that capture our interest. We have started exploring explanation texts and have read about the water cycle and how paper is recycled. Tomorrow we will learn how popcorn is made and write a shared explanation text on this process.

In Maths, we have been working on place value again, playing several games and reading, writing and expanding four and five-digit numbers. Then, tomorrow and Friday, we will discover what an angle is, locate them in everyday situations and compare them in relation to a right angle.

We have started our new units for Science from the Physical Sciences strand. The F-2 students will be studying light and sound and we started with a spooky story containing various sounds. We also brainstormed different light sources. The 3-6s are looking at heat, beginning with how some animals like penguins and polar bears keep warm. We then brainstormed and discussed ways that humans can warm up when we are feeling cold.

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3 & 4 year old Kindergarten

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Dear Parents

On Thursday 28th July, we will be holding parent/ teacher interviews. This will be a normal school day for the children.

Interviews will be of 10 minutes duration. If you require more time with the teacher please schedule another interview.

Please select a time that is appropriate for you and we will endeavour to timetable your interviews within the times you have selected. First in first served.

Please return the form by Monday 18th July.

A schedule of appointments will be sent home.

Yours faithfully,

Melissa Blake

Melissa Blake
Principal (Acting)

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Student Names

Teacher/s (circle teacher)

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Mrs. Clarkson, Miss Blake, Mrs Hausler

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Times (Please circle)

3.00pm – 3.45pm (Mrs Hausler)

4.00pm – 6.00pm (Miss Blake, Mrs Hausler &/or Mrs Clarkson)