

DATES TO REMEMBER

November

10-14 Swimming YrF-5

14 Year 6 Aquatics

20 Kindy transition

25 Governing council

27 Kindy transition

28 Assembly Rm 6&7 hosting, 2.30pm in the gym.

December

4 Kindy Transition

4 Year 6 Graduation

9 Jam Band performance

11 Whole School Transition visit and reports home

12 Last Day of year, early dismissal 2.10pm.

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NEWSLETTER

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DEAR COMMUNITY,

As we reach the halfway point of the term, our focus at Flinders Park Primary School has been on encouraging students to finish the year strong. This means maintaining a dedicated commitment to learning, fostering positive relationships with others, and upholding our school values in every aspect of daily life. Our Arts Showcase in week 3 was certainly a credit to this focus, we were so proud of every student, their vision, hard work and achievements. A huge thank you to everyone that joined us to be part of the event! See photos on page 3!

Cassie McCaffrey

LEARNING IN RM 6!

With Ms Katie

It has been a busy start to the term in Room 6. We have participated in lots of different activities including Diwali, AFL Clinics and the Arts Showcase.

We enjoyed developing our fine motor skills by experimenting with clay and creating our pinch pots. We learned the techniques of rolling, pinching and smoothing.

For Diwali, Ms Sharma cooked some delicious food for us. We tried crunchy noodles and a sweet food called jalebi. We also made a rangoli.

During our AFL clinics we have learned how to kick, handball and catch.









Rm 6 Superstars!









WORLD TEACHERS' DAY 2025

Friday 31st October

World Teachers' Day is an opportunity for our school community to recognise and **thank** our amazing teaching staff for the significant contributions they make every day. At Flinders Park Primary School, we are privileged to work with passionate educators who go above and beyond to inspire, guide and support our students every day.

Our teachers play a crucial role not just in academic achievement, but also in nurturing the wellbeing and growth of every child. Their dedication, professionalism, and genuine care help create a safe, inspiring, and inclusive learning environment for all.

Thank you to our teachers for your hard work, your kindness, and your commitment to helping every student flourish. Your efforts make a lasting difference, and we are truly grateful to have such an outstanding team at Flinders Park Primary School. This years' theme, 'Hats Off to Teachers', was the perfect platform for recognising our teachers.

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"She always makes me feel like I can give it a try – even when I am worried I might be terrible at







SWIMMING

Week 5

This week, our students have swimming lessons for year F-5 and Aquatics for year 6 as part of our commitment to ensuring every child develops essential water safety skills. These lessons are a valuable opportunity for students to build confidence in the water, learn vital swimming techniques, and understand how to stay safe around water.

Water safety is an important life skill for all children, especially given Australia's strong connection to pools, rivers, and beaches. We encourage all families to continue discussing water safety at home to reinforce the lessons learned at school and help keep our children safe all year round.





Swimming Room 6 & 7







CAR PARK

We have noted that the staff carpark is becoming very chaotic at the beginning and end of the day. Please note that this carpark is for <u>staff and</u>

special class families only. Please do not use this carpark. There is parking along Hartley Rd or the safest option is along Collingwood Avenue along the side of the oval. The 'kiss and drop' zone is here too.



