



# LUCKNOW BELL

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## School Calendar Term 4 – October

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
04	05	06	07	08	09	10
	Student free day	All students return to onsite learning				
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
					Public Holiday	

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### Welcome back to Term 4

We hope that everyone had a restful break and are recharged and ready for Term 4! We are extremely excited to be welcoming students through the gates and I suspect the students are just as excited!!

As we embark on Term 4, it is going to be imperative that we hit the road running and do what we do best ... stick to our core business.

The three main priorities at this point in time, as identified by the Department of Education are: continuing to grow student's literacy and numeracy skills, focus on student wellbeing and implement smooth transitions for the 2021 school year.

We know that through providing high quality teaching and learning experiences we are a step closer to ensuring students feel safe and secure within their learning environment. We will continue along the path of identifying what our students can do, determining what the next steps in their learning are and making a collaborative plan to achieve this. The Journey of Hope program will also provide us with an evidence-based approach to ensure that the wellbeing of our student's is being addressed.

**Marcus Batt, Principal**

## DEVICES FOR REMOTE LEARNING

If you borrowed an ipad or internet dongle from school during the Remote Learning period, please return it by **FRIDAY 9th October**. As we are limiting the number of visitors on school grounds, please give the device to your child who will need to return it to the office before the school day starts. Please discuss what they are required to do with the device. Devices **MUST BE** returned with the cord and AC adapter otherwise a replacement cost maybe charged.

## STUDENT BANKING

Student banking is back up and running as normal. Banking day will still be every Thursday. This will begin from tomorrow 8<sup>th</sup> October.

## HEALTH CARE/PENSION CARD HOLDERS

**Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF)** In acknowledgement of the significant and ongoing challenges facing our parent community, the Minister for Education has approved that the eligibility to quality for CSEF be extended to **5 October 2020**, with applications due by **27 November 2020**.

CSEF payments for these students will be made at 50 per cent of the standard primary and secondary rates, recognising that opportunities for camps, sports and excursions have been limited in 2020.

**If you hold a healthcare card or pension card you are eligible to apply. Please contact the office for an application form.**

## HAT POLICY

As part of our sun smart policy students are now required to wear a hat at all times when outside in the yard as we come into the warmer months. Please ensure your child has a school hat with them when returning to school in Term 4.

## END OF DAY (PICK UP) PROCEDURE

Pick up for Prep and Grade 1 students (and their older siblings) will be 3pm from the same pick up points as Term 2. All other grade 2-6 students will be dismissed at 3:20. Please remember that at this current time it's only students and staff onsite. If you do need to access the school grounds this must be done via the main gate only. Please also be mindful to continue to socially distance at the gates. Thank you.

**Emily Forbes, PLC Leader**