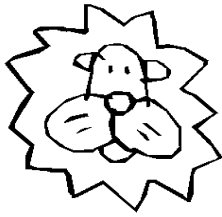


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## Newsletter

Term 4 Week 8 2020

### Pride Goal Focus

#### Be Respectful:

**Stop, rewind  
Choose words that are  
kind!!!**



We are looking forward to the many special events happening over the next 2 weeks. So many highlights, achievements and memories to celebrate this year even though we have been through some very tough times.

It is also a sad but exciting time of year where we farewell our Year 6 students as they commence their journey into high school. The staff and students will miss you all immensely. Remember to take your Hebersham Pride with you to high school.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank the wonderful staff of our school. Your dedication and passion towards teaching makes school a special place for all students. Thank you also to our amazing office and support staff who work tirelessly all year round to make sure our school runs like clockwork. I hope you all enjoy your holidays.



Thank you to all our parents, carers and community members who have supported our school throughout the year. We are so lucky to have such a supportive community behind our school.

Finally, on behalf of Ms Coupe and myself we would like to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday break. We look forward to seeing you all return in 2021.



Betty Papandreou  
Principal



### 2021 Kindergarten Enrolments

Applications are now due for children eligible to start Kindergarten in 2021. Children may be enrolled in Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn five years of age by 31 July of that year and are in area to our school.

Application forms are available from the Front Office or you also have the option complete an application online at

<https://enrol.education.nsw.gov.au/#/?schoolCode=4447&catchmentLevel=primary>

Please ensure that your application is submitted as soon as possible. If you know of anyone considering enrolling, please encourage them to do so now.

### Important Information for Parents and Students

The Department recognises that some families will be subject to family breakdown. In the absence of any notification to the contrary, it will be assumed that both parents retain a shared and



equal parental responsibility for their children and have been involved in making any decisions regarding their children's education. This means that the school will recognise that each parent has equal duties, obligations, responsibilities and opportunities in relation to matters involving the school.

If any changes occur in your family relationships which have the potential to impact on the relationship between the school and your family, you are required to advise the school immediately. This includes providing copies of any court orders that may be obtained.

### **Academic Assembly Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December**

This year our academic assembly will be held in stage cohorts in line with COVID guidelines. This event will not be open to special guests or general spectators and will have restrictions on parents attending. Parents and carers of students receiving awards will be sent an invitation to the event with **a limit of 2** family members being allowed to attend. All guests attending will be required to follow a COVID management plan which will be sent home with invitations.



### **Pride Pin Celebration Day Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December**

On Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December all students who have received their Pride Pin this year will have the opportunity to watch a special circus performance at school in recognition of their achievement. This performance will be held in stage cohorts in line with our COVID management plan.



### **Library**

Start looking for any school library books, home readers and return as soon as possible.



### **Class Parties**

Class parties will now be held on Tuesday 15 December (Week 10) during the middle session. All students will need to either order a party pack from the canteen or bring their own lunch. Pre-orders for party packs must be returned with a payment of \$6.00 by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Due to COVID-19 restrictions we are unable to share food

## **RETURN TO SCHOOL 2021**

**All Staff → Wednesday  
27<sup>th</sup> January 2021**

**Years 1-6 → Friday  
29<sup>th</sup> January 2021**

**Kindy → To be confirmed**



### **Drink Bottles**

To keep our students safe, our school bubblers are still closed. All students are asked to bring a labelled drink bottle to school every day to take out into the playground.



### Pride Pins

Congratulations to the students who received their Pride Pin during Term 4 Week 6. The following students met their goals and consistently demonstrate how to be a learner; how to be respectful and; how to be safe in our school.

Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 we were unable to hold a whole school assembly to celebrate, however we congratulate these children on this wonderful achievement and are very proud of them.

They are:

Name	Class	Name	Class
Caleb	KH	PJae	KH
Arham	KS	Musa	KS
Tyereke	KP	Harmony	KP
Jacob	KP	Daniel	KP
Farhat	S1H	James	S1H
Dekoda	S1B	Jayden	S1B
Upokotea	S1B	Jayden	S1L
Ava	S1L	Cynthia	S1L
Tyra	S1L	Iqra	S1G
Christopher	S1D	Courtney	S1D
Beau	S1D	Annah	S1D
Joshua	S1D	Elhaan	S1C
Montell	S1S	Jariullah	S1S
Alolua	S1S	Rhianna	S1S
Monson	S2M	Austin	S2T
Hayley	S2T	Sofia	S2T
Sharni	S2T	Tyler	S2T
Nizarly	S2L	Jason	S2L
Bailey	S2L	Zakaria	S2L
Christian	S2S	Sienna	S2S
Tahlia	S2S	Dwayne	S2H
Onjay	S2H	Natalie	S2K

Name	Class	Name	Class
Muskaffa	S2K	Ayden	S2G
Maddison	S2G	Isabella	S2G
Andrew	S2G	Aiden	S2G
Lucas	S3C	Julia	S3E
JD	S3E	Jaxon-Thomas	S3G
Jedda	S3G	Tyler	S3G
Caitlin	S3G	Jett	S3M
Cruz	S3M	Dallas	S3M
Kayl	S3M	Izaac	S3M
Alakae	S3S	Jayla	S3S
Noah	S3S	Calvary	S3T
Ava	SCM	Razee	SCM

## Nutrition Snippet

### ARE VEGIES A STRUGGLE?



#### Try different cooking methods.

- Keep it raw with a salad
- Stir it up with a vegie packed stir fry.
- Roasting brings out the sweetness in vegies
- Steaming reduces nutrient loss
- Grilling vegies on the BBQ will sure to be a hit for summer

[healthylunchbox.com.au](http://healthylunchbox.com.au)



**Cancer Council**  
Healthy Lunch Box





## School Equipment for 2021

The following is a list of equipment that children in different grades will need with them at school at all times.

***Please ensure ALL equipment and uniforms have the name of your child on them. All students need a school bag, lunch box and a hat.***

### Kindergarten

- glue stick- 4
- water bottle
- boxes of tissues one per term
- pump soap one per term
- baby wipes one per term

### Stage 1-Year 1 and Year 2

- glue stick- 4
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues-4
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

### Stage 2-Year 3 and Year 4

- pencil case
- lead pencils HB
- sharpener
- eraser
- glue stick- one per term
- coloured pencils
- blue and red pens (Year 4)
- textas (optional)
- plastic ruler (optional)
- library bag
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

### Stage 3-Year 5 and Year 6

- pencil case

- lead pencils HB
- sharpener
- eraser
- glue stick- 4
- coloured pencils
- blue and red pens
- Geometry set (must include compass and protractor)
- calculator
- textas (optional)
- plastic ruler (optional)
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)

### Support classes

- paint shirt or old shirt
- glue stick- one per term
- water bottle
- A4 covered homework book- 128 pages
- boxes of tissues (donation)
- pump soap (donation)
- baby wipes (donation)
- hand sanitizer

## How to install the SkoolBag app

instructions for parents and community

1. Get your favourite mobile device
2. Open the App Store/Play Store
3. Search for "SkoolBag"
4. Download the free app
5. Open the app and add your school(s)

for Apple users



for Android users



for more info visit [skoolbag.com.au](https://skoolbag.com.au)





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## Classes for 2021

Classes for 2021 will be formed this term in preparation for the new school year.

Please return the information slip attached to the newsletter if:

- Your family is definitely moving and your children won't return to Hebersham PS in 2021.
- Your family will be on holidays and may return late in Term 1 2021.

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## Return slip Movement of families in 2021

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child/ Children's Names: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

☐

My child/ children will **not** need a class place at HPS in 2021.

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My child/ children will return late to HPS in 2021 due to travel/ holidays.

Date of return: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate with a ☒

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please return the note to the school office)