

## Term 2 key dates

District Cross Country

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May

District Winter Interschool sports

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June

Hoop time

Level 5/6 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August

Level 3/4 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August

Dance Club

Every Wednesday 1st recess in the Community building

Choir 3-6

Every Tuesday recess in 2B

Science Club

Weeks 3,5,7,9 in Science room

Art Club

Every Thursday recess on the Art Deck

End of Term 2

Friday June 24<sup>th</sup>

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## Specialist News

### Welcome back to Term 2

*Hello from the specialist team. We hope everyone is ready for a busy term two. Here is what's happening in our specialist programs.*

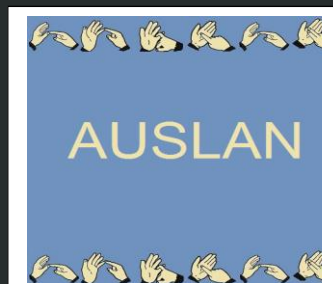
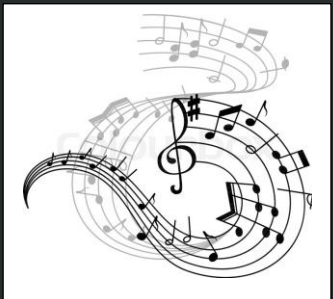
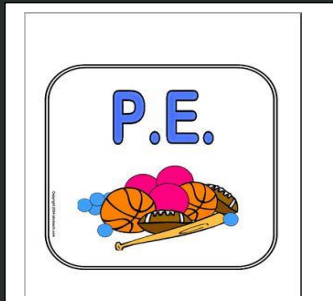
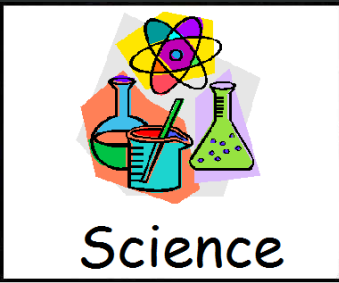
#### Art

*This term in visual art we are travelling to the continent of Africa. Students will be looking at different countries in Africa, African culture and wildlife and using these as inspiration for their art works. Students will use a range of mediums and techniques to introduce and extend their art knowledge and practice. The main focuses will be on drawing using value and shading, and adding fine detail; different painting techniques with both watercolour and acrylic; collage, printing and making three-dimensional art.*

*Congratulations to our new Art captains Layla Schiff, Ruben Whitehead and Caleb Kroiter.*

*Mrs Johnston*





## P.E

*During term two the students will start developing their skills playing Soccer. All students will have a chance to work with a ball and increase their skills with ball control, evasion and kicking.*

*Students will move onto AFL, learning how to kick & hand pass for junior levels as well as senior, learn about movement into space & game sense. We hope to have the AFL send coaches as they did for the last week of term one.*

*After AFL we will move onto Basketball learning the skills of dribbling, passing & running. For grades 3-6 this will be getting them ready for hoop time which will be played in term three at Kilsyth Basketball Stadium. Grade 3/4 will be playing on the 26<sup>th</sup> August. Grade 5/6 on the 19<sup>th</sup> August. We have the District Cross Country event which is being held at Lilydale Lake on the 20<sup>th</sup> May & the District winter Interschool Sports round robin being held on the 10<sup>th</sup> June at local venues. The sports being played for Winter are A.F.L, Netball, Soccer & T-ball.*

*Congratulations to our Sports Captains Ella Kempson, Harper Grice, Rachel Taylor and Bronte Crunden!*

*Cheers,  
Paul Harris*



## Music

*This term students in foundation and level 1 will continue to learn about and engage in activities that develop their understanding of Musical Elements. Students will experience these elements through singing, playing instruments, moving, listening and creating.*

*Our primary focus for level 2 will continue to be on the musical elements of beat, rhythm, pitch and melody. The musical elements of dynamics, texture and form will also be covered.*

*Level 3 & 4's will continue to learn the musical elements of beat and rhythm. The musical elements of pitch, dynamics, melody and form will also be addressed. Improvisation and composition will be explored.*

*Students in levels 5 & 6 will incorporate skills and understandings of musical concepts and elements of beat and rhythm, pitch, dynamics, melody, harmony and form. Students will explore sound, moods, feelings and emotions and their connection to visual images, movement and drama. Congratulations to the music captains Isla McKenzie and Jax Ritchi!*

*During the last two weeks of term we will be starting rehearsals for our whole school production - stay tuned for more details soon!!*

*Ms Gayle Fraser*





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## Auslan

During Term 2 students will be participating in individual and group activities to apply their knowledge of basic signs. With support and modelling, students will use Auslan in the classroom for different functions such as greeting, thanking, asking and responding to questions and following simple directions. Students will learn basic signs of Australian Animals, school items, emotions, food, colours, extended family members and weather signs. Students will also be exposed to stories about deaf people and deaf culture.

Mrs Carly Molnar



## Science

Throughout term 2, students in Levels 3-6 are learning about Chemical Science. Level 5/6 are focusing on melting moments which investigates how changes to everyday materials can be reversible or irreversible. Level 3/4 are concentrating on change of state between solids and liquids and how materials can be changed by adding heat. This term we have started a science club on a Thursday at second play. We rotate weeks between the junior school and senior school, giving students the opportunity to participate in age appropriate hands on activities. The science captains are always looking for new ideas for activities to run during science club. If you have any suggestions please pass them to Jai, Isla, Jake and Natahlia.

Mrs Adele Haining



