Happy Holidays
I would like to thank all the students and staff for their hard work this Term. Enjoy the Easter break.

Term 1 finishes: Thursday, 2nd April
Term 2, Staff return: Monday, 20th April Term 2, Students return: Tuesday, 21st April

National Close the Gap Day
National Close the Gap Day was Thursday, 19th March. We will be holding a special afternoon on Wednesday, 1st April from 4.00-6.00pm, to celebrate National Close the Gap day as well as Harmony Day. Activities include: Art/Craft, Teachers and Parents v’s students in a game of touch football, tug-of-war, dance, volleyball, decorating a serpent with chalk on the footpath, free BBQ sausage sizzle. There will be soft drinks for sale.

Easter Hat Parade
There will be an ‘Easter Hat Parade’ on the last day of term from 9.30am in the school hall. Parents/carers and community members are all welcome.

Parking inside the school grounds
If at any time there is a need for parents/carers to park inside the school the car spaces provided are the only places you should be leaving your car. The turn-around area, netball court and driveway are not parking areas.

Easter reading
Have your kids signed on for the Premiers Reading Challenge? Get a head start with Easter reading time. Booklists are here: What’s your child reading right now? Find out more: https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/booklist/home.html

April school holidays
Have you got April school holidays organised yet? It’s not too late to book for a Sport and Recreation Kids’ Camp. Watch the video to see how much fun these kids are having. Find out more: http://www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/kidscamps/

School calendar
What’s on when? Stay on top of school holiday, term and state examination dates across NSW. Find out more: http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/calendar/?do=setViewPeriod&categoryid=2&viewType=yearView

P&C Executive
Congratulations to the P&C executive who were voted in at the AGM.
President: Vanessa Poole, Vice President: Lisa Pickett, Secretary: Kirsten Maina, Treasurer: Janelle Van Den Bogert

School Fees
The voluntary school contributions have been set at $35.00 per student, $70.00 two students and $100.00 per family. The contributions go towards purchasing resources for our students.

Mark Spencer,
Principal

Maths Text Books
All students in Years 1-6 require a Maths text book. It would be appreciated if you have not already purchased the Maths text book could you do so before the end of this Term. The cost of the book is $12.00
BBQ – Saturday, 28th March
A huge thank you to volunteers for their contribution to our election day BBQ. Special thanks to families who donated cakes, biscuits and drinks, and our wonderful children who ran the cake stall, it was a huge success.

Easter Raffle
Please help our Easter raffle by donating and buying raffle tickets. Raffle drawn Thursday at the Easter Hat Parade.

Bunnings BBQ – Fund Raiser
The Bunnings BBQ is coming up on the 26th April. Volunteers needed to support our school. Please notify Allison in the canteen. Because we care for your safety, Bunnings have rules and these are to be followed to participate in their BBQ’s. Volunteers must have covered in footwear, must wear sleeved shirt (no singlet tops), Hair pulled back, No-one under the age of 16. Please support our school and join us. Thank you for your support. P&C committee

Dates to Remember – Term 1

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Purple Day for Epilepsy Awareness
Last Thursday, we held a Purple day to raise awareness for Epilepsy. Everyone looked stunning in their purple clothes. The school raised a total of $250.20. Thankyou to everyone that brought in a gold coin donation. A special thankyou to the families that brought in purple food items for the canteen to sell.

K-2 Early Action for Success News
Merran Campbell -Instructional Leader - Literacy and Numeracy

Year 1 - Yellow

My Learning Recount
I was learning about bus safety. I was going back to make changes to make my writing better.

by Asante

My Learning Recount
I was writing about bus safety. I made some changes because I wanted to make my writing better.

by Christianna

My Learning Recount
When I was writing about bus safety, I was trying my best to do my best work. I went back to reread to check my spaces in my writing.

by Melanie-Cheyne