

Welcome to Year 5/6



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St Joseph's School Prayer

Dear Lord

We ask you to bless St Joseph's School Community

We pray that you guide us to be just and to see,
listen, speak and act like St Joseph.

May we be inspired by our Founders
to be the best that we can be.

May we always keep Jesus
at the centre of all we do.

St Emilie	Pray for us
St Marcellin	Pray for us
St Joseph	Pray for us

Amen



The school day

- Our classroom door will generally open around 8.30am. School finishes at 3.05pm with the exception of early close on Thursday at 2.30pm.
- Our class and specialist timetable is displayed below.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		8:15 Staff Briefing			
8:30					
9:00 Period 1	Technologies (Computer Lab)	English	HASS (Mrs Parker)	9:00 Maths	English
9:55 Period 2	Technologies (Computer Lab)	English		9:45 PE/Health (Ms Frost)	English
10:50	Recess Duty	Recess	Recess	10:30 Recess Duty	Recess
11:15 Period 3	LOTE (Mr Selvam)	Maths	English	11:00 English	Maths
12:05 Period 4	Maths	Religion	Maths	11:45 English	Maths
12:55	Lunch	Lunch Eating Duty	Lunch	12:25 Lunch	Lunch Duty
1:30 Period 5	English	Science	Drama	1:00 Drama	PE/Health (Ms Frost)
2:20 Period 6	English	Science	Religion	1:45 Drama	Religion
			Kiss & Ride Duty	2:30 Early Close	

- If you need to remove your child from class during the day, you will need to sign him/her out from the office. This will need to be done before you come to collect your child. The same procedure applies if you arrive late in the mornings.
- Assemblies are held on Fridays at 8.45am in the St Marcellin Performing Arts Centre. We aim to have them fortnightly and parents are always welcome. If your child is receiving an award at an assembly I will endeavour to let you know as soon as possible.

Uniform

- Students are expected to be wearing the proper Saint Joseph's uniform at all times.
- Please ensure all items of clothing are marked with your child's name.
- The school has a no hat; no play policy so please ensure your child always has a hat.

Excursions

Throughout the year, we will go on two excursions. As these arise, a note will be sent home letting you know the details.

Communication

As we have school diaries in Year 5/6, any important information will be sent home in this. I am around in the afternoons if you would like to discuss your child's progress or any issues, please make a time after school to meet. If your child is absent from school please be sure to let the school know prior to 9.00am. Your child will also require a written note upon their return to school. Or you can utilise the Absentee notes in the back of the diary.

School phone number: 9621 3500

Behaviour management

The school's expectations are clearly set out in the front of the school diary. In class, our students have decided on the 'RESPECT' which you can see page 2.

Homework

- Students are given homework each night from Monday to Thursday. This will include Mathematics, English, Reading (Lexile book) and the occasional research project. It is an expectation that the work is done daily and ready for marking the following day.
- The school diary contains the school's homework policies.

The students have homework folders which they are expected to take home each night and return the following day. Their school diaries should be kept in this and also come to school and home each day.

If you have any questions or problems throughout the year, please bring it to my attention immediately and don't leave it until the interviews. This will enable me to act on any issue quickly. My contact email is marasco.renee@cewa.edu.au



Respect

R = Recognise that everyone is different

E = Empathy is to listen and connect

S = Self-monitor, think first

P = Personal space, give a little room

E = Earn trust through your actions

C = Cheer on others and their success

T = Treat everyone as an equal