

Year Two Information

2022





Welcome to Year 2. We are very excited to be teaching your child this year. The Year Two Blue teachers are Mrs Morris and Mrs Gorbig and the Year Two Gold teachers are Mrs Everett and Ms Rensen. Mrs Richardson will be teaching across both classrooms and Mrs Kowald will be teaching the Year Two classes on a Wednesday.



Mrs Morris

Favourite colour- Green.

Favourite food- Chinese.

Pets- Bella dog & George the Lamb.

Kids: 3 kids. (2 girls & 1 boy).

**I love spending time with my family,
swimming, netball, singing, camping
and hanging out with my friends!**





Mrs Everett

Favourite colour- Pink.

Favourite food- Pasta.

Pets- Charlie the dog.



**I like going for walks with my dog Charlie,
spending time with my husband and going
to the beach!**



Contact Information

Our email addresses are below should you need to contact us.

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Mrs Everett: lauren.marino@cewa.edu.au

Mrs Kowald carroll.kowald@cewa.edu.au



All important correspondence should be sent via email.

Please note that we will be sending whole class notifications through Seesaw. Therefore, it is essential that you have this set up.





Specialist Teachers

Ms Syona Fernandes: (The Arts Teacher) syona.fernandes@cewa.edu.au

Ms Carrie Frost (Physical Education Teacher) carrie.frost@cewa.edu.au

Mr Ken James (Mathematics & Health Teacher) ken.james@cewa.edu.au

Mrs Rebecca Curtis (AUSLAN Teacher) Rebecca.curtis1@cewa.edu.au



Year Two Blue Timetable

	TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	9.00	SPELLING / DICTATION	SPELLING / DICTATION	PROTECTIVE BEHAVIOURS - MRS KOWALD (9.00-9.30)	HEALTH - MR JAMES (9.00-9.45)	SPELLING / DICTATION
				INVESTIGATION TIME (9.30-9.55)		
2	9.30	ENGLISH	ENGLISH	PHYSICAL EDUCATION -MS FROST (9.55-10.45)	SPELLING / DICTATION (9.45-10.30)	ENGLISH
	10.45	RECESS	RECESS	RECESS	RECESS (10.30-10.50)	RECESS
3	11.05	MATHEMATICS	MATHEMATICS	SCIENCE -MRS KOWALD	ENGLISH	MATHEMATICS
4	12.00	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION		LITURGICAL SINGING (11.35-12.20)	THE ARTS -MS FERNANDEZ
	12.50	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH (12.20-1.00)	LUNCH
5	1.30	MATHEMATICS - MR JAMES (MEASUREMENT & GEOMETRY) (1.30-2.15)	TECHNOLOGIES	HASS	MATHEMATICS	LIBRARY (1.30-1.50)
						RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (1.50-2.30)
6	2.20	LOTE - MRS CURTIS (2.20-3.05)				(2.30-2.55) SPORT
	3.05	HOME TIME	HOME TIME	HOME TIME	2.30 EARLY CLOSE	HOME TIME

Year Two Gold Timetable

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00	Spelling/Dictation	Spelling/Dictation	Physical Education (9.00-9.50)	Spelling/Dictation	Spelling/Dictation
9:30	English	English	(9.55-10.45) Investigation Time	Health (9.45-10.30)	English
			Protective behaviours		
10:45	RECESS	RECESS	RECESS	RECESS (10.30-10.50)	RECESS
11:05	Mathematics	Mathematics	HASS	English	Mathematics
12:00	Religious Education	Religious Education		Liturgical Singing (1.35-12.20)	Religious Education
12:50	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH (12.20-1.00)	LUNCH
1:30	LOTE (1.30-2.15)	Technologies	Science	Mathematics	The Arts (1.30-2.15)
2:20	Mathematics <i>(Measurement & Geometry)</i> (2.20-3.05)				LIBRARY (2.15-2.30)
		Class Sport (2.30-2.55)			
3:05	Home time	Home time	Home time	2:30 Early Close	Home time

The School Day



Our classroom door will open at 8:30am Children are expected to unpack their own bags and bring their folder, water bottle and Crunch 'n' Sip into the classroom and set up their learning station for the day.

The school day concludes at 3.05pm. **(Except for Thursdays which is a 2:30pm finish)**. If you arrive before 3.05pm please do not enter the corridor outside the classroom as this is very distracting for the children as they complete their end of day tasks.

If you need to pick up your child from the class during the day, you will need to sign him/her out at 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.

Uniform

Students are to wear their sports uniform to school on a **Wednesday** for Physical Education and on a **Friday** for class sport. Students will not be able to participate if they do not have a water bottle or hat.





Uniform Presentation:

Students are expected to be well presented and to have a sense of pride in their appearance. The school uniform expectations apply to all students when traveling to and from school, during the school day and when representing the school in public.

Important Notes:

- Shirts are worn tucked in waistbands of skirts, shorts and trousers
- Shirt colour buttons are fastened when ties are worn in Term 2 and 3
- Skirts and dress to be a length that reaches the top of the knee
- Shoes: black leather lace up school shoes
- Sport shoes need to be predominately white

Hair should be clean, neatly brushed or combed and kept off the face. If your child's hair touches their shoulders, it needs to be tied up.



Absentees

If your child is absent, please email the front office. There is also a link on our school website for absentees. This can also be found on the school SZapp



Homework

Children are encouraged to read aloud to an adult for 5-10 minutes each night. Reading must be recorded in their reading log books.



Behaviour Management in the Classroom

Positive verbal feedback and encouragement will strongly be used in the classroom. Our classroom is using an individual behaviour management system. Students are rewarded a stamp on their reward card for displaying positive behaviour.

Once the card is full, students can choose a reward such as 'bring in a stuff animal to school' or 'no shoes pass.'

Behaviour Management in the School

We are currently working with a school 'House Token' positive behaviour management system. Children displaying positive behaviours will receive a token for their House. The House with the most amount of tokens receive a reward such as extra playtime at the end of lunch.

Listed below are the four rules at St Joseph's School. If a student breaks a rule they will be go into timeout for five minutes. If the behaviour continues, the students will spend some time in a 'buddy class' and an email will be sent to you to inform you of the rule they have broken. Please respond to the email so that teachers can ensure you are aware of your child's behaviour throughout the day.

St Joseph's School Rules:

1. Respect the Teacher
2. Respect everyone else
3. Keep your body to yourself
4. Respect our classroom

Contact Details/Medical Information



Children requiring medication of any kind at school must bring a letter of explanation to the class teacher and administer the medication themselves. If this is not appropriate, then parents must see Administration. If students require medication throughout the day this will need to be left in the office – under no circumstances is it to be left in their school bag.

In Week 1, your child brought home a blue form, which contained important personal information about your child. The purpose of this form is to ensure the school has accurate, updated information about your child. Should any of your personal details, or information which the school and classroom teacher should be aware of, such as any known medical conditions change, it is imperative that you advise the school as soon as possible to ensure such information is updated on your child's file.



The Seesaw app is a digital portfolio that we will be using to document your child's learning. You can access the app from any digital device using a unique barcode, which will allow you access to your child's profile. Through this app, you will be able to comment on your child's work instantly.

As most of our correspondence will be sent through Seesaw, please make sure you check this daily.

Housekeeping

The school website has a variety of information for you to access. You can locate the parent handbook and all school policies on this website. <https://sjsnortham.wa.edu.au/> The school app is also a great way to keep up to date with all relevant information. You can download this app in the app store (SZapp)

You will need to create an account for this app by identifying the suburb and state of our school. It will also require an email address and password.