

FORRIE FILES



Forrestfield
PRIMARY SCHOOL
Community Edition

WEEK 2

ANZAC Day
Public Holiday
Thursday 25th April

ANZAC Day Service
Friday 26th April

Welcome Back

School staff were very excited to welcome all students and parents/carers back to school last week. We all hope that everyone had an enjoyable, safe, and relaxing break, and found the time to share in some memorable experiences with their children. Staff have worked hard to ensure that the transition back to school has been smooth for all students and have re-established clear classroom routines and expectations on behaviour, attitude, and effort. Forrestfield is very fortunate to have such hard working and dedicated staff members who work hard to provide students with the best conditions to support their overall development.

Planned Industrial Action

As parents/carers may have seen in the media, there is a half-day stop-work meeting planned for Tuesday, 23 April 2024. Parents/Carers should have received notification of the arrangements will be operating at Forrestfield Primary School.

ANZAC Day Holiday and Ceremony

Thursday, 25 April, is ANZAC Day and will be a **public holiday**. The school's ANZAC Day service will be held on Friday, 26 April at 9.00am. There will be no certificates presented at this assembly, these will be at the next assembly in Week 4 on Friday the 10th of May.

Documented Plan Meetings

Shortly, teachers will be contacting parents/carers of students who have documented plans in place to organise meetings and discuss what strategies have been planned to help support their learning and/or behaviour at school. It is important that parents/carers attend meetings to have an opportunity to fully understand how the school is working to support the learning and behaviour of students.

Run Club

Run club started today and will run Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings from 8.10 – 8.25am. Run club aligns well with our upcoming Cross Country Carnival this term. Parents and community are welcome to join in walking/laps with the students.

MiniLit & MacqLit Intervention

MiniLit and MacqLit started today. These intervention programs are structured to provide personalised attention to each student's unique learning needs. Through a combination of small group sessions, one-on-one instruction, and engaging literacy activities, each child will receive focused support to improve their reading fluency, comprehension, and confidence. We are fortunate to have our fantastic Education Assistants, Ms Buckley and Mrs Gough run these programs.

Uniforms

New uniforms have been re stocked. Please come and see our front office to purchase these before or after school. School Polos \$30 | Faction Polos \$30 | Jackets \$40 | Hats \$10

Behaviour

Our current whole school behaviour focus is 'We raise our hands and wait to speak'. This has been explicitly taught to our students in the classroom and reinforced and recognised by students receiving PUG points for their productive behaviours.

WEEK 3

School Board
Monday 29th April