



School and Community Newsletter Term 2 Week 3 2022

From the Principal

We are off to a great start to Term 2 here at Stroud Road PS.

Last Friday saw the children giving their mothers and grandmothers a real pampering, well done kids, it was a great afternoon.

Riley E and Riley W represented our school on Monday at the Zone Cross Country, well done boys you put in a great effort!

Our Soccer Gala-day has been cancelled, so can we ask for the shirts and socks to be returned and if by chance we need them at a later date we can hand them out again.

This week we had NAPLAN assessments happening for Year 3 and 5. This is now finished until next year.

Student Attendance

A reminder that learning commences at 9am each day. At this time students are set up for success and a lot of critical organisation in the classroom occurs.

5 min late each day equates to 16 hrs lost learning time over 1 school year.

Uniforms

Just a reminder that school uniform is to be worn at all times. Multi coloured shoes and jumpers are not part of Stroud Road Public School uniform. If a student is unable to wear school uniform on any day, parents are asked to write a brief note of explanation, so we do not embarrass any students whose uniform is truly in the wash.

Covid News

Last month NSW Health announced changes to isolation rules for close contacts which mean that students and staff identified as close contacts and showing no symptoms can return to school with certain requirements.

Close contacts attending school will need to adhere to the following in addition to the [NSW Health guidelines](#):

- They must notify the school and/or early childhood education (ECE) service provider (including their outside of school hours care provider) if they are intending to return under this provision.
- They should conduct a daily rapid antigen test (RAT) and return a negative result each morning before attending school for 5 school days.
- They must wear a mask indoors except when eating or exercising.
- No student or staff member identified as a close contact will be permitted to participate in overnight excursions, including school camps.
- Any visitor to a school site who is a close contact is required to advise the school that they are a close contact before they come on site. These visitors should conduct a daily RAT and return a negative result before attending. They must also wear a mask indoors at all times. Schools should consider if the visit can be conducted virtually.

Close contacts will need to comply with the above guidelines for 7 days from the time a

person in their household tested positive for COVID-19.

Reminder of COVID-19 symptoms

NSW Health and the Department of Education would like to remind our schools of the full list of COVID-19 symptoms that communities should continue to look out for.

Symptoms include:

- fever (37.5 degrees Celsius or higher)
- cough
- sore throat
- shortness of breath (difficulty breathing)
- runny nose
- loss of taste
- loss of smell

Other reported symptoms include:

- fatigue
- acute blocked nosed (congestion)
- muscle pain
- joint pain
- headache
- diarrhoea
- nausea/vomiting
- loss of appetite

Unexplained chest pain and conjunctivitis (eye infection) have also been reported as symptoms of COVID-19.

If anyone develops any of these symptoms, they should get tested and isolate until they receive a negative test result.

Sand Pit

Last week we received new sand for our sand pit. The children are loving this form of play at the moment.

New Student

We are delighted to welcome a new family to our school. Levi Davis has joined our Year 1 team. All the children have made him feel very welcome.



Thought of the week

NOT ALL
STORMS
COME TO DISRUPT
YOUR LIFE, SOME
COME TO CLEAR YOUR
PATH.

	Dates to Remember
Tuesday's	Canteen open
Friday's	Library & Sport
Term 2	
21/5	Election Day
24/5	Grip Leadership Day- year 6
27/5	Athletics Carnival Stroud

Mother's Day Pampering Gallery

