

Totally Proud & Strong

We're on the Web!

Week 8 Term 1

14th March 2022

Every minute of every day counts

Calendar of Upcoming Events

25/3 - Harmony Day Activities8/4 - Last day of Term 1

Visitors to the school

All visitors to the school must present to the front office and follow the protocols displayed including scanning QR Code. This process will continue until further notice.

Updating contacts

If your details have changed eg: phone number, address or emergency contacts. Please ring the office to update on 67 233 437. Thank you



Merit Award Recipients



PBL Award Recipients



Student of the Week & PBL Bear Recipients

Principal's Report

Culture of Success

Tingha Public School is committed to a 'school culture of learning success'. By regularly attending school and displaying the school's values for Positive Behaviours for Learning (Proud, Strong, Safe and Respectful) students gain educational success and contribute to our positive culture of learning success. We always have a focus on improving the learning outcomes for all students. In the last two weeks it has been reassuring and exciting to visit the classrooms and witness students learning and applying themselves to be successful learners.

2022 School Captains

Last week our Yr. 6 students delivered their 2022 Captains Speeches and voting occurred for these positions. I know all staff were impressed with the four students who delivered their speeches with pride and spoke confidently in front of the students and staff. After the counting the votes, Cameron will be our 2022 School Captain. Jevaree, Lucinda and Kiarra will fill vice-captain roles after a three-way tie in the voting. Congratulations to all the students. I am really looking forward to working with these students to develop their leadership skills this year.

Teacher changes

Numerous students have noticed that Mrs Boney and Mrs Strickland have not been at school this year. It is with great sadness that I inform you that at this stage both Mrs Boney and Mrs Strickland, won't be returning to Tingha Public School in 2022. Both these teachers have worked tirelessly at Tingha Public for many years and will be very missed by students and staff.

Harmony Day

The 21^{st of} March every year is nationally recognised as Harmony Day. This day aims to celebrate our country's cultural diversity. With the easing of COVID restrictions, I am excited to say that next Friday, 25th of March, we will be travelling to Gum Flat Public School to join with them and Gilgai Public to recognise this day that celebrates cultures from across the world. A permission note will come home later this week.

Cooler weather

The mornings are starting to get cooler. It has been great to see students who are organised with a jumper on the very cold mornings. Please label your child's jumper with their name so if the jumpers are lost during the day, we can return them.

Sleep

For children to learn and grow at their best they need a nighttime routine to ensure they get enough sleep. This helps them to concentrate on their learning in class and make good decisions with their behaviour. Teachers have noticed that a number of students have been coming to school extremely tired, even to the point of needing a sleep during the day. It is important that you support your child/ children in getting enough sleep every night.

It is hard to believe that there is only four weeks until the school holidays. What a busy term of learning we have had!!

As always, I look forward to another great fortnight at Tingha Public School and witnessing students becoming 'strong' with their learning.

Melinda Partridge Principal

Headlice

Headlice are once again making the rounds among our students. Please check your child's/ children's hair and treat if necessary. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated.



What a great start to the year!

Whether it is written work, hands-on learning, researching skills or just speaking to the class, the students of Year 4/5/6 have truly engaged in all aspects of their learning.























It isn't all work in Year 4/5/6.

Throughout the day many opportunities happen that allow the students to engage in physical activities. Handball, soccer and golden child are just a few of their favourites.

Even wearing face masks did not hindered their enthusiasm.







































Last Wednesday Our Year 6 students had the opportunity to present their speeches to become Captain or Vice Captain of our school. And what a fabulous job they did!!

























When it's

too wet





for





sport









outside

Canteen News

We are up and running for another year. If you would like to volunteer in the canteen please ring and speak with Mrs Partridge.

A reminder all orders are to be in by no later than 9am for them to be ready by lunch time. There will be **NO** hot food or cold drinks available at recess due to the canteen closing at 12 noon. All recess orders will be in the office for pick up.

Lunch bags are sent home every Tuesday.



EVERY DAY COUNTS ...

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just	that equals	which is	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is	This means that the best your child can achieve is
1 day each	20 days per	4 weeks per	Nearly 1 ½	Equal to
fortnight	year	year	years of school	finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per	8 weeks per	Over 2 ½ years	Equal to
	year	year	of school	finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per	16 weeks per	Over 5 years of	Equal to
	year	year	learning	finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per	24 weeks per	Nearly 8 years	Equal to
	year	year	of learning	finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...



HOW MUCH SLEEP SHOULD CHILDREN GET?



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1:24

Preschool (ages 3 to 5) 10-13 hours Elementary School (ages 6 to 13)

9-11 hours



High School (ages 14 to 17) 8-10 hours

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