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Important Dates

TERM 4 WEEK 6 2021

NOV
Tue   30   School Photo Day-Full School Uniform

DEC
Mon 13—Tue 14 Presentation Day – via live streaming more information to come.

Thur 16 Year 6 Farewell/Graduation— At Penrith Public School
Thur 16 School Reports go home
Thur 16 Term 4 Ends for all students

FEB 2022
Tue   1 Years students 1-6 Return
Tue   1— Fri 4 Kindergarten Best Start—Via Appointment
Mon 7 Kindergarten Commence

Money Due - $20 Year 6 Farewell — 10/12/2021

PENRITH PUBLIC SCHOOL'S CORE VALUES

Learning   Environment   Cooperation   Respect

Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers

ENROL YOUR CHILD NOW FOR 2022—If you have a child starting school in 2022, please enrol now! Our exciting Kickstart to Kindy program will be starting in the next couple of weeks. It is highly encouraged for incoming students to take part in the program as it provides a solid orientation to 'big school' and assists in alleviating any anxieties the children may have.

School Photo day is on Tuesday 30 November 2021. School Photo envelopes have been sent home today. If you wish to have a School sibling photo please send your child to the office to obtain an envelope.

It has been a wonderful fortnight with students' return to face to face learning. The sounds of their happy voices in the buildings and playground was greatly missed.

As per communication sent home last week, the Year Six Farewell will take place onsite on 16 December. All information regarding the farewell and arch will be sent via Skool Loop in coming weeks.

Canteen will reopen for face to face orders from Monday. Students will be able to purchase snacks, in a covid-safe way, from Monday 15 November.

Breakfast Club—Up and Go will be available for students before school on Monday.

Principal's Message — continued

Our COVID-safe return to school plan is NSW Health approved and includes numerous effective practices to support the health and wellbeing of our students and staff. These practices include vaccinations, mask wearing, reduced mingling of student groups and staff, ventilation in classrooms and continued good hygiene and cleaning.

Masks are required to be worn on school site by staff when indoors and strongly recommended for students indoors and outdoors unless exercising or eating.

More information about Term 4 and the return to school is available at education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families

Warm regards

Chantal Beltran

Principal

Parenting Children with ADHD

A 6 week group to help parents learn about & manage their children's behaviour

2021 Term 4 dates:

Weekly on Wednesdays from 27 Oct to 1 Dec - 10.00 am to 11.30 am

Via zoom

*Bookings essential

For more information and group details call Sheree on 6351 4055 or email sheree@thriveservices.org.au
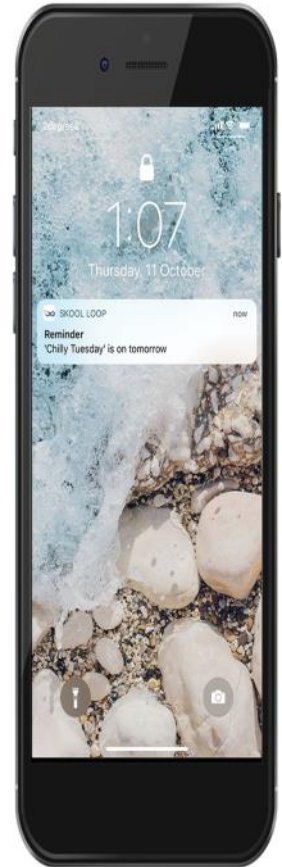
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The Skool Loop App

Here's some tips to ensure you receive notices and push notifications

- When you download the Skool Loop App you will be asked if you would like notifications please **tap yes**. Some devices don't ask this question and automatically tick yes for you. This can be changed in your settings

- If your notifications are turned off in your device settings, some phones apply that to all apps when downloading. In the phone settings please make sure your notifications are turned on

- Check your App Store or Google Play regularly for any outstanding updates

- There are 2 different notices school will send out: **push notification** (banner and ding) or a **notice** (visual alert only)

- You will only receive a push notification if you are not using the app at the time

- If your volume is off you will not hear an alert

- You will see a visual alert if a **notice** has been posted. You will not hear a ding

- You will only hear a ding if the school sends a **push notification**.

Downloading the Skool Loop app - a step by step guide

Once you have downloaded the Skool Loop App, via either your Google Play or App store, please follow the below instructions to select your school -

- Open the Skool Loop App - you will land on a welcome page.

- Click the 'Select your schools' this will bring you to a menu you can either search your school or follow the country/region prompts.

- Once you reach your school, select it with the tick on the righthand side.

- Tap the 'select schools' button in the top right corner.

- Tap the big orange choose button. This will load your school and bring you to the settings page.

- Subscribe to the groups that are relevant to you, then click the 'go back' button on your phone, which will bring you to the main screen of your schools app.
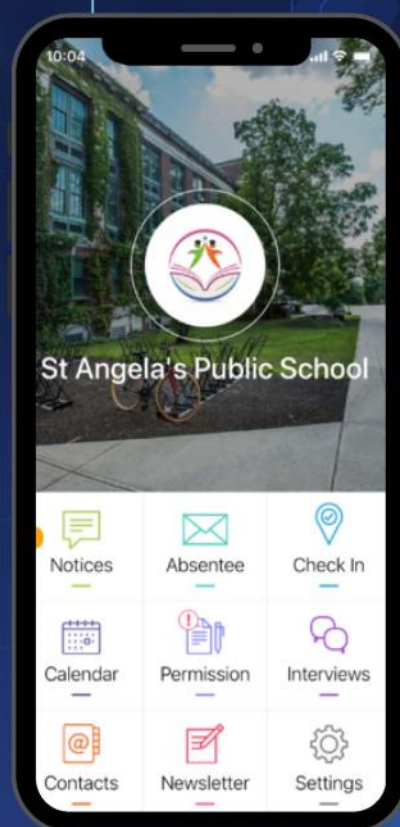
Have you downloaded our school app yet?

Our school app ensures excellent and reliable communication between our school and parents at all times!

Helpful Features:

> Parent-teacher interviews
> Push-notifications
> Absentee reporting
> Notices

> Calendar
> Permission slips
> Newsletters
> Contact tracing
> School contacts

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- Book all your children at once.

- Book one session or for the whole year.

- Book OSHC and Holiday Club.

- Simple booking calendar overview.

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Download the state-of-the-art Parent Portal app today and take control of your account with ease.

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Updates coming in 2021

- (+) Refer-a-friend loyalty rewards

- (+) Offers and discounts

- (+) In-service photo gallery

Camp Australia
Guiding children's growth

Newsletter

It's time to celebrate, we're back!

Your OSHC.

A message from your Coordinator

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Camp Australia!

With the new term, we are enjoying festivity at Camp Australia. Children are getting an indoor and outdoor access to play area, engaged in Halloween activities and diverse environment at Camp Australia. Moreover, at Camp Australia we encourage friendship, sharing and communication among children while having a fun time.

Regards,

It's free to register

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campaustralia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.

Download on the App Store

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Activities coming up

- Halloween Masks
- Quilling & weaving
- Diwali art & craft
- Fidget toys

What's on the menu

- Noodle salad
- Fruit Smoothie
- Vegetable face rice puffs

Visit our blog

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www.campaustralia.com.au

ROCKETEERS

Newsletter

ROCKETEERS
Extraordinary Holiday Adventures

BOOKINGS NOW OPEN FOR MISSION IV

www.campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers

A message from your Coordinator

Dear parents,

Camp Australia's booking for Mission IV is open now. We are excited and ready to welcome kids for summer break. Children will enjoy fun holidays blended with learning and spending their time with friends. We focus on children's choices, respect their ideas, providing them environment to build trust and take responsibilities of their behavior.

Regards

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Activities coming up

- **Vegetables face decoration salad**
- **Diwali-Festival of light**
- **Origami**

What's on the menu

- **Vegetable face decoration salad**
- **Fruit smoothie**

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