



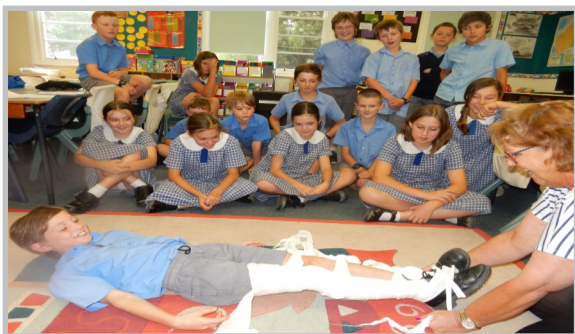
NUNDLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

TERM 4 – WEEK 10

Calendar

December 15	End of term 4
January 30th (Tuesday)	First day of term 1



Principal’s Report

Good afternoon parents and citizens of Nundle and our wider community.

This is our final newsletter for the year and so ends a fast paced and frenetic term for our students.

Last week we had our annual presentation night that was a huge success. Our students finished Intensive Swimming and the ladies from Healthwise, visited to give 4/5/6 students an insight into First Aid. A timely seminar going into the holidays. Last night we farewelled our Year 6 students with a party and tomorrow we will be holding a Christmas lunch and Dance Party with a special guest for all students to finish off the year.

The children have earned a deserved break from school after working incredibly hard right up to the final bell on Friday afternoon. They have learned a lot this year, both in academia and socially and emotionally. We hope that these social skills will be observed at home through the holidays, with you noticing your children being extra helpful and kind.

Our school staff will be taking a well-earned break as well. This time of year is stressful and challenging on many fronts, so I thank them for bringing their best self to work every day for our children. I look forward to seeing you back on deck to kick off 2018 with a bang!

To our parent helpers who have contributed throughout the year, a huge thank for volunteering your valuable time. The school is unable to provide the services it does, without the support of the volunteers so we thank you for your contribution. A friendly reminder that our P&C will be catering for the staff development day where we will be welcoming over 40 teachers and community members to our school to participate in the

Play is the Way workshop. Wilson McCaskill will be flying from Perth to deliver the sessions that will help form our strategies for developing self-management and self-regulation.

All students from Years K-5 will be receiving a present from the school to take home for the holidays. They consist of a numeracy games pack and a little reading challenge. We ask that you sit down with your children during the holidays and play some of these games or invent your own. The games will compliment much of the work we have been doing in Mathematics to bring children who have problem solving skills and flexible thinking with number.

We trust that you will have a safe and happy Christmas, celebrating in style, somewhere, with people you love.

Thank you for supporting our kids.

Regards,

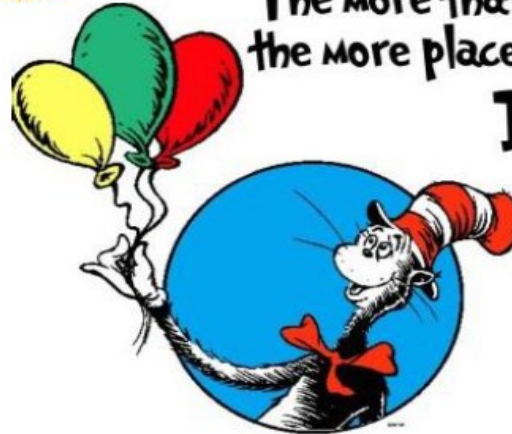
Stephen Gadd, Principal





The more that you read,
the more things you will know.
The more that you learn,
the more places you'll go.

Dr. Seuss



DO YOU LOVE TO READ?

Books can take us anywhere our imagination lets us, but we can also take our books anywhere. These holidays we are challenging our entire school community to send us a pic of them reading. You don't have to be a student to enter.

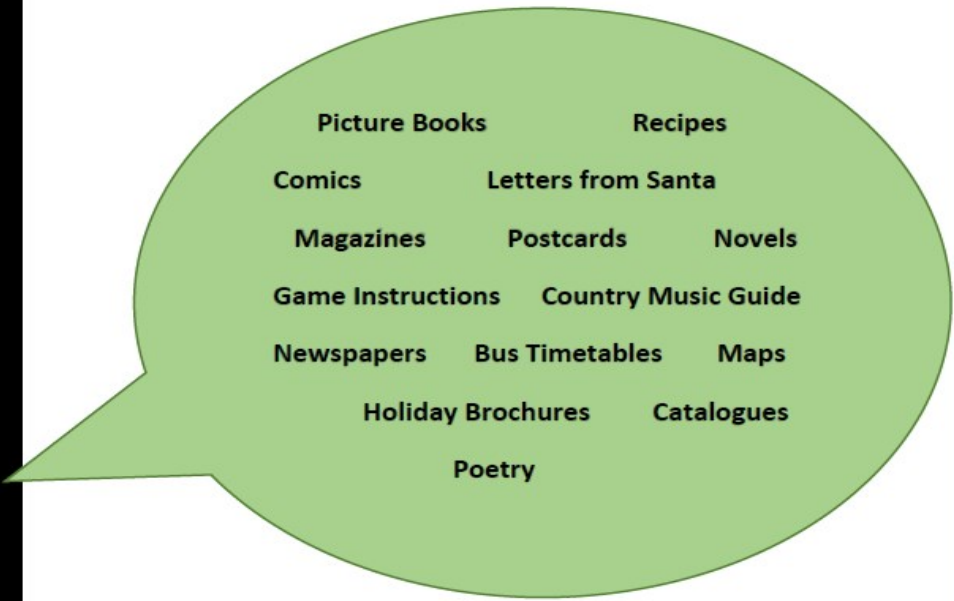
You just need to have liked our page and send us a message.

Parents can send your picture to the school Facebook page, and we'll post it on the school's wall. It's a bit of fun and it will be interesting to see all of the interesting places you go...and all of the interesting things you read.

Our Community would love to see you these holidays!



Does it matter what you read?
Absolutely not, as long as you are reading often.



- Picture Books
- Comics
- Magazines
- Game Instructions
- Newspapers
- Holiday Brochures
- Poetry
- Recipes
- Letters from Santa
- Postcards
- Country Music Guide
- Bus Timetables
- Catalogues
- Novels
- Maps

Another great holiday idea:
Summer Writing Club for Kids – www.juniorwritersclub.com.au

Registration is FREE! Participants can register online or at the Nundle library on Saturdays between 10am-2pm

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