

# Taylor Talk

Term 3 Week 2

Dear Parents,

The term has begun and we are straight back in working at a rapid pace. This term we have a number of events to remember including our worship and assembly item day on Friday August 25th (week 5). That week is also Book Week.

I have started planning our concert item and have ordered the white cover-all suits that we need. I am intending to dye them four colours, red, purple, yellow or green. If anyone has fabric colour at home in these colours, or has any experience in colouring clothing, I would love to hear from you. Part of the costume will include padding to go around your child's waist, so if you have any old pillows, please don't throw them out just yet.

## Curriculum

<u>Maths</u>	Patterning and Algebra then measurement.
<u>English</u>	Poetry (cont.) Letter writing, Book study on Charlotte's Web
<u>Christian Studies</u>	Judaism and Christianity
<u>HASS</u>	Southeast Asia
<u>P.E.</u>	Badminton and table tennis
<u>Health</u>	Family Life Program
<u>Science</u>	Animal and Plant biology
<u>The Arts</u>	Dance and movement

## Family Life Program

I will send home a note that will outline in more detail, the content of this specific program.

At this stage the upper primary classes of 5/6 and 7, will run the sessions in their own class groups, only coming together for the 2 lessons that specifically relate to male and females.

We will begin in Week 3 with a session led by Pastor Darrin.

## NAPLAN

On Wednesday of Week 1, I travelled to Adelaide with Rachel Hentschke and Andrea A. to attend a Professional Development training for facilitating NAPLAN testing on-line. This was the second session that I have attended and I continue to be impressed with the advantages that this format will afford our students.

## Choir

This Thursday the choir children will be out of school at a rehearsal and the remaining children in the class will do some more cooking. Don't worry, we will save some ANZAC cookies for the choir children.

Have a great term everyone and may God bless you and your families.

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