

Dear St. Nicholas Mums, Dads and Staff,

Welcome Back to Term 2!



A very warm welcome back to Term 2! I hope that you and your families enjoyed the extended Easter holiday and managed to spend some quality time together, hopefully doing a few exciting and fun things along the way.

Term 2 is always a very busy and productive one, and we look forward to settling quickly into the rhythm of school life. We kicked off the term with a meaningful Easter Service led by our Chaplain, Reverend Hammond. The children and staff were welcomed back to school by the Principal, Mr Topper.

Tomorrow we celebrate **World Book Day** – a favourite on our school calendar! Children are invited to come dressed as their favourite book character. We encourage all our girls and boys to take part in this fun celebration of stories and imagination. There is no charge for this event and I look forward to seeing the creativity on display from our girls and boys (and teachers too)!

Your child will be bringing home a copy of the **Term 2 calendar** and our **Sport & Co-Curricular Programme** today. Please take a moment to go through it. Electronic copies will also be shared via the class WhatsApp groups and email. Kindly take note of your child's sports days and plan accordingly. This term our boys will participate in soccer while our girls will be involved in netball and hockey. Chess and cross-country are open to both boys and girls. We encourage all children to take part in at least one sporting code or co-curricular activity this term – it is a wonderful opportunity to learn, grow, have fun and flourish.

Please note that the school will be closed on Monday (Public Holiday) and again on Thursday (Workers' Day). We will be open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday and we expect all staff and children to be present on these days. The government schools will be closed for the whole of next week. If you share transport with children attending government schools, please plan and make alternate arrangements for your child to be at school.

We will continue with our theme for 2025 – **"Learn, Grow and Flourish."** As always, we encourage our girls and boys to be their best in all that they do at school, at home and in our communities. All life experiences should be about LEARNING, GROWING & FLOURISHING!

Wishing you, our children and our dedicated staff a happy and successful Term 2. Let's continue to learn, grow and support one another as we journey through this exciting term together.

Warm regards,

Kamal Rugbar
(Headmaster – Junior School)



EASTER SERVICE

