



BROMPTON PRIMARY SCHOOL



No. 10

Term 2 Week 8

2022

Dear families

Even though our next three year improvement cycle is focussed on **WRITING** we will still be heavily focussed on **READING**.

At BPS we believe that it is our fundamental responsibility to teach children to read. In the early years children are **LEARNING TO READ** so that by the time they enter into middle and senior years they are **READING TO LEARN**.



As students move through the junior primary levels we endeavour to instil a **LOVE** of reading so that children are keen to pick up a book, to learn from or just to relax and enjoy the story.

Over the course of the year teachers use several assessments that provide information about the children's reading behaviour. This enables them to explicitly teach the key skills and knowledge needed to move forward on their reading journey.

The Department for Education has standards that children need to have reached in order to start the next year 'on track.'

By the end of reception : Reading level 5 or above

By the end of year 1: Reading level 16 or above

By the end of year 2 : Reading level 24 or above

Entering into year 3 reading at level 24 or above ensures learners are ready for the increased demands of the middle primary curriculum.

It is certainly our role to teach your child to read, but we are partners in your child's learning journey so we need your help. Listen to your child read every night and read to them as much as you can. Read, read, read – read the signs at the supermarket, today's newspaper, the TV guide, a comic book– read anything and as often as you can.

Tina Treffers

By the end of the 6th year at school *Student A* will have read the equivalent of 60 whole school days .
Student B will have read for only 12 days.

Which student do you think would have the best range of vocabulary development and experience the highest level of academic success?

(Nagy & Herman, 1987)

Why Can't I Skip My 20 Minutes of Reading Tonight?

Student "A" reads 20 minutes each day	Student "B" reads 5 minutes each day	Student "C" reads 1 minute each day
3600 minutes in a school year	900 minutes in a school year	180 minutes in a school year

1,800,000 words



90th percentile

282,000 words



50th percentile

8,000 words



10th percentile

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Reminders ...

**Our next
Governing Council Meeting
is on
Thursday 23 June 2022.**

If you wish to add items to the agenda:

- ✗ Talk directly to Mel Markham (Chairperson)
- ✗ Drop in a letter/ note for Amanda to pass on to GC
- ✗ Send an email to : tina.treffers145@schools.sa.edu.au and it will be forwarded to the Chairperson

NOTICE :

KEEP UP TO DATE

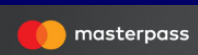
**WITH CLASS AND SCHOOL
SkoolBag EVENTS**

Skoolbag is no longer in use.

Class Dojo WILL NOW BE main form of communication used At BPS.

We encourage all our parents to install the Class Dojo App on your phone or tablet device.

PLEASE REPORT ALL STUDENT ABSENCE/ ATTENDANCE VIA YOUR CLASS DOJO.



BPS uses QKR an online payment service.



**Government
of South Australia**

Department for Education

Year 2

Room 6 Miss Kate

This term, students have been strengthening their skills around vocabulary, connectives, openers and punctuation whilst exploring fairy tales and fractured fairy tales. Students have explored a range of fairy tales to find different types of punctuation, interesting vocabulary (wow words) and engaging openers.

Year 2 students have applied their knowledge to fortnightly 'Big Write sessions' which allows them to celebrate their writing and show off their skills.



Very important information - please read.

No further action is required from families as yet.

Oksana, our finance officer, will guide eligible families through the steps in the near future.

Yrs 3-4 Swimming Week

swimming final day
dance fest



THE HON PETER MALINAUSKAS MP
PREMIER OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Dear parent/caregiver

Ref: 1529963

At the recent State Election, we made a commitment that a Malinauskas Labor Government would give South Australian families with school-age children a \$100 discount on their public school's Materials and Services Charge for each child, for the next two school years (2022 and 2023).

At a time when cost of living pressures are being felt by many families, we are making sure we deliver on our commitment as quickly as possible.

You don't need to do anything yet or contact your school.

If you have already paid the 2022 Materials and Services Charge, your school will contact you shortly with information on how you can ask for a refund, or how a rebate can be applied to other outstanding charges (such as excursions or school camps).

If you haven't yet paid the charge for 2022, your school will automatically apply a \$100 discount to the amount owing.

The discount does not apply to families who have been approved for school card as they are not required to pay a materials and services charge.

We hope that this extra support will make things a little bit easier.

Yours sincerely

Peter Malinauskas
PREMIER

Blair Boyer
MINISTER FOR EDUCATION,
TRAINING AND SKILLS

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Being brave and going down the water slides



SunSmart REMINDER:
It is important to check the UV each day using the SunSmart app, as there can be days where it reaches 3 and above. SunSmart is everyone's responsibility, **remind each other to slip, slop, slap, seek and slide.**

Is your child looking for a great sport to get involved in?

WOODVILLE DISTRICT BASEBALL CLUB

JUNIOR SENATORS ACADEMY 2022

Boys and Girls Aged 3 -10 years old
All Skill Levels Welcome

Come and learn the basics of Baseball in our FREE 6 week program
Starts Wednesday 3rd August
5.15pm to 6.30pm
Seaton High School - Glenburnie Street, Seaton

BOOK NOW - LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

Megan Oliver - 0400 447 837 megjoliver73@gmail.com

My name is Ethan Hall and I am a 14 year old singer from Adelaide.

2022 Voice Australia Contestant
2019 Pride of Australia Winner

Recently I was featured as a contestant on the Channel 7 TV Show - The Voice and received 4 chair turns by coaches, Jessica Mauboy, Guy Sebastian, Rita Ora and Keith Urban and had a wonderful time on the show. You can find a link to my blind audition here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZYFsEdy7e6o>

I am about to hold my 4th solo show locally in Adelaide which I have called "This Is Me - Ethan Hall". It is a show to inspire people of all ages that if they work hard and set themselves goals, their dreams are possible.

The songs featured will be from stage and screen and in between so there will be something suitable for everyone.

TERM 2 2022 PLANNER

8	20/6 Cultural Excursion Yrs 5/6	21/6	22/6	23/6 Governing Council Mtg @ 6.30 pm	24/6 SEDA Clinics R-6
9	27/6	28/6	29/6	30/6	1/7 SEDA Clinics R-6
10	4/7 NAIDOC Week	5/7 NAIDOC Week	6/7 NAIDOC Week Reports go home	7/7 NAIDOC Week	8/7 NAIDOC Week LAST DAY OF TERM 2 Early DISMISSAL @ 2:00 PM

Get involved in your child's education - volunteer

