



Lake Munmorah Public School



Personal Best

Responsibility

Respect



Principal's Report

Welcome back to Term 4!

We are so happy to be welcoming back all students to the school. The excitement and smiles from all those returning to school has been such a lovely thing to experience. I know for some this has been tinged with a little bit of worry, however we have many things in place to assist with keeping everyone safe at school. Our "bubbles" are working well, with a minimum of cross-over of students in separate cohorts. Please help us with this by reminding your child to play in the correct place at the correct time, follow the routines in place for hand-washing and sanitising and keeping students at home if they feel unwell or display symptoms.

Week 3 18/10/2021	Week 4 and beyond 25/10/2021
Kindergarten, Year 1 & Year 2 Area A	Kindergarten, Year 1 & Year 2 Area A
Year 3 – Year 6 in attendance Area B	Year 3 – Year 4 Central Park
	Year 5 – Year 6 Area B
MC Students MC Playground	MC Students MC Playground

New playground

Our new playground is slowly coming together, with the newest section being opened to the Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 students in the past two weeks. I am very much looking forward to the project being finished in the coming weeks.



Classes for 2022

At LMPS student voice is important to us. As we begin preparing for 2022, students will be asked to select 3 students who they would like to see in their class for 2022. The student's preferences may be a positive role model or supportive friend. During this time, students should consider those who encourage them to be respectful and responsible learners, not just their 'best friend'.

Parents, please discuss your child's selections with them prior to 5th November 2021.

The preferences are not guaranteed to be in their class next year as there are many other factors taken into consideration, however, we endeavour to ensure they have at least one of their preferences.

Safety Reminder

In the interest of keeping our students safe, please **DO NOT DROP YOUR CHILD OFF IN THE BUSBAY**, especially during the morning. This has occurred quite regularly this week. I have reminded parents as often as possible. Please model the correct behaviour to your children as this helps to keep them safe both now and into the future.

Level 3 Plus Restrictions

As you know, we are still under Level 3 Plus restrictions, meaning we cannot have parents onsite, students are restricted to “bubbles” and events/activities such as Years 6-7 transition, 2022 Kindergarten orientation, assemblies and Year 6 Farewell are still on hold or operating in a virtual way. We will keep you informed of any changes or developments as they occur.

Thank you to all our families who have been so supportive of the staff and school over the past 3 months. It has certainly been a challenge navigating learning from home, the restrictions and juggling work and family commitments for all of us in the community. So, on World Teachers Day, I thank all those who have played a part in teaching children this year, both at school and at home.

Narelle Baldwin
Principal



NSW Premier's Spelling Bee

In Term 2, we held the school finals for the NSW Premier's Spelling Bee. It was a very competitive competition, demonstrating just how hard the students had worked to earn their position among some of the finest spellers in the school. We congratulate all students who participated in their class finals and/or in the school finals.

The results of the Spelling Bee were:

Stage 2 Winner: Olivia Kitchen
Stage 2 Runner up: Izaac Pennell
Stage 3 Winner: Hunter Oliver
Stage 3 Runner up: Hudson Fenech

Unfortunately, due to the impact of COVID-19 across NSW, the NSW Premier's Spelling Bee has been cancelled for 2021. We would like to congratulate all of our super spellers in their wonderful achievements and look forward to the 2022 NSW Premier's Spelling Bee.

Miss Moore

Spelling Bee Coordinator



PBL News

After 13 long weeks of Home-Based Learning, students have returned to face to face learning. We understand that the school expectations are a little different to those at home. Students have been reminded this week of the school expectations in the classroom and on the playground as well as some additional expectations to stay safe at school.



Classroom expectations

Follow teacher instructions
Put my hand up
Wait my turn
Friendly faces, friendly words

RESPECT

Cover my mouth to sneeze or cough
Hands a feet to self
Wash my hands

RESPONSIBILITY

Wear my full school uniform
Try hard in my school work
Be ready to learn

PERSONAL BEST



Playground expectations

Play by the rules
Share the space
Solve problems with calm voices

RESPECT

A, B, C or D
Play in my allocated area
Right game, right space
Wash a hat

Seek teacher assistance for problem solving

Be a good sport
STOP THINK DO!

Accept disappointments and play on

PERSONAL BEST



Staying safe expectations

Stay in my personal space
Touch only my belongings
Stay normal if you are sick

RESPECT

Wash hands with soap for 20 seconds
Cover your mouth when you cough or sneeze
Tell a teacher if I am not feeling well

RESPONSIBILITY

Be kind to others when they are not feeling well
Do your best to to low expectations and stay safe

PERSONAL BEST

PBL Awards - Term 4 Week 4



Class	Respect	Responsibility	Personal Best
KJ			
KM			
K1/V	Riley	Paris	
K-6S			
1W	Byron	Lily	Trey
1Z	Phoebe	Lilly-Grace	Jacob
2L	Sophie	Alyiah	Kyden
2S			
2/3W	William	Haylee	Heath, Mason, Astarli, April
K-6B		Gaige	Joshua
3C	Jax	Destiny	Tiahna
3L	Kyle	Chelsea	Sunni
4N	Taylah	Ella	Jack
4R	Willow	Harper	Jaia
K-6R			
5C	Amelia	Sienna	Dakota
5K	Isabella	Hunter	Kourtney
6J	Kealey	Sentulia	Blade
6W	Jarod	Nate	Brianna
Library			
RFF			
Wristbands	Sophie 2L Willow 4R Kealey 6J	Alyiah 2L Ella 4N Sentulia 6J	Kyden 2L

Canteen News

Welcome Back Everyone, Hope you have all settled back into the school routine. We are beyond excited to see all our wonderful students.

Please know that we are open for ALL orders Monday to Friday for both Lunch 1 and Lunch 2.

We do encourage and prefer Online Ordering through the **Flexischools App**; however, we can accept **CASH** also.

If you need to pay with **CASH**, please place the correct money in a **BROWN PAPER LUNCH BAG** with your child's Name and Class and hand it to your class teacher upon arrival at 9:00am. **Please include correct payment amount as no change can be given.**

Please ensure ALL items are pre-ordered from the canteen, this includes slushies and ice blocks. Please be aware that the canteen window is non-operational for sales during lunch times.

We also have some other exciting news Our School Canteen Menu has been Approved and is meeting the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy. We are very excited that Our Menu was approved and consists of 87% Everyday Foods and 13% Occasional Foods.

