

Bellbrook Babblers

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Students are enjoying the sun during break times as well as practicing social distancing.

Welcome back to term 2. It's great to see our students back at school, even though they're not all here on the same day.

Last week the Department's Phase 1 return to school started. At our school students are attending two days per week. On the other three days, learning continues at home using school packs. We are all maintaining social distancing wherever possible and extra cleaning has been implemented throughout the day. Phase 1 will continue until we are advised of any changes.

In these challenging times, we are here to support you in any way. Please contact the school if you have any concerns.

Meanwhile, keep washing those hands, avoid touching your face and practice social distancing. Follow health advice and stay home if you are unwell.

Staying safe online is also very important due to the increased use of technology. Cyberbullying and scamming has increased so please stay alert and monitor your child's usage at home.



There have been important updates to the 2020 PRC Challenge rules to help all students meet the Challenge requirements this year. Please go to the PRC website for more information on these amendments.

Key changes include:

All students will be able to include 10 choice books on their 2020 student reading records.

All students will be able to include books read as part of collaborative reading with teachers or parents/ carers, either in person or online.

Students who do not complete the Challenge in 2020 will not be disadvantaged from achieving cumulative PRC awards in the future.

Other important information

It is very important that you keep your child at home if they are unwell. If they are unwell on one of the home schooling days and unable to complete their work, please let us know.

We have plenty of school uniform items in stock for the winter months. Assistance is available if you are having trouble meeting schooling costs.

There are still some school library books not returned from last term. Please have a good look around and return in your school packs.

Students should be packing and using a water bottle each day instead of the bubblers.

As we are a Crunch&Sip school, please send a healthy snack each day which is eaten before recess a small piece of fruit or vegetable that is ready to eat.