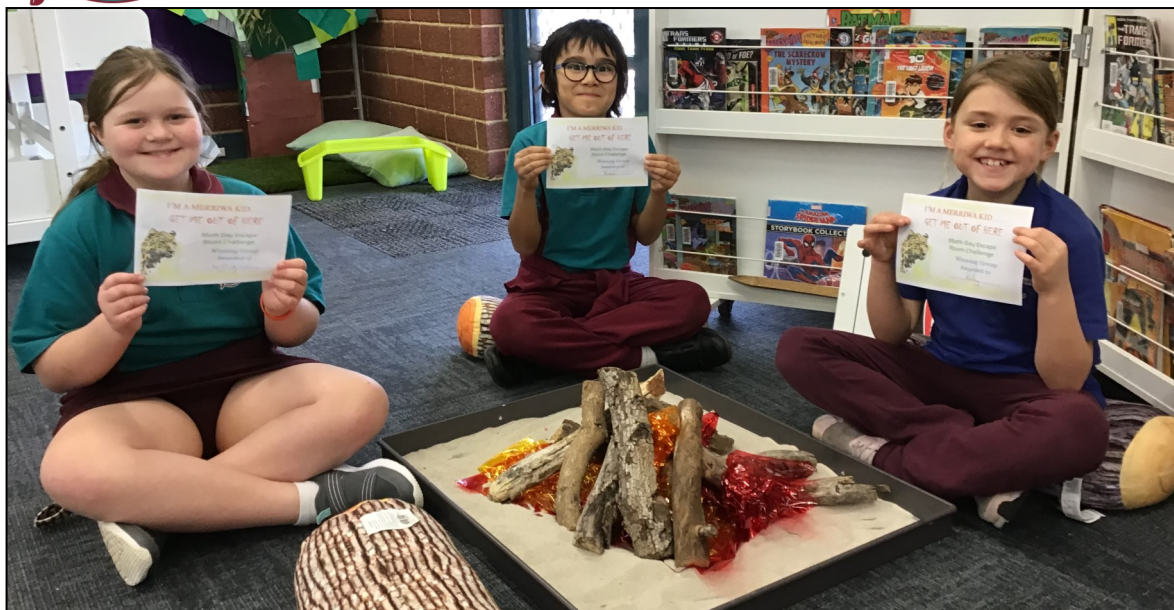


MERRIWA NEWS



**Breakfast Club
Every day**



Please refer to the term planner in the next newsletter

**Clarkson Online
Canteen
Open**
Tuesdays,
Thursdays and
Fridays

**Drop off lunches
and other items**

Due to all gates being locked, a staff member will be at the back gate everyday at 12.30pm to collect lunches and other items that need to be dropped off at school.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Welcome back to Term Three. I hope you have all had a peaceful and enjoyable holiday and the children are ready for the busy term ahead. The staff have been working hard to ensure a smooth start to the term

Cross Country

We are very proud of our senior Merriwa students. On Thursday of the last week of term two, they completed the 2020 Cross Country and demonstrated their athletic skill, determination and good will for all competitors.

Congratulations to the students who won each event and all of those who participated. A big thank you to Mr Allan and all of the staff who helped to make the event such a success.

1st Place	Baltimore	2nd Place	Palermo
3rd Place	Calabar	4th Place	Akita

Important Dates to remember

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| • Wednesday 29th July | Interscholar Cross Country |
| • Tuesday 11th August | Butler Transition |
| • Tuesday 18th August | Butler Transition |
| • Wednesday 2nd September | MPS Jumps Day |
| • Friday 4th September | MPS Athletics Carnival |

Term 3 Drop off and Pick Up arrangements

With the move to Phase 5 restrictions being delayed the arrangements that were in place last term will remain. The phase 4 restrictions means that parents are unable to come into their child's classroom but please ring the school on 6206 2340 if you wish to make an appointment to see your child's teacher.

	Gates Open	Gates Closed
Kindy and PP met by staff at oval gates	8.00am	8.40am
Parents drop off lunches and forgotten items	12.30pm	12.40pm
Kindy and PP students brought to the oval gates	2.40pm	3.00pm

Kind regards
Mrs Sue Waterhouse, Principal

**Kindy
Registrations**
Are now open
If your child is born
between
1st July 2016
and
30th June, 2017

See website below for application forms

VISIT
www.merriwaps.wa.edu.au

to see our
website

Merriwa ESC

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back!

I hope your holidays were restful and that you shared some quality family time. It is always lovely to see the smiling, eager faces of the children when they return from holidays.

We eagerly await the continued easing of restrictions for WA and look forward to Term 3 events which we are planning with caution. I am certainly feeling very grateful to be living in Perth in the current circumstances. Be assured that the staff are following the recommended hygiene guidelines to keep your child and our school safe for everyone.

Upcoming Events

This term we are planning some community access excursions, including an outing to AQWA for some classes.

Students in Pre-Primary to Year 5 will have the opportunity to participate in swimming lessons at the end of term. The cost is subsidised to \$50.

The Merriwa schools are planning for a faction carnival in week 7.

Karen Macri

Principal

HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS



NEWSLETTER RAFFLE

I have read Newsletter 9

Parent signature _____

Child's Name _____ ROOM _____

Congratulations to last week's winner - Shayana Hislop

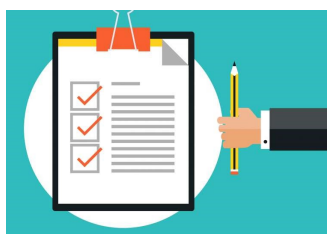
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CROSS COUNTRY

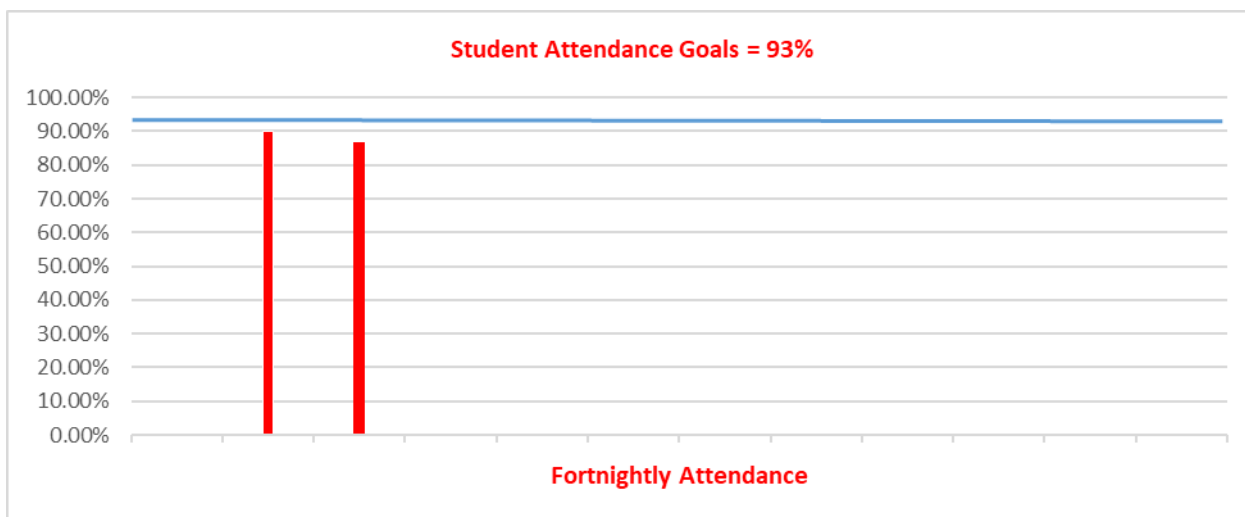


PARENT SURVEY



With today's newsletter you will find our parent survey for the Primary School. The ESC parent survey will be coming home next week. This survey is completed every two years and provides us with important feedback.

Please return the surveys to the school with your child/children. Please attach the slip that you will find on the parent information note to your survey which will give you an opportunity to win a book prize.



ROOM 19 YEAR 4 NEWS

At the end of term 2 the students in Room 19 wrote amazing versions of our class text "Alice and the Jabbawock." We hope you enjoy reading some of their amazing work.

Matthew had spent weeks travelling the unusual wonderland. His frilly, brown curls stood out from the immense, eerie, blackened forest. He tightly held the dense wooden box as he approached a vast Tumtum tree. He sat hugging his knees as the majestic tree with its limp branches slowly began to tangle its leaves around him. Matthew's unstable began to quieten.
(Kael Veloso-Myers)

Mickey had spent years travelling the odd wonderland. His brown, dark curls stood out from the shiny, glittery, magical forest. Mickey tightly held the old wooden box as he approached a tall Tumtum tree. He sat hugging his knees as the odd tree with its monkey like branches slowly began to swirl its leaves around him. Mickey's beating heart began to quieten.
(Blake Cargill)

Garfield had spent years travelling the mysterious wonderland. His flowing weathered curls stood out from the foggy, gloomy ghost forest. Garfield tightly held the big wooden box as he approached a fluffy Tumtum tree. He sat hugging his knees as the fluffy tree with its furry arm like branches slowly began to hug its leaves around him. Garfield's speeding heart began to quieten.
(Lathan Harding)

Katty had spent years travelling the odd wonderland. His brown, bright curls stood out from the fabulous, famous, pretty forest. Katty tightly held the miniscule wooden box as she approached an elongated Tumtum tree. She sat hugging her knees as the weird tree with its glowing, brown branches slowly began to swirl its leaves around her. Katty's beating heart began to quieten.
(Hadia Yezderi)

Year PP-2 HOME READING

**Junior Champion
Class Award**

**Year 1/2
Room 7**



**Best participation in
HOME READING PROGRAM**

Year 3 - 6

LITERACY PRO

**Merriwa Primary
School**
Total Words
Read

13 791 728

**Senior Champion
Class Award**

**25 000
(per student -2 weeks)
Year 5 Room 16**

**High Scoring
Student**

Ella Everett

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