



Excelsior Primary School

An Independent Public School

SCHOOL FUN RUN

Fundraising for our School Fun Run has kicked off! The focus will be on fun and fitness with the added benefit of raising funds for our school. Students have been supplied with a sponsorship form and parent letter. It's time to fundraise! How exciting! Students who raise as little as \$10 will receive a prize for their efforts, but why not aim higher? Happy fundraising! There will be wet and dry obstacles included in the Fun Run so don't forget to **being old clothes to wear for the event.**

BOOK FAIR

Thank you to everyone who supported the Book Fair this week. Due to your efforts, more than \$1000 worth of books have been purchased for our library. Students that made a purchase went into a prize draw to win a book. The lucky winners are: Taj C5, Holly A4 and Hayden A5. Congratulations to our winners.

BOOK WEEK DRESS UP

This year, Book Week will be held during week 6 of this term with the theme of "Find Your Treasure". We will be holding our Book Week Parade on Wednesday 22 August from 9:00am.

Your child is invited to dress up for our special assembly. This could be as a character from their favourite book or as something related to the Book Week theme. Perhaps you could be a treasure hunter, a pirate or an explorer. We look forward to seeing all your wonderful ideas.

KISS N DRIVE

Kiss and Drive increases the safety of children arriving and departing by vehicle and reduces the congestion on the roads around our school, when used correctly.

Kiss and Drive is a **NO PARKING ZONE** and drivers should not arrive before the siren has gone at the end of the day to ensure that there is no stationary queue forming to get in to the Kiss and Drive.

Once you are allowed to enter the Kiss and Drive, parents at the top of the Kiss and Drive, whose children have not arrived within a few minutes, will be kindly asked to do a 'lap' and return to the end of the line as this will allow others to progress in the queue. **Simple steps to make drop off/pick up time that little bit easier:**

Use the Kiss and Drive whenever possible. By using this method, your children are in a safe zone as they leave and enter the vehicle.

- Remember that the Kiss and Drive is strictly a **No Parking zone.**
- Always ask your child/children to leave or enter the car on the kerb side of the road.
- If all the spaces in the Kiss and Drive are full, you must remain behind until a space becomes **available.** No overtaking the queue or U turns please. The safety of our children is everyone's responsibility.
- Please be courteous and take care while you are waiting. Do not block driveways and footpaths.
- For the safety of our children please remember to use courtesy at all times.

Please do not pull into driveways opposite the school in order to turn around as it poses a safety risk with children and people crossing the road.

Thank you for using the Kiss and Drive in a patient and courteous way with safety in mind.

IMPORTANT DATES	
Monday 13 August	School Development Day
Wednesday 15 August	CVC Circus 9am
Wednesday 22 August	Book Week Dress Up Day
Thursday 23 August	Speak Up Awards

Reminder
Monday 13 August
School Development Day
Students DO NOT
Attend