

The Dunkley Herald

Term 1 Week 1
February 1, 2019



**Safe
Respectful
Learners**

everyone, everywhere, every time



Welcome Back!

Welcome back to school for 2019! And an especially warm welcome to all of our new families and new Kindergarten students. We have had an exceptionally smooth and settled start to the 2019 school year, being able to form our new classes on Wednesday.

Classes and Staffing for 2019

We would like to take this opportunity to detail classes, together staff and their respective roles in our school:

Principal	Kirstie Yeo
Instructional Leader	Julie Phillips (Mon – Wed)
Assistant Principal 3 – 6 Instructional Leader	Kyle Brewis
Assistant Principal K – 2	Melanie Bishop (Mon – Tues) Alison Tuck (Wed – Fri)
Class Teachers – Kindergarten	Carina Zissis and Danielle Dwyer
Class Teacher – Year 1	Kerrie Grenell
Class Teacher – Year 2 (<i>demountable classroom</i>)	Hannah Bullivant
Class Teacher – Year 2/3	Malcolm McCracken
Class Teacher – Year 4	Jacqueline Pearce
Class Teacher – Year 5	Edie Forrest
Class Teacher – Year 6	Samuel Crawley
K – 6 MC	Leah Pasierbek (Mon – Wed) Kim Smith (Thurs – Fri)
Teacher Release	Rachel Visintin (Wed – Fri)
Learning Support/Intervention/Teacher Release	Melanie Bishop, Alison Tuck, Kyle Brewis
Technology/Library/Rock and Water	Rachel Visintin, Melanie Bishop
Regional AP Positive Behaviour for Learning	Shannon Sampson (Mon – Wed)
School Learning Support Officers	Anne-Maree Donoghoe (K6 MC) Jodie Page (+ Library support) Karen Milne (ATSI) Sue Lovekin
School Counsellor	Peter Swain – Term 1 (<i>to be advised for remainder of 2019</i>)
School Administrative Manager	Lee-Ellen Robinson
School Administration Officer	Sharon Strong (Mon – Tues) Gavin Palmer (Wed – Fri)
General Assistant	Craig Henningham
Cleaner	Clinton Abel

Kirstie Yeo
Principal

Our PBL Focus is on being **'SAFE'**. We are safe because we know our emergency procedures.

Dunkley says, 'I am safe. I am respectful. I am a learner.'

'We are safe when we follow instructions and emergency procedures at all times at school'.

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School Calendar

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	Feb 4	Feb 5	Feb 6	Feb 7	Feb 8
	Kindergarten First Day	Kindergarten 'First Day' Photographs <i>(free of charge)</i>		Assembly – House Leaders and SRC	
3	Feb 11	Feb 12	Feb 13	Feb 14	Feb 15
		Swimming Carnival	Year 4 – 6 to Hunter Sports High School		
4	Feb 18	Feb 19	Feb 20	Feb 21	Feb 22
				Assembly – Swimming Ribbons	
5	Feb 25	Feb 26	Feb 27	Feb 28	Feb 29
6	Mar 4	Mar 5	Mar 6	Mar 7	Mar 8
				Assembly – Year 2/3 Whole School Photographs	
7	Mar 11	Mar 12	Mar 13	Mar 14	Mar 15
8	Mar 18	Mar 19	Mar 20	Mar 21	Mar 22
				Assembly – Year 4	NSW State Election – Hall March 22 – 23
9	Mar 25	Mar 26	Mar 27	Mar 28	Mar 29
10	Apr 1	Apr 2	Apr 3	Apr 4	Apr 5
			Athletics Carnival	Assembly – Artist of the Term	
11	Apr 8	Apr 9	Apr 10	Apr 11	Apr 12

Student Resource Kits at Mount Hutton Public School



Resource Kits include subscriptions to Mathletics, Reading Eggs, Spellodrome and Typing Tournament



What you WON'T need to do:-

- ✗ Buy pens, pencils, pencil cases, (and the list goes on...)
- ✗ Send your child to school with a pencil case (or two!)
- ✗ Go to the shops with a long list of equipment to buy
- ✗ Worry about your child's property getting lost or stolen
- ✗ Replace items that break or run out during the year
- ✗ Venture into expensive stores that sound like 'Hypo', 'Office Perks', and 'Wiggle'!

What you WILL need to do:-

- ✓ Pay \$25 to the Office for each child in your family
- ✓ \$25 can be paid in full, or in instalments during the year
- ✓ Keep your receipt from the Office to claim on your Tax
- ✓ Benefit from the bulk buying power of the school
- ✓ Sit back, relax and let Mount Hutton Public School do all of the shopping!



Our Current Positive Behaviour for Learning Focus



Emergency Procedures

We are:	This is what it looks like:
Safe	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• We stay calm and focused• We move sensibly and safely• We are always in the right place at the right time
Respectful	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• We listen carefully to all teacher and adult instructions• We follow and pay careful attention to instructions• We help others if they need it
Learners	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• We learn how to be safe and stay safe in an emergency• We listen for important information• We stay focused