



# Seven Hills West Public School

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## Early Stage One Newsletter

### Term 3

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

Welcome back to Seven Hills West Public School for Term 3. We hope you had an enjoyable break and welcome new students and their families to our school. We trust your child is ready for an exciting term, full of engaging learning activities and opportunities at Seven Hills West Public School! The following overview will outline the wide activities to be covered across the key curriculum areas, reminders and general explanation of procedures for Term 3.

#### Early Stage 1 Teaching Team

Assistant Principal	- Mrs Katie Gardiner
KP	- Miss Rebecca Pizarro
KC	- Miss Amber Craig
KGZ	- Mrs Katie Gardiner (Mon-Wed)
	- Mrs Alainya Zollinger (Thurs & Fri)
Learning and Support	- Mrs Lauren Myers (Thurs & Fri)
RFF (History)	

#### Key Curriculum Topics/ Focus Area

English	Early Stage 1 will be exploring rich texts, subject-based texts and multimodal type texts through the implementation of L3. This program supports the explicit teaching of key aspects of reading through the development of informed, systematic, explicit instruction. This term students will further develop their skills in imaginative and informative writing techniques.
Mathematics	Whole Number * Addition and Subtraction * Multiplication and Division Patterns and Algebra * Fractions and Decimals * 2D Shapes Time * 3 D Shapes * Time * Position * Data

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<i>Science</i>	<i>Made Environments - What's Made of?</i>
<i>Personal Development and Health (PDH)</i>	<i>Child Protection Students will develop their skills in recognising and responding to unsafe situations, seek advice effectively and establish and maintain healthy relationships.</i>
<i>Physical Education (PE)</i>	<i>Fundamental Movement Skills</i>
<i>Creative Arts and Performing Arts (CAPA)</i>	<i>Dance Visual Arts</i>
<i>History</i>	<i>Personal and Past Family Life Students will explore ways in which family and daily life had changed over time, making comparisons between the past and present.</i>

## Library

Early Stage 1 students will be allocated time each week to attend the library. Students must have a library bag in order to borrow. The bag can be as simple as a plastic bag in order to protect the book on its journey home and back to school. Students are kindly reminded to return their book each week in order to continue to borrow. Library borrowing days

**KGZ - Friday**

**KC - Friday**

**KP - Thursday**

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## Physical Education

Class sports days for Week 2-10 are as follows;

KGZ - Wednesday

KC - Wednesday

KP - Wednesday

## Reminders and General Procedures

### Homework

Homework for Early Stage 1 is home reading, sight words and class news. The homework policy can be found using the following link:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/homework-policy>

We are happy to hear your feedback on this policy by emailing us at:

<https://sevenhillw-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

### Notes

It is important that parents/caregivers read the notes sent home thoroughly as late payments will not be accepted from the front office.

### Social Media

Parents/caregivers are encouraged to check the school's website <https://sevenhillw-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/> and Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/sevenhillswestpublicschool/> for reminders and upcoming events, including fortnightly and PBL badge assemblies.

### Appointments

If you would like to discuss any queries or concerns with your child's class teacher please contact the front office by phone (9622 2136) or email <https://sevenhillw-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/> to make an appointment.

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## Class Stationary

Please donate the following supplies to your child's classroom teacher

- Sharpeners
- Thick led pencils
- Thick coloured pencils
- Whiteboard markers
- Bostik or Uhu glue sticks

## Assembly

Please note that these dates are subject to change. Notes with further details will be available closer to the date.

All assemblies take place in the hall located next to the canteen.

P-6 assemblies occur in weeks 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10

PBL assemblies will occur in weeks 6 and 9 of Term 3. Your child will receive a letter if they are receiving a PBL badge, before the assembly.

## Upcoming Events

Please note that these dates are subject to change. Notes with further details will be available closer to the date.

15/8/19 - Book Fair

19/8/19 - School Photographs

21/8/19 - Challenge Expo

27/8/19 - Father's Day Stall

10/9/19 - Life Education

We trust that your child is ready for an exciting and busy term, and would like to thank you for working in partnership with the teachers and staff at Seven Hills West Public School.

*Coordine*

A/ Ms K Becker  
Principal  
15.08.19

Mrs K Gardiner  
Assistant Principal

Miss Pizarro, Miss Craig, Mrs Zollinger  
& Mrs Myers  
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