

Chifley College Dunheved Campus

Learn Discover Inspire



22nd September 2025

Dear Dunheved Community,

Please find the latest updates, key information and important calendar items to keep you informed and engaged for week 10. We hope these details help you stay up to date with all that's happening in our school community.

Stage 4 and 5 Student Presentation Assemblies

Our upcoming Achievement Celebration Assemblies are scheduled for Friday 26th of September. These special assemblies – Stage 4: Period 1 (8:45am to 9:45am) & Stage 5: Period 2 (10am to 11am) are dedicated to recognising and honouring the outstanding achievements of our students throughout Term 3, across various areas, including:

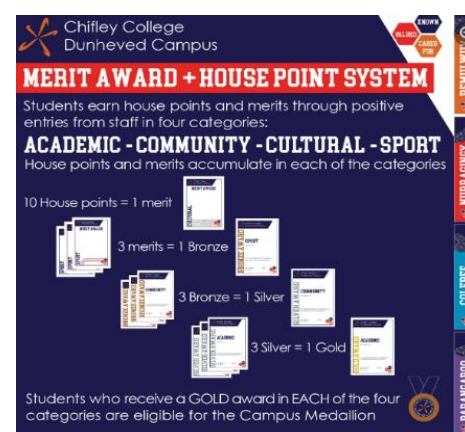
Academia: celebrating academic excellence and intellectual curiosity.

Sport: acknowledging athletic prowess and sportsmanship.

Community: highlighting contributions and service to the community.

Culture: commending involvement in and promotion of cultural activities.

In addition, we will be awarding "Student of the Term" for each year group. This accolade acknowledges those students who have demonstrated outstanding dedication, leadership, and excellence in all aspects of their school life.



Students who will be receiving awards for their exceptional accomplishments have already been provided with a letter to take home. We encourage all parents and carers to join us in this celebration and share in the pride of their child's achievements. Your presence will make the occasion even more special as we come together to applaud the hard work and dedication of our students. We look forward to seeing you there to help celebrate these wonderful accomplishments!

Strengthening Partnerships in Learning

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended our Parent/Teacher/Student Evening on last week. We hope the evening provided valuable updates on your child's learning progress across a range of subjects.

If you were unable to attend and would like an update on your child's progress—particularly as we move into the assessment and reporting period in term 4 at CCDC—please don't hesitate to contact the school to speak directly with their classroom teachers.

We appreciate your ongoing partnership in supporting student learning and achievement.



A Special Acknowledgement

Last week, it was an absolute privilege to honour our very own Ms Pat Erskine, who received the Metropolitan North Directorate Executive Director's Award. This award recognises the significant contributions of non-teaching staff and community members to NSW Public Schools, reflecting our values and *Our Plan for NSW Public Education*.

Ms Erskine received this award on behalf of the Mount Druitt Principals Network—a well-deserved recognition of her dedication, commitment, and positive impact on our school community.



☀ End of Term 3 & Upcoming School Holidays

School holidays will commence on Monday, 29th September, and run through to Friday, 10th October. We wish all our students, families, and staff a very happy, relaxing, and safe break. We hope this time provides a chance to recharge, enjoy quality time with loved ones, and perhaps explore something new.

As we near the end of Term 3, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone for their hard work, dedication, and ongoing support throughout the term. Your contributions have made a meaningful difference in our school community.

We look forward to welcoming our students back with fresh energy and enthusiasm on Tuesday 14th of October, as we begin the final term of the year.



TERM 3 2025 DATES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Monday 22 nd September	* Year 10 'Hire a Helper' fundraiser event
Tuesday 23 rd September	CDL Multi Sport Day Chifley Creatives @ CCMDC: 4:30pm
Wednesday 24 th September	Haka Warriors Performance
Friday 26 th September	Student Celebration Assemblies • Stage 4 – period 1 (8:45am – 9:45am) • Stage 5 – period 2 (10:00am – 11:00am)

TERM 4 2025 DATES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Monday 13 th October	School Development Day – staff only
Tuesday 14 th October	All students commence school – formal assembly
Thursday 23 rd October	Multicultural Day Concert – periods 4 and 5
Thursday 30 th October	PLP Celebration Afternoon – community event
Wednesday 5 th November	P&C Association Meeting @ 4:30pm – all welcome
Wednesday 12 th November	Clontarf Awards Ceremony
Monday 17 th November	Water Awareness – year 7
Tuesday 18 th November	Water Awareness – year 8
Wednesday 19 th November	Water Awareness – Stage 5
WEEK 7 – Monday 24 th November to Thursday 27 th November – Success @ Senior: year 10	
Wednesday 26 th November	Learn To Swim lessons – year 7
Thursday 27 th November	Learn To Swim lessons – year 7
Friday 28 th November	CCDC Sports Assembly

Monday 1 st December	CCDC 2025 Presentation Assembly @ St Marys Leagues Club – students award recipients and their families
Tuesday 2 nd December	Year 6-7 2026 Orientation Day Year 10 Formal
Monday 8 th December	Chifley College Presentation Assembly @ Senior Campus – student award recipients and their families
Wednesday 10 th December	Solid Ground end-of-year excursion
Friday 12 th December	Year 10 Graduation 10am to 12pm - ticketed event
Friday 19 th December	Last day of school for 2025



Warm regards,
Mrs Azzopardi
Principal

