



NEWSLETTER

Glenwood Public School



Week 1 Term 3

PBL Rule:

Be Safe:

Stay in bounds

Week 1 Term 3

Smiling Mind Focus:

Gratitude



Week 10 Term 2 Newsletter

3-Way Learning Conversations

Thank you to all the families that attended Monday's 3-Way Learning Conversation (3WLC). It was great to witness students sharing their learning journey with their families and conversing with their classroom teachers. The night was a wonderful success.

Thank you to my teaching and executive staff for staying back into the evening to engage in these important reporting processes. There seemed to be great appreciation from our families.

I'd also like to thank Miss Harper for coordinating the booking process through School Bytes. The process has become quite streamlined.

I would also like to thank Kristina and Jacki from the school P&C for donating their time to run the P&C barbecue for the evening. There were quite a few families that took advantage of the sausage sizzle on offer.

School Audit

All public schools across New South Wales are periodically audited to ensure that finance, work health & safety, child protection, and asset management are being correctly implemented, administered and monitored.

Last week, Glenwood Public School engaged in this process, which offered the school an opportunity to evaluate our school practices. This process was a positive interaction for our school, and I am pleased to share with the community that our school was compliant with all areas evaluated.

As in all auditing processes, this was an opportunity for our school to be externally evaluated and allow us to refine processes where necessary. I will be working with administration and executive staff to unpack our audit report and look to identify any areas of possible improvement on our already strong school structures and processes.

I am very proud of my school teams and the validation they have received through this process.

District Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Finals

Congratulations to Kashvi B and Davin K for representing our school at the District Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Finals at Warwick Fram Public School on Wednesday. Both students performed extremely well, delivering strong, persuasive and impromptu speeches.

I would like to further congratulate Kashvi for successfully advancing to the regional finals to be held next term. Congratulations, Kashvi!

Thank you to Mr Knobel for his organisation and coordination of the transport and administration organisation on behalf of our attending students and to Miss Roberts for attending the finals on the day.



Zone Rugby League Selection

Congratulations to Angioletta V and Michelle A for their successful selection for The Fields Under 12s rugby league team. The girls will represent The Fields at the Sydney South West Girls Championships at Jack Brabham Reserve in Week 3 of next term.

Staffing Confirmation for 2025

Mrs White has confirmed that she will continue in an external Department of Education role for the remainder of the year. Mrs Findlay and Mrs Nguyen, who have been teaching 5/6W for Term 2, will remain in this role for the remainder of 2025.

Term 3 Return to School Date

Staff return to school on Monday, 21st July. Students return to school on Tuesday, 22nd July.

Have a safe winter holiday break!

Mr J McInney

Principal



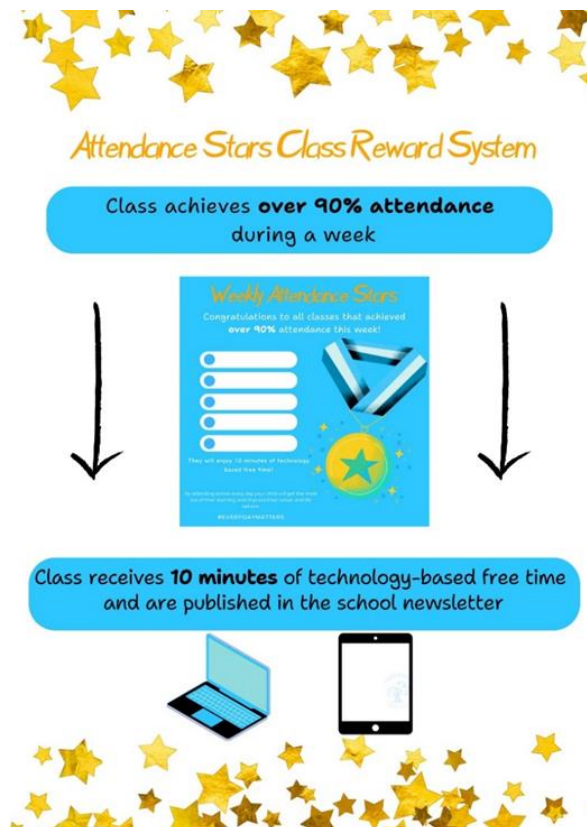
Attendance Information

As part of the Department of Education and Glenwood Public School's target of increasing student attendance, a new school reward system has been developed to celebrate students' attendance at school. Below are some infographics explaining the school's individual student attendance reward system. Our target is for students to attend school at a minimum of 90% of the time. This equates to missing, at most, 5 days of school per term.

Along with the tracking and rewarding of each student's attendance, classes will also be celebrated each week, with classes that attend at 90% or more being published weekly in the newsletter. A part of their reward will be 10 minutes of technology-based free time.

These new initiatives form part of our whole-school approach to celebrating and emphasising the importance of attending school.

Thank you to Mrs Edwards, our school attendance coordinator, for her tireless effort to devise and implement this new school strategy.



Home Reading Prizes



Treasure

- Bronze** - Coin and sticker
- Silver** - Bookmark or keyring
- Gold** - Wristband or slapband
- Diamond** - Flag
- Platinum** - Hat and eye patch

Collect a sticker and a certificate at each reading level, from bronze to platinum.
Collect treasure at each level!



BREAKFAST CLUB

Free

NOW OPEN

MONDAY TO THURSDAY





You're invited to
STORYTIME
For little people

Hosted by
our Library
Monitors

When: Fridays

From 2:30pm to 3:00pm

Where: In the library

An adult carer must stay
with the child.



Share a story, craft and play

P&C News



P&C MONSTER RAFFLE

ONLINE TICKET SALES - USE QR CODE

1st Prize – Nintendo Switch Bundle (value \$500)

2nd Prize – Assorted Lego Pack (value \$260)

3rd Prize - Bunnings Voucher (value \$200)

4th - 18th Prizes are valued from \$150 to \$14

**1 Ticket for \$2, 5 Tickets \$10, 8 Tickets \$15,
11 Tickets \$20, 17 Tickets \$30, 30 Tickets \$50, 70 Tickets \$100**

RAFFLE SALES CLOSE 21ST SEPTEMBER

**RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN MONDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER,
WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY PHONE.**



MONSTER P&C RAFFLE

ONLINE SALES (via the attached QR code)

Cash Sales (via the School Canteen)

1 ticket for \$2, 5 tickets for \$10, 8 tickets for \$15

11 tickets for \$20, 17 tickets for \$30,

30 tickets for \$50 & 70 tickets for \$100

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MONSTER P&C RAFFLE

**18 PRIZES TO BE WON RANGING
FROM \$500 TO \$14**

CASH & ON-LINE TICKET SALES

1 ticket for \$2, 5 tickets for \$10, 8 tickets for \$15

11 tickets for \$20, 17 tickets for \$30,

30 tickets for \$50 & 70 tickets for \$100

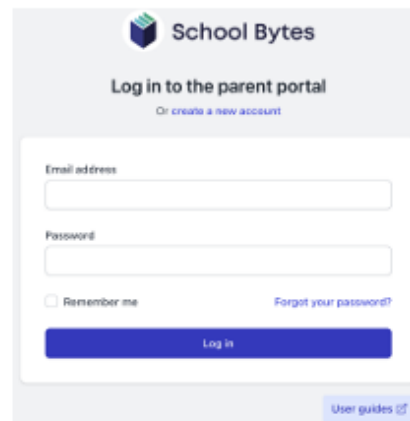
EVERYDAY SNACKS		GLENWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN MENU		DRINKS	
E – BREAD STICKS	50c Each			E – WATER	\$3.00
E – JATZ (3pk)	50c Each	ICE TREATS		E – POPPER JUICE	\$2.00
E – AIR POPPED POPCORN	50 cents			(Apple, Apple Blackcurrant, Apple Raspberry & Tropical)	
E - CUSTARD CUP	\$2.00			E – UP & GO	\$3.00
E – SEASONAL FRUIT	\$2.00			(Strawberry, Chocolate, Vanilla & Banana)	
E – APPLE & SLINKY	\$2.00			E – NIPPY'S ICED MILK	\$3.00
E – APPLE SLINKY (BYO)	10 cents			(Chocolate & Strawberry)	
E – ORANGE WEDGES	\$2.00			E – CHILL J (Bottle)	\$3.00
E – WATERMELON CUP (Mini)	\$2.50			(Orange Passio, Watermelon, Lemonade, Grape, Apple Coola & Blueberry)	
E – FRUIT CUP (Mini)	\$2.50			E – GLEE SPARKLING FRUIT JUICE (Can)	
E – FRUIT CUP (Regular)	\$5.00			(Sour Watermelon, Tropical Treat, Bubble-gum Grape, Rockin' Raspberry)	\$3.00
E – CARROT STICKS	\$2.00	E – ICE MONY	\$2.00	E – MIXED BERRY SMOOTHIE	\$5.00
E – CUCUMBER STICKS	\$2.00	(Blue Raspberry GF), Strawberry GF, Red Berry GF, Watermelon, Lemon Ice & Chocolate)		E – BANANA OAT SMOOTHIE	\$5.00
		E – JUICE TUBES (GF)	\$2.50		
		(Lemonade, Orange, Tropical & Wildberry)			
		O – PADDLE POP	\$2.50		
		(Chocolate / Rainbow)			
		O – GELATO CUP	\$2.50		
		(Bubble-gum, Chocolate & Strawberry)			
		Lunch order bags 10 cents each (H) = Halal, (V) = Vegetarian, (GF) = Gluten Free E = Everyday Item O = Occasional Item			
OCCASSIONAL SNACKS					
O – JELLY CUPS (Tuesday Only)	\$2.00				
O – PRETZELS	\$2.00				
O – MAMEE NOODLE SNACKS (H)	\$2.00				
O – CHOCOLATE MUFFIN (H)	\$3.00				
O – SEA SALT CHIPS	\$2.50				

BEFORE SCHOOL		OCCASSIONAL HOT FOOD		SANDWICHES	
E – UP & GO	\$3.00	O – CHICKEN BURGER (with Lettuce & Mayo) (H)	\$6.00	E – JAM	\$3.00
E – NIPPY'S FLAVOURED MILK	\$3.00	- Additions (Cheese, Tomato)	50c Each	E – CHEESE	\$3.00
E – HOT CHOCOLATE	\$2.00	O – CHEESE PIZZA (V)	\$5.50	E – HAM	\$3.00
E – FLAVOURED MILK	\$2.00	O – PIZZA SLAB (H)(Meat, BBQ Chicken)	\$5.50	E – CHICKEN	\$3.00
- CHOCOLATE		O – NOODLE CUP (Chicken, Beef)	\$5.00	E – CHEESE & TOMATO	\$3.50
- STRAWBERRY		O – SAUSAGE ROLL (H)	\$4.00	E – CHEESE & HAM	\$3.50
- BANANA		O – GARLIC BREAD (H)	\$4.00	E – CHEESE & CHICKEN	\$3.50
- CARAMEL		O – PARTY PIES (H)	\$2.50	E – CHEESE, HAM & TOMATO	\$4.00
E – SEASONAL FRUIT	\$2.00	O – POTATO GEMS (H) (V)	6 for \$2.00	E – CHEESE, CHICKEN & TOMATO	\$4.00
E – CEREAL BOWL (Milo / Cheerio's)	\$2.00	O – VEGETABLE SPING ROLLS (H) (V)	80c Each	E – CHEESE, TOMATO & LETTUCE	\$4.00
EVERYDAY HOT FOOD		O – CHICKEN NUGGETS (H)	80c Each	E – CHEESE, HAM, TOMATO & LETTUCE	\$4.50
E – BEEF BURGER (with Cheese) (H)	\$6.00	TOASTIES		E – CHEESE, CHICKEN, TOMATO & LETTUCE	\$4.50
- Additions (Tomato, Lettuce)	50c Each	E – CHEESE	\$3.50	E – TUNA	\$3.50
E – VEGGIE BURGER (with Cheese) (V)	\$6.00	E – CHEESE & HAM	\$4.00	E – SWEET CHILLI TUNA	\$3.50
- Additions (Tomato, Lettuce)	50c Each	E – CHEESE & CHICKEN	\$4.00	E – TUNA & CHEESE	\$4.00
E – TWISTA BOLOGNESE (H)	\$5.50	E – CHEESE & TOMATO	\$4.00	E – SWEET CHILLI TUNA & CHEESE	\$4.00
E – PENNE NAPOLITANA (V)	\$5.50	E – CHEESE, HAM & TOMATO	\$4.50	E – TUNA & MAYO	\$4.00
E – MAC & CHEESE (V)	\$5.50	E – CHEESE, CHICKEN & TOMATO	\$4.50	E – TUNA, CHEESE & MAYO	\$4.50
E – GARDEN SALAD BOWL (V)	\$5.00	E – TUNA & CHEESE	\$4.50	E – TUNA, CHEESE & TOMATO	\$4.50
E – CORN ON THE COB (V)	\$2.50	E – SWEET CHILLI TUNA & CHEESE	\$4.50	E – TUNA, MAYO & LETTUCE	\$4.50
E – SWEET CHILLI, TOMATO & BBQ SAUCE	50c Each	E – TUNA, CHEESE & TOMATO	\$5.00	E – SWEET CHILLI TUNA, CHEESE & LETTUCE	\$4.50
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★ Managing Student Attendance ★

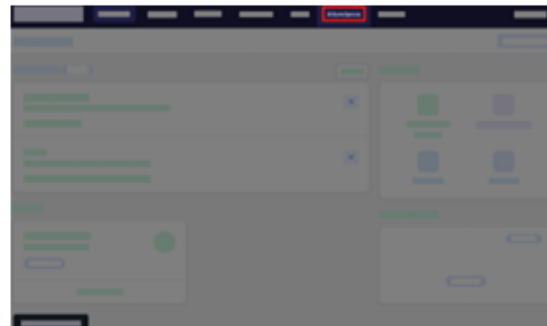
The School Bytes parent portal enables you to view all your children in one portal and provide a response for any student absences. The parent portal also allows parents to provide details of a planned absence if the absence details are known in advance, for example, a scheduled medical appointment.

Log into the parent portal



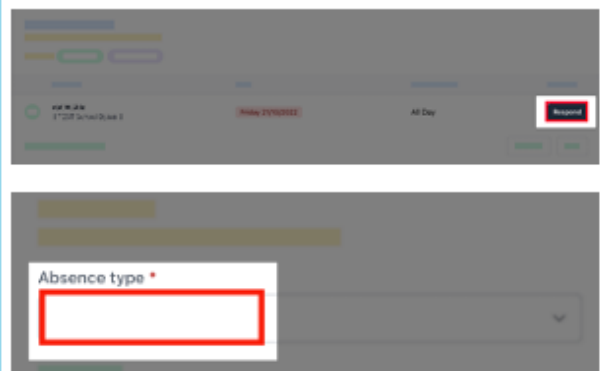
The screenshot shows the 'Log in to the parent portal' page for School Bytes. It features a login form with fields for 'Email address' and 'Password'. Below the password field is a checkbox for 'Remember me' and a link for 'Forgot your password?'. A blue 'Log in' button is at the bottom of the form. A link for 'User guides' is located at the bottom right of the page.

Select "attendance" from the navigation bar.



Unexplained absences

1. Select "response"
2. Select "absence type" from the available option.
3. Upload any supporting documentation
4. Enter a reason for the absence in the comment field
5. Select "submit"



The screenshot shows the 'Absence type' dropdown menu in the School Bytes parent portal. The dropdown is open, showing a list of options. The 'Absence type' label is highlighted with a red box.

This screenshot shows the top portion of a web form. At the top, there is a dark grey header bar. Below it, a light grey box contains an 'Upload file' section with a 'Choose file' button highlighted by a red rectangle. Below this is a 'Comment' field with a red rectangle around the input area. At the bottom right of the form section, a 'SUBMIT' button is highlighted with a red rectangle.

Planned Absences

1. Select "create" and a pop up will be displayed.
2. Select "school"
3. Select an absence "reason"
4. Select "duration"
5. Upload any supporting documentation
6. Add a comment
7. Select "submit"

This screenshot shows the bottom portion of the 'Planned Absences' form. It starts with a 'Planned absences' header and a 'Create' button highlighted with a red rectangle. Below this are three dropdown menus: 'School', 'Reason', and 'Duration'. Each dropdown menu has a red rectangle around its selection area. The 'Duration' dropdown is the last one shown in this section.