

Gresford Public School

Newsletter Term 4 Week 4 ~ 06.11.2025

Principal's message

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

Kindergarten Orientation Begins Next Week

We're excited to welcome our new Kindergarten students for 2026! Orientation begins next Wednesday, 12 November. These sessions help our new students become familiar with their teachers, classrooms, and school routines before starting big school next year. We can't wait to meet our newest learners and their families.

Remembrance Day - Tuesday 11th November

On Tuesday 11th November, our students and staff will take part in a special Remembrance Day service to honour the men and women who have served and sacrificed for our country. This day marks the end of World War I in 1918 and reminds us of the importance of peace and gratitude. Students will travel to the Gresford Cenotaph at 10.30am to join the community service.



Professional Learning - Explicit Teaching

Our staff have been continuing professional learning focused on Explicit Teaching, particularly around Daily Review routines, classroom norms, and positive behaviour expectations. These practices support strong student engagement and long-term learning success across all subjects.

P&C Fundraising – Thank You!

A huge thank you to our P&C members who generously gave their time to support fundraising efforts at Paterson Cracker Night and the Gresford Campdraft. Your commitment directly benefits our students and helps provide valuable resources and opportunities for our school community. We truly appreciate your ongoing support.

Outstanding NAPLAN Growth

We are very proud to share that Gresford Public School has improved its NAPLAN results for the fourth year in a row! Our school is now ranked among the top 100 schools in NSW (out of 1,691 primary schools) for student growth. This is a wonderful achievement and a testament to the hard work of our students, staff, and supportive families.

New School Website Coming Soon

We're excited to announce that our new school website will go live on Wednesday, 13 November. The updated design will make it easier for families to access newsletters, upcoming events, and school information. Stay tuned for the launch next week!

Kind regards,

Mrs Jody Kilpatrick

DAY FOR DANIEL

Last Friday 31st October our students wore red to stand together for Day for Daniel!

We're proud to support this important day that raises awareness about child safety and honours Daniel's memory







From the P&C

The P&C would like to acknowledge the wonderful efforts of Oliver, Wyatt, Campbell, Ryder, Lexie, Rylee-Grace, Annie and Masiy at the Campdraft last weekend.

Dates for your Diary Term 4 2025

NOVEMBER

Tuesday 11th - Remembrance Day

Wednesday 12th - Kinder Orientation Morning - 9.30am - 11.00am

Monday 17th - P&C meeting @ The Hotel Beatty - 7.00pm

Wednesday 19th - Kinder Orientation Morning - 9.30am - 11.00am

Wednesday 26th - Kinder Orientation Morning - 9.30 - 11.00am

Friday 28th - SRE Christmas Service at St Anne's Church

DECEMBER

Monday 1st - Swim School begins and ends Friday 5th

Tuesday 2nd - Year 7 Orientation Day @ Dungog High

Friday 12th - Yr 1 - Yr 6 Swimming Carnival @ Singleton Pool

Tuesday 16th - Presentation evening - 6.00pm

Wednesday 17th - Yr 6 Farewell

Friday 19th - Last day of school for student and staff for 2025

2026 Dates for your Diary

Staff return Tuesday 27th January to Friday 30th January

All students start school 2026 on Monday 2nd February



AWARDS Term 4 Weeks 2 & 3

SCHOOL MERIT AWARDS

Elora, Tyler, Wylee, Lucy, Amelia C

PBL AWARDS

Zoe, Harrison M, Lilah



Lexie, Charlie M

LIBRARY AWARDS

Elora, Byron

GOOD LISTENER AWARDS

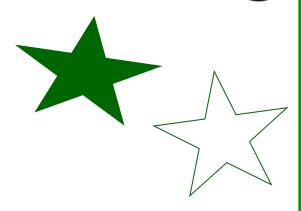
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SPORTS AWARDS

Hamish

Assembly Award Recipients









TERM 4 ROSTER

Monday	Wednesday 15/10	Friday 17/10
	Kate Gehrig	Sam Russell
Monday 20/10	Wednesday 22/10	Friday 24/10
Stevie Walters	Sharon Hill	Courtney Shoobridge
Monday 27/10	Wednesday 29/10	Friday 31/10
Robyn Porter	Sheridan Richardson	Amy Garaty – Stacey Garaty
Monday 3/11	Wednesday 5/11	Friday 7/11
Elise Chesworth	Amy Garaty – Stacey Garaty	Beth Dark – Karen Ramm
Monday 10/11	Wednesday 12/11	Friday 14/11
Robyn Porter	Sharon Hill – Megan Barnett	Kim Booth
Monday 17/11	Wednesday 19/11	Friday 21/11
Elise Chesworth	Bec Montgomery	Sam Russell
Monday 24/11	Wednesday 26/11	Friday 28/11
Courtney Shoobridge	Sheridan Richardson	Beth Dark
Monday 1/12	Wednesday 3/12	Friday 5/12
closed	closed	closed
Monday 8/12	Wednesday 10/12	Friday 12/12
Robyn Porter	Megan Barnett – Courtney Shoobridge	closed
Monday 15/12	Wednesday 17/12	Friday 19/12
Robyn Porter	Amy Garaty – Sam Russell	

CANTEEN OPERATION HOURS 9AM - 2.30PM

Lunch

11.00am - 11.40am

Recess

1.20 - 2pm

PLEASE PLACE ORDERS INTO CANTEEN BY 9AM

Please Note – Children arriving at school after 10am or those that have forgotten their lunch will be offered a sandwich as time does not allow other food to be prepared. Thank you.

Gresford Public School welcomes any new parents or friends of the school thinking about volunteering a day in the canteen. It's a great way to meet other parents and the kids get a buzz out of seeing you working there too. Please come and see our Canteen Supervisors Samantha Russell or Amy Garaty if you are interested.

Our canteen complies with the NSW Healthy Schools Canteen Guidelines.

THE TUCKER BOX MENU



SUMMER 2025

Something small....

Fruity Bites ~ 10 per serve	varieties	Assorted 3.5 STAR or above packet	Fresh Popped Popcorn ~ small bag	Pikelets & Jam ~ 2 per serve	Chocolate Mousse cup	Fruit Salad Snack Tub
\$0.50		\$1.20	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.80	\$1.50

\$1.50 \$1.50 \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.50 \$4.00

Cheese

fresh/toasted SANDWICHES-

Vegemite or Jam

Salad sandwich Egg, Lettuce & Mayo Ham & Cheese

Ham or Chicken & salad

\$4.50

Lettuce, Tomato, Carrot, & Cucumber



Something to drink....

Hot or Cold Milo	Chocolate / Strawberry Milk	Slushie	100% Orange / Apple Juice	Chill J Sparkling Drink	Water 600ml
\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$1.00

\$1.00

\$0.30 \$0.50

\$4.00

\$4.50



Something cool....

Ham, lettuce, grated carrot, cheese Ham or Chicken tender salad Tub

cucumber tomato, mayo

Tomato, BBQ, Mayo

\$0.40

Salad Tub SALADS Bread Roll or Wrap

Cucumber & Tomato)

(Lettuce, Grated Carrot, Cheese,

Cheese Slice

~EXTRAS

Quelch fruit stick	Chocolate Moosie	Juicy Tube	Frozen Yoghurt assorted flavours	Vanilla loe cream cup GF	UFO (frozen pineapple ring)	Frozen Orange Piece
\$1.00	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$1.00	\$0.50	\$0.20

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Uniform Order Form

Student:				Class:							
Parent's Name:				ontact F	hone N	umbe	r:				
Item:	Price:	Size: 4	6	8	10	12	14	16	Total QTY	TOTAL \$\$\$	

Item:	Price:	Size: 4	6	8	10	12	14	16	Total QTY	TOTAL \$\$\$
Girls Summer Tunic	\$50.00									****
Girls Winter Tunic	\$50.00									
Girls Peter Pan Collar Short Sleeve Blouse in Lemon	\$17.00									
Girl's Hallam Green Pants	\$24.00									
Green and Lemon Polo Shirt Long Sleeve	\$28.00									
Green and Lemon Polo Shirt Short Sleeve	\$27.00									
Cultural Shirt Short Sleeve	\$35,00									
Boys Green Gabardine Cargo Pants Long	\$21.00									
Boys Green Gabardine Cargo Shorts	\$17.00									
Boys Green Sports Shorts	\$11.00									
Girls Green Gabardine Skort	\$19.00									
Unisex Sports Shorts	\$20.00									
Girls Green Pleated Sport Skort	\$18.00									
Green Track Pants Microfibre	\$23.00									
Polar Fleece Vest Green	\$16.00									
Fleecy Zip Jacket in Green (Tracksuit Fabric) Cunningham	\$20.00									
Micro Polar Fleece Zip up Jacket (Polyester mesh Lining) Ellery	\$25.00									
Girls green winter stocking tights	\$10.00	Age of child.	4-6	7-10	11-14					
	\$10.00	Hat Sizes:	S/M	M/L						

Put the required number of each item in the size column / add up the total cost.

Fill out your details (It is important to leave a contact number in case there is a problem with your order).

Payment of your order is only by Direct Deposit: -

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- BSB: 646-000 Account No: 100099691
- Please use the reference UNIFORM and your name.
- Please include your receipt number on the form.
- Receipt Number: _____ Date Paid: ______
- Orders will be sent home when paid in full.

Second-hand uniforms are available at no cost.

If you are unsure of sizes, a set of uniforms is available to try on at the Uniform Shop.

If you require further details, please do not hesitate to contact Shantelle Turnbull 0428 389 424.

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Prices current as of 17/03/2025