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Term 2 Week 2

06 May 2025

CALENDAR - TERM 2 2025

Date	Time & Event
09/05 Fri	P&C Mother's Day Stall
Reminder -	NO MINI CANTEEN THIS WK.
09/05 Fri	2:15pm Parent/Carer Workshop Yr2-3 Transition
16/05 Fri	9:15am P&C Meeting. All welcome.
16/05 Fri	SRC Led Sports/Mufti Day

NOTES AND MONEY DUE

Book Club Due 15/05/25

***Raincoats** in bags are necessary. The weather will remain unpredictable and wet for a while!

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Parents and Carers,

PBL Fun Day, Attendance Celebrations and the Easter Hat Parade were all part of week 11 last term. So much thought and planning went into these events by the teachers and the benefits for students were obvious by their engagement, happy faces and energy. MLIS offers many varied experiences to students which has led to much growth in a short space of time and mostly this has been able to happen because the students feel safe and comfortable at school.

I have also included photos from the annual, Eid Picnic, which was a huge success. Thank you to all families for generously contributing food for the occasion. Our school certainly works as a team to make students feel happy and included. I hope term 2 is a satisfying, steady term for your child. The aim is to reduce disruptions and focus on learning, good habits and consolidate behaviours in line with PBL.

Teachers are working with a new focus for Mathematics, assessment and data gathering to complete the required formal reporting for Semester 1 to parents/carers. Please look out for the various workshops we will be offering the community as the term progresses. These workshops are short in duration but offer information to keep you informed and in touch with what the school is doing and how you can complement this at home. Ms Ferguson will be





Relieving Principal while I'm on leave from next week. I look forward to hearing all about the school's activities when I return mid-way through week 4. Mrs Rieger (Principal)



*The annual Eid Picnic was wonderful! So much food and student enjoyment.

*Colourful & fun are good ways to describe the Easter Hat Parade.

*Very special ANZAC Service.



ATTENDANCE: Every Day Counts



Attendance Weekly Winners

Term 1, Week 11

Gold	K Red	97.44%
Silver	K Purple	94.74%
Bronze	2 Gold	93.71%

Term 2, Week 1

Gold	1 Orange	99.83%
Silver	K Red	99.57%
Bronze	K Purple	98.21%

Congratulations to K Red and 1 Orange who are our winning classes for attendance this fortnight! Enjoy your extra time on the fort!

A huge congratulations to the students who achieved 100% attendance for Term 1. They enjoyed morning tea in the garden with me. A wonderful effort!



Term 2 Attendance

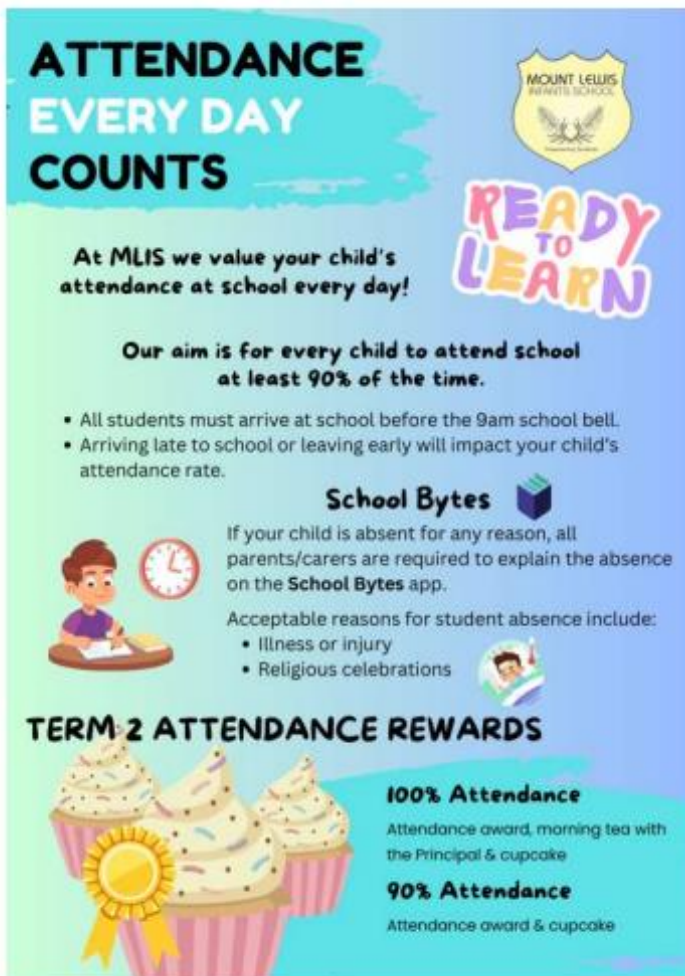
MLIS attendance goals for Term 2:

- All students work to achieve their 90%+ Attendance award.
- All students arrive at school before the 9am morning bell. (Please note: school gates will be closed promptly after the morning bell rings.)

Parent/Carer Reminder:

All student absences need to be explained in the School Bytes app. Please respond to any text messages you receive.

Term 2 Attendance Celebration



ATTENDANCE EVERY DAY COUNTS

At MLIS we value your child's attendance at school every day!

READY TO LEARN

Our aim is for every child to attend school at least 90% of the time.

- All students must arrive at school before the 9am school bell.
- Arriving late to school or leaving early will impact your child's attendance rate.

School Bytes

If your child is absent for any reason, all parents/carers are required to explain the absence on the **School Bytes** app.

Acceptable reasons for student absence include:

- Illness or injury
- Religious celebrations

TERM 2 ATTENDANCE REWARDS

100% Attendance
Attendance award, morning tea with the Principal & cupcake

90% Attendance
Attendance award & cupcake



100% Attendance Award requirements:
100% whole day attendance and NO partial absences.



85%+ Attendance award requirements:
Attendance rate above 85% and below 100%. This includes partial attendance.

Please note: This term, the award will be given for above 85% instead of 90% so that students absent for Eid will still be recognised.

*Music Program Begins!



'Jellybeans Music' is designed to enrich students experiences and is taught by a specialist teacher, Miss Karen. The music program will begin in week 1 & is taught to our students on a Thursday or Friday during term 2. The cost of the program is \$40 a note has been sent details and links so you can follow the lessons too. Thank to the families that have already paid





PBL NEWS & THIS WEEK'S SCHOOL VALUE

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is our school program that aims to help in creating safe, effective teaching and learning environments. For more

This week's school value is:

CONFIDENCE

At MLIS we show confidence through:

- working with others
- trying our best
- sharing our understanding

Parents/Carers are welcome to the assembly on Monday 12/05/25

BRONZE	SILVER	GOLD	MEDALLION
	Jawad 1Y Maryam 1Y Selma 1O Jameel 1S Mashaal 1S Savera 1S Mina 1Y Sumaya 1Y Abdulrahman 2I	Mariam 2A Emaan 2A Ameer 2A Adam 2A Makeen 2I Sarah 2A	Ahmad 2A Adam 2A 



**PBL FUN DAY - Term 1 Wednesday
09/04/25**



~Office News ~

*School Uniforms for sale from 8:30-3pm

~Terms 2 & 3 Winter Uniform~



Girls: Dress/tunic, skivvy, dark grey stockings

Boys: long grey pants, skivvy

All students wear the school jacket

Sports Uniform for boys & girls -long grey track pants are available from the office.

Students can wear the **long sleeve gold skivvy or polo** under the winter uniform.

Skivvy & stockings are not sold at school. Available at KMart, Big W, Best & Less, Target etc

~Please label all items, especially hats, jumpers and lunch items~

P&C NEWS:

The next P&C meeting is scheduled for 16/05/25 at 9:15am.

All are welcome to attend.

Your
PC

PLEASE NOTE: there will be **NO mini canteen** this week due to the Mother's Day Stall.

THE P&C COMMITTEE

Have organised the annual

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

FRIDAY, 9 MAY

Time: 10:00am

Prices: \$2-\$20

BUY A SPECIAL GIFT THIS MOTHER'S DAY
FOR MUM, GRANDMA, AUNTY OR ANY
SPECIAL PERSON!



There will be a bigger range of gifts to
choose from this year, and all money
raised will go to our fabulous school!