Term 3, Week 1 Tuesday 22 July 2025

Nabiac Public School



NEWSLETTER



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Message from the Principal...

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Term 3!

I hope all our families had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday break. It's been fantastic to see the students return with such positive energy and a readiness to learn. We are looking forward to a busy and productive term ahead, with many exciting events planned.

Public Education Week will be celebrated in Week 3, and we are excited to share the wonderful work happening across our school. To celebrate the week, all classes - along with Nabiac Preschool and Nabiac Early Learning - have been busy creating stunning artworks to be auctioned at the Nabiac Farmers Market this Saturday. This is a fantastic opportunity to celebrate creativity and community. All funds raised will go towards supporting learning resources at Nabiac Public School, with money raised from Nabiac Preschool and Nabiac Early Learning artwork being returned directly to them to support their children. We hope to see many of you at the markets to support this special initiative! More information about our Week 3 Public Education Week celebrations will be shared soon - stay tuned!

We are also excited to be starting our Kindergarten Transition Program for 2026 with the first session being held on Tuesday Week 2. Children from Nabiac Early Learning, Nabiac Preschool, and any other students enrolling for Kindergarten in 2026 are warmly invited to attend. If your child is not attending with one of the preschools, we ask that an adult stays with them during the session. The morning will include a magical tour of the school - an exciting first step in their school journey! For more information about our Kindergarten transition, please contact the front office.

Have a lovely week!

Lorelle O'Brien

WHATS ON:

Week 1:

- Tuesday, July 22: Students return
- Friday, July 25: Paralympian Visit

Week 2

- Tuesday, July 29: 2026 Kinder Tour
- Wednesday, July 30: UPP Leadership Day 1 for School Leaders
- Friday, August 1: Zone Athletics Carnival

Week 3

- Monday, August 4: ICAS Digital Technologies & Writing begins.
- Monday, August 4: P&C Meeting, 6pm in Miss Chapple's room.
- Wednesday, August 7: GLLC Academic Assembly



Coming up at the best little school, anywhere:



Canteen Closure MAPORTANT

The canteen was closed today as it was being reorganised after renovations during the holidays. The canteen will reopen on Wednesday 23rd as usual. Sorry for any inconveniences this causes.

Farmer's Market Art Auction

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Craft Club



If you have of the following items to donate to our craft club that would be fabulous:

- Clean tin cans
- Wire coat hangers
- · Leftover Christmas fabric
- Muffin cases / cupcake liners
- Ribbon of any colour

Thank you

School Photos



School photos have arrived, they will be distributed this week. If you would like to view or order sports or special photos, please go to

www.theschoolphotographer.com.au and use the ordering code:

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Reports

Reports were uploaded to School Bytes last Term. To access your child's report go to the 'Resources' tab and you will find all academic reports linked. If you require a paper copy please contact the front office.



Resources

SCHOLASTIC Book Club

Issue 5 is out now! Orders must be handed in to the office before Friday 8th August.



FOUND - RING



A special ring has been found in the playground, and we would like to ensure it is returned to its rightful owner. Please check your jewelry boxes in case you are missing one. The ring has been handed in to Forster Police Station for safekeeping. If you believe this ring belongs to you, we encourage you to reach out to the police for assistance. You may need to provide a description of the item to verify ownership.

BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

Nabiac Public School uses the Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Program. the school's code of behaviour is underpinned by the expectations of:

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Great Lakes College **TUNCURRY CAMPUS**

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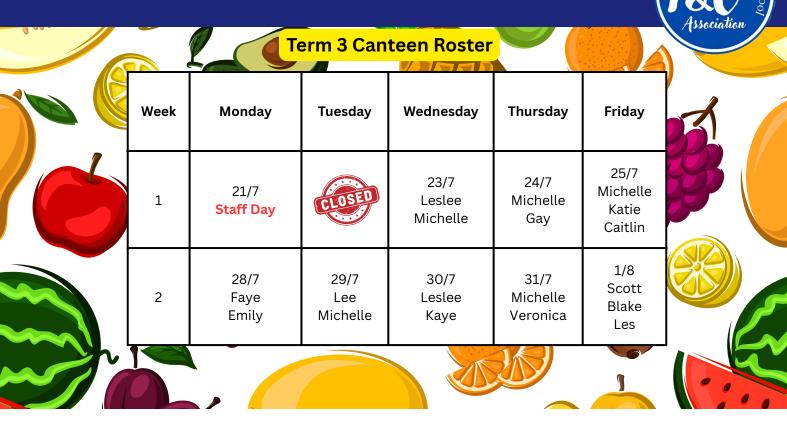
- ▼ Holistic Education Approach
- **⊘** High Standard
- Certified Dedicated Teachers
- **⊘** Individual Development







Canteen & P&C News





The uniform shop is run by the P&C. It is open on Tuesday mornings 8:45am -9:15am, in the TLC room. You can place your order via the Spriggy app, through the front Office or in person on Tuesday mornings. Good quality second hand uniforms are also available for purchase. If you would like to donate your outgrown uniforms you can drop them into the office.



Krispy Kreme Donuts

Thank you to everyone who supported our Krispy Kreme Donut fundraiser. It was a huge success! We made \$1600 profit. A big thank you to the families, friends and community that supported the fundraiser. It will go a long way in supporting our school!



Be sure to follow us on Facebook, search for:



Nabiac Public School - P&C Association







Week 3. Monday, August 4



6pm



Miss Chapple's Classroom

ALL WELCOME

About Me

Name: Brian Dawson

Position: Librarian/Teacher

If you could have one superpower, what would it be?

To be able to control time



I ride my mountain bike most days in the local bush accompanied by my kelpie, named Banjo.

Share the best piece of advice anyone has ever given you:

Don't sweat the small stuff; and it's all small stuff.

What did you want to be when you were younger?

An artist and a teacher - I've been both.

Share three words that your close friend/s would use to describe you:

Silly, accident prone

Do you have any pets or any pets you wish you had?

I have a pet dog, I would like a pet monkey (that had an off switch!)

What's your favourite thing to do after school?

Surf

Where were you born?

Sydney

What's your favourite icecream flavour? Coffee

What is the most interesting place you have travelled to?

Sri Lanka







Enrol online through our school website - https://nabiac-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/ or visit our office to collect an enrolment form.

Keep an eye out for information on our wonderful Kindergarten transition program.

We look forward to seeing you at "the best little school...anywhere" ph: 6554 1247



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Stay Healthy this Winter

As we enter the winter season, respiratory viruses such as influenza, also known as flu, are expected to rise.

NSW Health has a number of resources to support you and your family this winter:



Book your families fly Vaccination

<u>Book your family's flu vaccination</u> (External link) for the best protection from getting sick. Recommended for everyone aged 6 months and over. Stay informed about <u>vaccinations</u> (External link) and access <u>translated vaccine information</u> (External link).



Help Stop the Spread:

Help stop the spread of cold and flu by practicing good general hygiene including:

- regular handwashing for at least 20 seconds (Need a timer? Get your child to hum the "Happy Birthday" song from beginning to end twice);
- · using hand sanitiser;
- · covering coughs and sneezes;
- cleaning frequently touched surfaces, particularly when people are sick; and
- not visiting people who are at higher risk of severe illness if you have cold or flu symptoms, especially babies and older people.





Call for Advice

Call <u>healthdirect</u> (External Link) on 1800 022 222 for free health advice, care and treatment for non-life threatening conditions from a registered nurse. They can find you a nearby doctor, pharmacist, urgent care service or connect you to specialist virtual care.

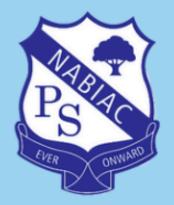




Stay home

Your child will need to stay home, if they are sick with multiple or severe respiratory symptoms, symptoms that are worsening, or other signs like fever, rash, or tiredness. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child is sick, absent or needs to attend a medical appointment during school hours. Our teachers are here to help your child's continued learning and return to school once they are well enough.





THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Uniforms and School Hats

The uniform shop is open on Tuesday mornings from 8:45 AM to 9:15 AM. Orders can be placed via Spriggy or in person, and both cash and card payments are accepted.

School hats are available for purchase at the front office for \$7.

Please remember that Friday is sports day, and students are required to wear their sports uniform. Sports club jumpers may be worn on this day only.

Riding Bikes to School

If your child is riding a bike, scooter or skateboard to school, they must walk them through the school grounds. There is a bike rack behind the Library where they are to remain until 3pm. Helmets can be taken with their bags into the classroom.

Medical Certificates

If your child is away for more than two days, it is a requirement to provide a medical certificate.



Responding on School Bytes

Our school uses School Bytes for attendance, parent communication, and event management. If there is an event and your child will not be attending, please remember to respond with 'not going.' This helps us plan effectively.

Extended Leave Form

If you are planning a holiday or will be away for 4 days or more, please complete an Extended Leave Form. These forms are available in the Office or can be emailed to you upon request.

Please ensure to provide proof of travel, such as an accommodation receipt or airfare confirmation. Once approved you will receive a certificate to take with you.

School Arrival Time

Students are asked not to arrive before 8:30am as there are no teachers on duty until 8:30am.

By ensuring that students arrive after 8:30am, we can maintain a safe and secure environment for everyone. The school staff will be available to assist students with any questions they may have and to ensure a smooth start to their day.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us keep our school community safe.



Spriggy

When placing a lunch order through Spriggy, please check your email to confirm that your order has been successfully processed and that the correct date has been selected. Uniforms can also be ordered via the Spriggy app.