

WEST WALLSEND PS

NEWSLETTER

2025 Term 2 2nd Ed



1. THIS TERM

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As we end Term 2, I want to thank you for your support this term. We've had many great events that helped our students learn and grow.

This term, our teachers learned new ways to engage students through Professional Learning with Marion. We also attended a conference to improve our teaching skills.

We focused on keeping our students healthy and happy. We learned about leadership, Aboriginal Education, and Autism. We introduced new subjects, including History, Geography, Creative Arts, Science, and Technology. We also worked on High Potential Gifted Education in areas like academics, sports, social skills, and creativity.

Our students participated in fun activities like PSSA Soccer and Netball, Star Struck, the Zone Cross Country, Athletic Carnival, and the Australian Maths Competition. The P&C Mother's Day celebration, Canteen Days, and Disco were also enjoyable for everyone.

For Aboriginal Education, we had Yidaki Groups with West Wallsend High School and took part in the Sugarloaf Community of Schools NAIDOC Assembly. Local preschool kids visited our Library and Sensory Room, which was great.

We have changed our reports to a new two-page format to make them clearer for you.

2. UPCOMING EVENTS

- Looking ahead to Term 3, we have many exciting events coming up!
- Parent-Teacher Interviews in Week 6
- Great Aussie Bush Camp for Stage 2 in Week 4
- K-2 trip to the Hunter Valley Zoo
- Other events include Real Schools Professional Learning, the 2026 Kinder Parent Information Session, the P&C Hi Ho Silver Fundraiser, NAIDOC Week celebrations, a Virtual Taronga Zoo experience, a life saver presentation, the Zone Athletics Carnival, and Public Speaking Finals. We're also working on an AI Project with the Deputy Secretary of Education.
- Thank you again for your support. Together, we are making a positive impact on our students' education. I hope you have a relaxing break, and I look forward to seeing everyone in Term 3!