

ROWLAND HASSALL MATTERS

ROWLAND HASSALL SCHOOL

Principal's Message

Dear Parents/carers,

Welcome back to term 3, at Rowland Hassall School we are committed to the development of life-long learners. To achieve this, we recognise the importance of educating the 'whole child'. This involves not only maintaining our high expectations of student achievement in Literacy and Numeracy, but encouraging our students to create and innovate through a rigorous and rich curriculum, based on a developmental approach achieved through the provision of quality specialist programs.

The specialist programs are further enhanced by a range of engaging and enriching whole school programs and extra-curricular activities both within and beyond the classroom. A strong emphasis is given to educating our students to live healthy, balanced lifestyles through the promotion of healthy eating, exercise, leisure pursuits and active citizenship.

I look forward to seeing and sharing all student achievements as the term unfolds.

Regards,
Greg Fuchs
Principal Rowland Hassall

Diary Dates:

Week 6

Parent info Session - 27/8/19

Book week—21/8/19

Dress up as your favorite book character. Please check the calendar on our website or RHS Face Book for more information

Website:

www.rowlandhass.schools.nsw.edu.au

Attendance

Attendance registers are taken daily and recorded. **Please contact the school if your child is away due to illness or for any other reason.**

Attendance registers are also regularly checked by our Home School Liaison Officer.

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COMETS

I am enjoying working at Andrews Pet Palace for my work experience. I feed and care for all the birds and really like playing with them at the end of my shift. I like the lorikeets because they are playful.

Natasha

I am on Warriors again this term and look forward to Thursdays. We went to Greenacre Public School last week and helped doing chores outside around the school.

Britney

I like doing the morning math challenge, addition is my favourite. I also like mindfulness, it keeps me calm

Michaela

We all enjoyed our holidays and are ready for lots of learning in Term 3. Class 10 would like to welcome Dakota, Eiman and our new student Claire. Hope you are enjoying being at RHS Claire.

Miss Gilbert

Miss Barhoum

My favourite elective is Woodwork. I am making a candle holder and have learnt how to sand wood. It is very dusty work.

Claire

I am working hard through my Distance Ed and I like History the best.

Eiman

Shooting for success



Miss M: Panthers have had a fantastic start to the term so far. We welcome Kraig as a new addition in our class. This term we have changed our morning routines and now we are doing reading groups. During this time students have had a lot of fun when reading and have already made some great progress in their Fitzroys. This term Panthers have really been focusing on hygiene and teamwork.

Mario: I have really enjoyed rotating groups during literacy this term. I get to practise my reading skills with Miss M and I get to be creative and use magnetic letters to create interesting sentences. During education week we got to do lots of fun things like watch chemical reactions as we made rockets and we also got to do trivia.

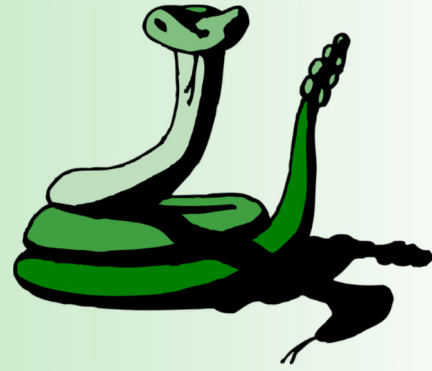
Charbel: I have really enjoyed working with Naqi in class during adaptations, we worked really well in completing the activity about different environments. I have also enjoyed Real kids- last week we went to a place that had lots of trampolines and a big slide. It was lots of fun!

Richard: I have enjoyed Real Kids so far- I have conquered a lot of my fears. I have also enjoyed reading groups this term, especially when I get to use Epic. My overall favourite activity is mindfulness.

Naqi: This term Miss M showed us something new called Epic. On Epic I get to read lots of interesting books and if I can't read a word properly the computer says the word for me. I have also really enjoyed reading with Miss M during reading groups.

Kraig: This term I have enjoyed Real Kids so far as I get to do fun activities with my friends. I have also been reading lots of books on Epic which has been really fun.





COBRAS

This term we were excited to welcome some new students into our class, but sad to say goodbye to some wonderful characters, especially Miss Blackmore. During class time, we have been focusing on our novel study and reading 'Aurora Rising' together. This book has helped us discuss how authors use language and literary techniques to tell fascinating stories. In math we have been learning to read analogue and digital time, calendars and schedules. In our afternoon science lessons we have been looking at animal adaptations and how they have evolved to survive in different environments.



Amir:

My favourite part of this term has been reading Harry Potter during literacy.

Byron:

I love playing prodigy. It is a fantasy game that helps you with maths.

Billal:

I am excited to cook a Lebanese feast in the kitchen.

Moustafa:

I am looking forward to going out on the boat and swimming in the pool when it is finished.

John:

My favourite thing to do in class is fight monsters and earn gold in prodigy.

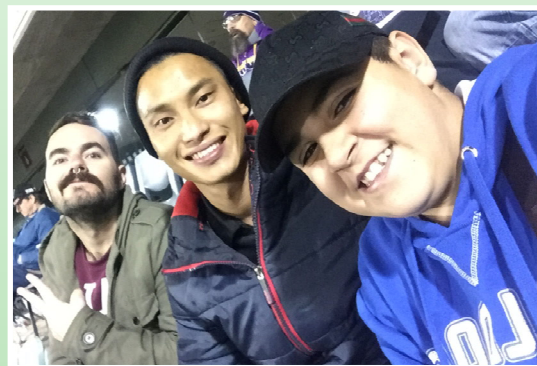
Jack:



Every Wednesday I play guitar with the music teacher. I am hoping to find work experience in a record store later this term.



DUKE 2.0



Duke 2.0 welcomed 3 new students - Tyrone, Yehya and Ryan to the class. This term the boys have worked very hard on their reading, comprehension and perimeter work in maths. There has been a great collaboration and partnered work in literacy, with the senior boys exploring and researching foreign words. Yehya and Tyrone have levelled up in their Fitzroy reading. The boys have also made it to cinemas and bowling excursions for level 1.

This term I have moved from Class 6 to Class 9. I have levelled up to level 6 in Fitzroy reading. I joined Warriors on Thursdays and really like it.

Tyrone

I moved to Class 9 this term. I made a cottage pie in cooking, it tasted like mash and meat. I made Level 1 this term and went to see The Lion King. I love doing my maths and spelling.

Yehya

In woodwork this term we are working on a candle holder and started to sand our timber and went to Bunnings to buy more timber. In cooking this term we have made spaghetti Bolognese and cottage pie. Our cooking teacher is Mr B and he has taught us a lot. In maths we have been learning about perimeter. We had to measure the whole school with a trundle wheel.

Hussein

This term I have learnt about perimeter and adaptations. We also watched The Lion King recently at Auburn Reading Cinemas and it was a beautiful movie.

In Warriors we went to Greenacre Public school to help the GA with gardening. I hope the rest of term will be good.

Daniel

This term I have moved from Class 8 to 9 and got 26 hassle frees. I'm on Real Kids and we do fun adventures. We went to Treetops and we also made rockets. We are learning about adaptations and are making a candle holder in woodwork.

Ryan

For rewards this term we have been to the movies to see Lion King and bowling. I have finally earned 100 hassle frees and I am hoping to buy a gift card. We made rockets with Miss M for Education Week. We had a lot of fun, even though some of the rockets didn't take off!!

Michael

Captain Report

By DANIEL KETHEL

This term students and teachers celebrated Education Week. We learned about density, we made rockets out of bicarb soda, carrot, and vinegar. We also learned about other educations across the world and why it's important to have that.

Next Monday we will be having the RSPCA fundraiser. So please make sure you remember your gold coin donation.

In week 5 we will be having book week where students can dress up as a character from a book. The best dressed will win a \$20 gift voucher of their choice. Have a good weekend.



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