

# From the Principal



Dear Parents and Carers,

**Week beginning Monday 7 June, 2021.**

## **OUR WEEK IN REVIEW**

**The following encapsulates a quick snapshot of our week in review.** Follow up of photos and detail are in our Oatley Organise (Weekly school newsletter) sent through General on School Stream and by email to parents who have registered their emails.

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

To Freya for being the Regional winner for South West Sydney in the Harmony Day poster competition. Her artwork will be on our Oatley Organiser. Freya now attends NSW Parliament to receive her award and there they will announce the State Winner from all the 7 regional winners. We are so very proud for her work on Everyone Belongs.

## **STAGE 3 CAMP**

Thank you to the teachers who supported the success of this Great Aussie Bushcamp. Hopefully all can recoup over the weekend.

## **STUDENT LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE**

Our student leaders are about to embark on an Environmental Plan for our north site so we are very excited to have student led and student input into this leadership initiative. Their Leadership by the River experience with other Georges River primary and high schools was another great experience.

## **4C UPDATE**

Look out for Episode 3 on this website post.

## **DEBATERS**

A win with a very difficult topic: *We should force political parties to have equal numbers of men and women run for election* and our team were the negative team.

## **ATTENDANCE**

It is critical that students attend school. It has been researched that EVERY DAY COUNTS and 96% is our expected student attendance which equates to 8 school days off per year. Below 90% students may be educationally at risk as this equates to one month off school per year. Monitoring of school attendance is mandatory as attendance links to students learning outcomes. Please be aware of this data.

Regards

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Principal