



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain. 1 Corinthians 15:58

We need to stand firm on the Biblical standards that Christianity is built on. All that we do in Christian education is vitally important for the lives of our students and the wider community they live and grow up in.

School life is multifaceted. We learn together and spend a lot of time together. When it comes to life and dealing with the hard times, we need to foster skills and habits that will make a lifetime of difference. These should be non-negotiables we build our lives on.

Within the school, the Bible says a lot about encouraging one another and getting comfort in our relationships with one another and God. There are profoundly important verses like these:

1 Thessalonians 5:11 says 'Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.'

Joshua 1:9 tells us, 'Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go.'

2 Corinthians 1:3-4 says 'Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God.'

There's a story that one day the devil was auctioning off his tools. He had a high price on them all: pride, laziness, arrogance, hate, envy, jealousy. However, there was one tool with a sign under it: "Not For Sale." It was a strange-looking tool about which someone asked, "What is that tool and why isn't it for sale?"

"Well," Satan whispered, "I can't afford to get rid of that one! That's my chief tool—discouragement. With this tool, I can pry open a heart, and once I'm there, I can do most anything I want."

Discouragement can sneak in easily. Standing firm on the Bible and encouraging each other will see us go from strength to strength. Emmanuel Christian School is a community that is continuing to grow and be an active blessing in the lives of many people.

Scott Winkler
Principal



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	<u>Notes</u>
	5/6 Banking	6/6	7/6	8/6 Subway	Friday 8th June: Subway
11/6 Queen's Birthday No School	12/6 Banking	13/6 Inter-High Cross Country - Rokeby Police Academy	14/6	15/6	Monday 11th June: Queens Birthday No School. Wednesday 13th June: Inter-High Cross Country Rokeby Police Academy Selected Students.
18/6	19/6 Banking	20/6 9/10 Home Ec. Class—Drysdale House	21/6	22/6 Subway Red Riding Robynhood: P-6	Wednesday 20th June: Drysdale House 9/10 Home Ec. Class 11am– 2pm Friday 22nd June: Subway Red Riding Robynhood: P-6 2pm
25/6	26/6 Banking	27/6	28/6	29/6	2018 Term Dates Term Two: 30th Apr - 6th July Term Three: 30th Jul - 28th Sep Term Four: 15th Oct -19th Dec

 <p><u>Families in our school:</u> Gordon, Green, Gregory, and Griggs.</p> <p><u>Other Prayer/Praise Points:</u></p> <p>Pray that all our students are receiving the care and understanding they deserve. Give praise for our Teachers and Staff who help make the school an encouraging place for our Children.</p>	<p><u>School Attendance :</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For absentees please use Skoolbag app or contact the office before 9:30am. • An SMS will be sent to parents for unexplained absences. • Please ensure late students are signed in at the office. • If students are leaving early they are required to sign out at the office. • Please note, a doctors certificate is required for more than 2 days absences.
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Subway lunch orders Friday 8th June.

Changes To Subway Orders

Envelopes will be sent home Wednesday to be returned to the office on Thursday Morning. (envelopes are collected by Subway at 10am)



Secondary News:

In Home Economics we are continuing to concentrate on presentation skills and creating our own Design Briefs. A Design Brief means creating a dish with several restrictions that must be met. For example creating a pull apart loaf that includes more fibre, a flavouring and a garnish. The Year Seven and Eight students enjoyed creating terrific examples and we were delighted with their results.

They also produced their own version of an omelette recently. This Design Brief had to include at least two vegetables, another flavour and have a suitable garnish. Some examples of the omelettes and happy students are shown here.

This week Year Nine and Ten students are looking forward to creating their own Design Brief too. They must produce and decorate a mud cake to their own design, for a special occasion using a set recipe and ganache for decoration. We had a trial run recently when Ruby and Sophie created one for sharing at the staff meeting after school. What a treat.

They have also been working on planning a Catering Event on paper. This has been challenging and informative. Lots of research has taken place for suitable recipes to fit in with a theme and selected Design Brief. They are beginning to realise all the considerations and issues involved in choosing, planning, creating and the timing of a catering exercise.

Cheryl MacNeil

Home Economics Teacher



Primary News

We have been very busy in Year 2!

Our overarching focus for this Term is water and we have been using this topic throughout different subjects. The Students have written Acrostic and Haiku Poems and created beautiful work. They especially enjoyed focusing on syllables when writing their Haiku Poems and were able to experiment with different vocabulary.

To end our water focus we are planning to visit the Marine Discovery Centre in Woodbridge on the last day of term and are very much looking forward to seeing the sea animals!

The students have also been working very hard on a few artworks which we are hoping to show in Assembly later this Term!

