



Panania North Public School

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NOTES AND PAYMENTS

Please be aware of the following payments/notes

- PSSA sport
- Presentation Day
- Year 6 Farewell Dinner
- End of year celebration – Movie Day



There will be no assembly this coming Wednesday (5/12) Our final assembly will be held on Wednesday 12 December. All remaining awards will be given out at this ceremony. You will be notified as per usual if your child will be receiving an award.

Following this assembly we will have a final Principals badge morning tea on Monday 17 December.



What's Coming Up

Tuesday 4 Dec

- Year 6 orientations
- Stage 3 Camp

Wednesday 5 Dec

- Kindy @ Beechwood
- Stage 3 Camp

Thursday 5 Dec

- Stage 3 Camp
- Combined SRE service

Tuesday 11 Dec

- Presentation Day

Wednesday 12 Dec

- Final Assembly
- Carols night

Thursday 13 Dec

- Thank you morning tea

Monday 17 Dec

- Final Principals Badge morning tea
- Songroom showcase
- Year 6 Farewell dinner

Tuesday 18 Dec

- End of year celebration

Wednesday 19 Dec

- Last day of school



PANANIA NORTH PS CAROLS NIGHT 2018



Dear Parents/Carers

On Wednesday 12 December, 2018 we will be having a 'Carols Night' from 5:00pm to 8:00pm (approx. finishing time). The P&C will be running a BBQ stall from 5:30pm to 8:30pm, there will be a range of drinks, gelato and lollies as well as the BBQ, so there is no need to cook dinner that night! The P&C are also running a guessing competition and raffle, which will be drawn throughout the night.

The carols part of the evening will begin at 6:30pm. Classes have combined and are working hard to present to you a range of Australian Christmas songs to help you get into the Christmas spirit.

In between each class performance, a 'Community Carol' will be played. We would love for you to sing along to these. (Songbooks will be provided- so no excuses!!!) A combined dance troupe and choir will also be performing.

All students are expected to attend this event. Students are to wear **Christmas themed clothing** with as little or as many **Christmas accessories** as they like. Students will be seated with their families/friends during the night. They will be advised of the community carol that is their cue to move to the side of the performance area to meet with their teacher/s. They will then return to you to enjoy the rest of the evening.

We look forward to seeing many of you there and it would be great to see you wearing your Christmas clothing/accessories. Bring along a picnic rug or low chairs (please be mindful of others and put chairs towards the back) settle in and enjoy a night of entertainment from our talented and enthusiastic performers.

Kind regards,

Mr Wotherspoon and Mrs Kuzmanovska
Panania North P.S Carols Night committee

Please note: In the event of wet weather the evening will be postponed to Thursday 13 December, 2018.



Stage 1 Persuasive Writing



Homework is a waste of time

Every single day I'm stuck in my room doing gazillions of homework, accidentally falling asleep on my desk. Sometimes I even go to detention for falling asleep in class! By the way you do enough work at school, it causes a lack of sleep and homework keeps you locked inside your room rather than playing outside. This is very bad!

Firstly, you have 4hrs and 50min of work at school. That's enough! Furthermore. Your hands get really weak from writing so much. Besides we do the same work at school and at home. This horrendous!

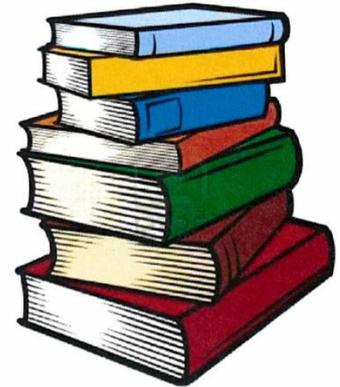
Secondly, homework causes lack of sleep. Children take hours doing homework in their room taking away their sleep. In addition Children need 9-10 hrs of sleep but they can't sleep that long because of homework. Also children will fall asleep in class because they didn't get enough sleep. This is terrible!

Finally, homework keeps you locked inside your room rather than playing outside. When you don't play, you don't get stronger. Moreover, if you are locked inside, you don't get vitamin D, Surely you need some rest after so much work at school!

So there is no doubt that homework is a waste of time because you do enough work at school, homework causes a lack of sleep and homework keeps you locked inside rather than playing. Now you see that homework is a waste of time!

BY Megan Lim

Homework is a waste Of time



Homework! Homework! Homework! It is horrendous! Besides we do enough work at school, it keeps you locked in your room rather than playing outside and it causes a lack of sleep I am sick of it.

You know you have 4 hours and 50 minutes at school doing horrible work at school that's already enough work. How can you do more your hands are already terribly weak. I know we do the same work at school and it does not stay in your long term memory.

Homework causes a lack of sleep for this reason children will fall asleep in class the next day. It is certain children should get 9-10 hours of sleep every night. Sometimes children take minutes even hours in their rooms doing homework.

Sun! Sun! Sun! Homework keeps you locked inside rather than playing. If your locked inside you don't get enough vitamin D and how are you supposed to get fast, fit and strong.

Now you see how horrible homework is. I strongly believe home should be banded in all schools.

By Zoey

Homework is a waste of time

Boring! Boring! Boring! I strongly believe that homework is a waste of time as it causes bad posture, not enough time spent with family and too much time spent on devices doing homework.

Firstly, doing homework everyday causes bad posture. After school children are made to do homework for a long time. It causes bad posture and muscle pain. Kids get bad muscle pain from being hunched over doing homework when they should be playing outside. Bad posture leads to horrible pain which means children can't do school work.

Secondly, doing a lot of homework means you don't get to see your family. When children have to do homework they can't spend time with their family. Family time is important because they make you feel happy and loved. Homework doesn't make you feel like that homework makes you feel tired and stressed.

Finally, when children do homework on devices it causes them to get square puffy bulging eyes. Being on devices too long means you get bad eye sight which leads to glasses. You will be into the device which leads to sore eyes and tiredness.

In summary, you can clearly see that homework is a waste of time because it causes bad posture, not enough time spent with family and too much time spent on devices. Now you have clearly seen that homework is a waste of time!

Written by Riya Naidoo-O'Neill (Year 2, Geckoes)

Homework is a waste of time

More homework uh I'm sick of homework I believe homework is a waste of time

Homework is a waste of time because you don't get enough time with your family and friends then you don't get any vitamin D from not being outside. If you don't get any vitamin D your body and bones become weak. If your body and bones are weak you can become sick so the next day at school you will have no energy and you do lots of work at school.

Secondly you only get a lack of sleep. The next day at school you cannot concentrate. Kids need 9 to 10 hours of sleep where as if you stay up doing homework you only get 7 hours of sleep. When you wake up you will most likely throw a tantrum or be late for school.

Thirdly you are stuck in your room. If you are stuck in your room you don't get any food and become sick. If you don't eat there is a chance you will vomit and you don't get any attention from your family which makes you feel sad and not loved. I think homework is horrendous and terrible because it wastes your time doing stuff you want to like on technology or sports not writing words we already know how to spell we want to do fun stuff like a game of soccer and watch something on youtube.

By Aidan Farley

Learning & Support News

Thank you to the parents/grandparents who attended the ADHD workshop. I appreciated your enthusiasm for learning! I have also sent the information via email to those who requested it. Please email me if you would like me to send what I spoke about Samantha.whyte@det.nsw.edu.au and do not hesitate to ask me any questions.

If there is interest next year I can run it again after hours to accommodate working parents. I am hoping to engage with other schools and have already received some enquiries. I have been asked to present at a community event early next year so I am very exciting to be debunking the myths and re educating people about ADHD.

Take my hand

*Take my hand and walk with me
I want to teach you about ADHD
I need you to know, I want to explain
I have a very different brain
Sights sounds thoughts collide
What to do first, I can't decide
Please understand I'm not to blame
I just can't process things the same
Excerpt of a poem by Andrea Chesterman-Smith*

Pet Visit

We will be having a special visitor to our school her name is "Rosie" she is a three-year-old labradoodle. She will be visiting some classes on a Thursday.

The department has approved her attendance and Rosie is very excited to come and say 'hello!' I will be her handler and she will be on her lead. If you have any concerns can you please contact the school office.



Samantha Bruno
Learning and Support Teacher

YEAR 6



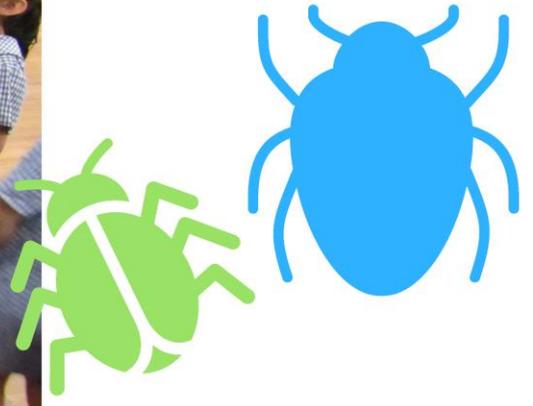
FUN DAY



SO
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FUN



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Talent Quest







Panania North Public School Annual Carols Night

Wednesday the 12th December
5pm-8pm

Everyone is welcome; Aunt's, Uncle's, Grandparents!

WEAR your most outrageous Christmas outfits and

BRING your picnic blankets and singing voices!

Panania North Pole Corner Store

will be selling

**Sausage sizzle *Gelato Cups *Lollies *Cold Drinks*

Advertisements.

The school often publishes information on behalf of Community groups – parents need to decide the appropriateness of activities involving their child. It is the responsibility of each parent to research the bona fides of any organisation, in which you wish your child to be involved in.

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- Trained and qualified bilingual staff with years of experience.
- Nutritionally balanced meals and beverages (milk and water) with ongoing support by health professionals
- High quality, educational and multi-cultural and pre-school programs
- Regular yoga, exercise and tai chi classes
- Munch and Move Program
- Music and Movement
- Basic languages skills in various languages (ELLA - program)
- Basic computer skills & awareness
- Highly qualified staff

ENROLLING NOW FOR NEXT YEAR

Panania, 139 Horsley Road

Phone: 9785 6803 - Call for more details.

Monday to Friday 7.30am - 6.00pm

educareplayskool_panania@hotmail.com

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SATURDAY, 8TH DECEMBER 2018

10AM-2PM

REVESBY UNITING CHURCH, 219 THE RIVER ROAD REVESBY

Open to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families in the Bankstown area. Children between the ages of 0-12 will receive a small gift from Santa! Lunch will be provided on the day. Please have registration forms in by December 1st to Koreena Leverett at acdop@bcrg.org.au or call (02) 97962930



Communities for Children is an initiative of the Australian Government funded by the Department of Social Service and is facilitated in Bankstown by the Smith





Black Santa Xmas Party

Saturday 8th December 2018



everyone's family

REGISTRATION FORM

Name of parent/carer: _____
Parent/Carer's contact
phone number: _____
Parent /Carer's home address: _____

DOB: _____

Age: _____

Gender: _____

Allergies/Medical _____

Parent/Carer's email
address: _____

What year will your child be in
2019? _____

Do you identify as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or
other? _____

Name of child 1: _____

Name of child 5: _____

DOB: _____

DOB: _____

Age: _____

Age: _____

Gender: _____

Gender: _____

Allergies/Medical _____

Allergies/Medical _____

What year will your child be in
2019? _____

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2019? _____

Do you identify as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or
other? _____

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other? _____

Name of child 2: _____

Number of other family members attending the event:

Grandparents: _____

Adults: _____

Children over the age of 12 _____

DOB: _____

Age: _____

Gender: _____

Allergies/Medical _____

What year will your child be in
2019? _____

Do you identify as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or
other? _____

Name of child 3: _____

DOB: _____

Age: _____

Gender: _____

Allergies/Medical _____

Should anything happen to you or your child please
provide an emergency contact?

Name _____

Contact number _____

I give permission for my child/children and I for
photographs to be taken and used for publicity purposes
in the future.

Signed _____

Would you like to be contacted for any future Aboriginal
programs BCRG may host in the future? Yes No

What year will your child be in
2019? _____

Do you identify as Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander or
other? _____

Name of child 4: _____

SEND REGISTRATION FORM TO: KOREENA OR ANNA:

FAX: 9796 4713 Post: PO Box 260 Bankstown, NSW 1880

EMAIL: acdop@bcrg.org.au By Friday 30th November 2018, 3PM. Phone enquiries can be made on 9796 2930