



Kimberley School of the Air

School News



Term 1, Issue 2

1 February 2019

Important Dates

Term 1 2019 Begins

Monday February 4th

Last day Term 1

Friday 12 April

Home Tutors Seminar

Monday 13 May—Friday 17
May

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

KSOTA news

Good morning everyone. Welcome to the second Newsletter for the year. I am happy to send as many Newsletters as we need to. I suppose in some other settings Newsletters are fortnightly or even monthly. In our situation we need as much communication as we can muster. I believe that it is very important to keep the information stream flowing. Please don't think that your question or query is not valid or not important. Please just get on the phone and/or email. We are here ready to help!

Air Lesson Timetable.

This is included. Changes sometimes need to be made. The class times on our timetable today are different to those advertised earlier.

Please note changes!

This is the timetable that we are starting with on Monday.

Individual Lessons

Please note the lesson times for our individual lessons.

Please note also that Individual lessons begin Monday 11th Feb

Friday Assemblies/Muster

Muster Room 8 am Fridays. We will have an assembly every Friday starting 8th February in the Muster Room. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Stepping Stones Maths

We trialled this programme with Mrs Lawless last year and we will be moving over PP-3 during Week 5. You will all have the new work by that start time. I will talk more about this at our first Assembly next week.

Paul Noble

Re-imaging existing computers

Please note that as Laptops are returned they will be re-imaged to Windows 10.

Please save anything that you want to keep before the Laptops come back as the reimaging process wipes any documents that may be stored.

In the future it is probably a good idea that families back up before the Laptop “shuts down” and needs to be sent back to KSOTA. Families might buy an external hard drive for that purpose. It is also a good idea to do regular backups, perhaps weekly, so you do not lose any saved documents or photos.

FEES and CHARGES 2019

Please note the following:

Voluntary Fees and charges

1. Single child \$60
2. Family of 2 or more children \$120 per year

Camp Contributions

1. SOTA Muster 2019 \$650
2. Home Tutors Seminar \$20 per student K-6 \$35 per Adult
3. Term Camp (same as Home Tutor cost)

Please note these fees and charges were ratified by the School Council and by law have to be stated by the end of the school year.

Our Yearly Consent forms have been sent out in the mail today. A pre paid addressed envelope has been included for you to return filled in and signed forms. If you have any queries regarding these please do not hesitate to contact me (Kerry.Doust@education.wa.edu.au).

Help desk numbers

Education Department WA – It Helpdesk 1800 012 828

Clear Networks help desk – connectivity – Satellite services – 1300 855 215

Please don't hesitate to use these services – they are for you to use !