



# Kimberley School of the Air

## Important Dates

### Term 2 2021

Monday 19th April —

Friday 2nd July

### Home Tutors Seminar

Monday 10th May -

Friday 14th May

### Anzac Assembly

Tuesday 27th April @8am  
in Muster Room

### Friday Assembly

30th April

28th May

11th June

25th June

### Public Holidays

26th April

7th June

### KSOTA Freecall

1800 816 212

## School News



Term 2, Issue 1

Wednesday 21st April 2021

Welcome back to another jam-packed term!

Term One was an absolute success, with the students and Home Tutors adapting so quickly to our new curriculum structure. I would like to thank everyone, again, for their incredible efforts in making this transition possible.

I will be honest, I have found it very tricky to juggle the responsibilities and duties of being principal and a teaching load. I felt like I was letting the students in my classes down when I was unable to do their air-lessons because I was away from school so much. Thankfully, Miss Kerry has been working her socks off getting all the ducks in a row for KSOTA to employ another teacher.

We are very excited to announce that West Marshall will be joining us on a short term contract, starting in Week 3. West is a graduate with a passion for the Kimberley and he absolutely jumped at the chance to be a part of the KSOTA community, so much so he turned down a position in Perth to join us! I know that our whole community will support West as he finds his feet at KSOTA, and will make him feel very welcome when you meet him at Home Tutors Seminar.

A revised timetable will come into effect on Monday of week 5, and all families will receive a copy of this once it has been finalised. I apologise in advance for the changes to some students timetables, and appreciate your understanding and flexibility.

I am so excited for home visits to be starting again, and for Home Tutors Seminar in just a couple of weeks. A timetable for this will be sent to all families shortly.

As always, please reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

Esther Kerr  
Principal

### TIPS FOR LAPTOPS

- Ensure you save all your work onto a USB thumb drive
- Empty recycle bin on desktop regularly
- Wipe clean with a slightly damp cloth
- A small paint brush is handy to remove any dust on keyboard

### Help desk numbers

Education Department WA – It Helpdesk 1800 012 828

Clear Networks help desk – connectivity – Satellite services – 1300 855 215  
(DoE Customer Number 14052)

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

## **P&C Merchandise**

*Uniforms help to bring our remote students together.*

*We thank Rod and Dee at Totally Workwear, Derby for their support.*

KSOTA polo shirt uniforms are available from P&C via Kerry Doust at School. Shirts are \$20 each and can be sent out in Red Mail Bags. Please deposit money direct into P&C bank account with your name and "uniform" as reference.

### **Please note we have new shirts in stock.**

Account Name	KSOTA P&C
BSB	016 620
Account #	463336408

Other merchandise available via same method:

- ◆ KSOTA logo work shirts asst sizes: Men's green/navy, Women's blue/purple, Boy's green/blue, Girl's turquoise/pink \$45 each
- ◆ Stubby Holders \$10 each
- ◆ Bucket Hats/Trucker Caps \$20 each

*KSOTA Parents and Citizens Association: Going that extra mile for our remote kids and their education.*

## **FEES AND CHARGES 2021**

### **VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS**

Voluntary Contributions are funds used towards the cost of materials, services and resources used by the students in the education program

Single Child	\$60 per year
Family of 2 or more children	\$120 per year

### **CAMP FEES**

<b>Home Tutors Seminar</b>	\$20 per Student K-6
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May 10th –14th 2021	\$35 per Adult
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<b>Term 4 Camp Whole School</b>	\$20 per Student K-6
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Nov 8-12 2021	\$35 per Adult
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### **Muster (Date TBA)**

Years 4-6	\$650 per Student
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