



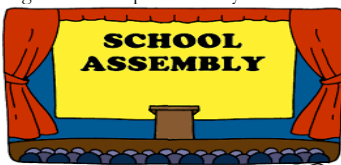
## WELCOME

Dear Parents and Guardians,

It is already the end of the term. On behalf of the staff and students I would like to thank our parent community for the positive and constructive feedback of your children's learning throughout the term. We value your feedback and look forward to work together in the next term.

**ASSEMBLY:** Our last assembly for the term will be this Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> from 11:00-12:00am. After the assembly you may take the kids home for the holidays.

March 29th - Last Assembly.  
April 16th – T2 begins  
June 10th – Queens Birthday  
June 21st – Last day of T2  
July 23rd- Remembrance Day  
August 26th- Repentance day



**SCHOOL REPORTS:** Thank you to all the parents who came in for their parent teacher conferences. Teachers will be contacting a few parents this week for parent teacher conferences. If you did not get a note from your child's teacher for a conference that means your child's report is still under review and parent-teacher conferences will be held in week 1 of Term 2.

As per reports for this year there will changes to the achievement codes for years EL- Year 2. Please refer to the explanation of the achievement codes on the front of your child's report.

**CLASS PLACEMENTS:** Next term there will be a slight change of class placements. The year 3s will move to Mrs Daniel and Year 6s to Mrs Josiah. All other classes will remain the same.

Years 3,4,5- Mrs Daniel  
Years 6,7,8- Mrs Josiah

**SCHOLASTICS/PRIME MATHS:** Our scholastic orders and Prime Maths items have not arrived and we are continuously checking the post office every week. Once items arrive, we will deliver the items over the holidays.

**TUITION FEES:** All invoices have been handed out or emailed to sponsors/parents. If you didn't get an invoice, please come and see Elijah or email the school on [admin@aispng.com](mailto:admin@aispng.com). Elijah is the new admin officer tending to the front desk and accounts.



**SCHOOL BOARD:** The school has put together a board for the school. The AIS-PNG Board comprises of experienced professionals from a variety of disciplines who all share a firm link with-, or interest in Education and Papua New Guinea. For more information on the role of the board please visit our webpage on [www.aispng.org](http://www.aispng.org).

Mr. Ross Clark - Director Pacific Plus Consulting  
Mr. Mark Baker- Managing Director ANZ PNG  
Mrs. Lorraine Merimba - Parent Representative  
Mr. Joeri Kalwij - Director AISPNG  
Mrs. Alexandra Harrington-Manager Events Team, at Abt Management Services in PNG

The board members will provide the school with advice, guidance and direction on a voluntary basis to support the continuous development of AIS-PNG. The Board will represent the school to the community, provide strategic guidance for the School and effectively oversee and review the School's management and operations.

Lorraine will represent the parent community. She will organize a once a term meet and greet with parents.

**UNIFORMS:** We sincerely apologise for the back order of uniforms however some items have arrived. The size 4,6 stubbies and new sports ruggers and the new bucket hats are now available for purchase. The school dresses are arriving early April so they will be available only in Term 2.

Be advised that all uniforms are to be purchased via EFTPOS (at the front Desk) or direct deposit. We prefer not to handle cash payments.



**LAPTOPS:** Senior students who have laptops are encouraged to bring their computer in as of Term 2. It is not permitted for students to share flash drives. There is a very high risk of transferring a computer virus. We are now working on an internet package for the school and we do hope that this will be available in Term 2 for students.



**SENIOR CAMP:** The senior camp is scheduled for September. I have finally got quotes back and we have decided on the venue to be in Cairns rather than Brisbane. The theme of our camp is "Looking after our environment"



**FUNDRAISER:** On Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> of March the student council will be selling doughnuts, all funds will go towards the hospital visit at the end of the year. The dough nuts will be sold for K2.

Happy holidays and see you all back in term 2.

Regards  
Michelle Melachon- Kalwij

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