

Welcome to Year 5/6



Teacher: Renee Marasco

St Joseph's School Prayer

Dear Lord

We ask you to bless St Joseph's School Community

We pray that you guide us to be just and to see,
listen, speak and act like St Joseph.

May we be inspired by our Founders
to be the best that we can be.

May we always keep Jesus
at the centre of all we do.

St Emilie	Pray for us
St Marcellin	Pray for us
St Joseph	Pray for us

Amen



The school day

- Our classroom door will generally open around 8.30am. School finishes at 3.05pm with the exception of early close on Thursday at 2.30pm.
- Our class and specialist timetable is displayed below.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Primary Briefing in the staffroom @ 8.15			
8.30		Kiss & Ride Duty			
9.00 Period 1	English	Religion English	Literacy (Mrs Ledger)	English	Religion English
9.55 Period 2			Literacy (Mrs Ledger)	Recess	(computer lab)
10.50	Recess	Recess	Recess	Religion	Recess
11.15 Period 3	Indonesian (Mr Selvam)	Digital Technologies	Maths	PE/Health (Ms Higgs)	Maths
12.00	Religion Maths			Lunch Duty	
	Lunch	Lunch/Eating Duty	Lunch Duty	Science	Lunch Duty
1.30 Period 5	HASS	Maths	Choir (Catch up time)		PE/Health (Ms Higgs)
2.20 Period 6			Art/Drama		Art/Drama
				Early Close 2:30	

- If you need to remove your child from class during the day, you will need to sign him/her out from the office. This will need to be done before you come to collect your child. The same procedure applies if you arrive late in the mornings.
- Assemblies are held on Fridays at 8.45am in the St Marcellin Performing Arts Centre. We aim to have them fortnightly and parents are always welcome. If your child is receiving an award at an assembly I will endeavour to let you know as soon as possible.

Uniform

- Students are expected to be wearing the proper Saint Joseph's uniform at all times.
- Please ensure all items of clothing are marked with your child's name.
- The school has a no hat; no play policy so please ensure your child always has a hat.

Excursions

Throughout the year, we will go on two excursions. As these arise, a note will be sent home letting you know the details.

Communication

As we have school diaries in Year 5/6, any important information will be sent home in this. I am around in the afternoons if you would like to discuss your child's progress or any issues, please make a time after school to meet. If your child is absent from school please be sure to let the school know prior to 9.00am. Your child will also require a written note upon their return to school. Or you can utilise the Absentee notes in the back of the diary.

School phone number: 9621 3500

Behaviour management

The school's expectations are clearly set out in the front of the school diary. In class, our students have decided on the 'RESPECT' which you can see below.

Homework

- Students are given homework each night from Monday to Thursday. This will include Mathematics, English, Reading (Lexile), Spelling and the occasional research project. It is an expectation that the work is done daily and ready for marking the following day.
- The school diary contains the school's homework policies.

The students have homework folders which they are expected to take home each night and return the following day. Their school diaries should be kept in this and also come to school and home each day.

If you have any questions or problems throughout the year, please bring it to my attention immediately and don't leave it until the interviews. This will enable me to act on any issue quickly. My contact email is marasco.renee@cathednet.wa.edu.au



Respect

R = Recognise that everyone is different

E = Empathy is to listen and connect

S = Self-monitor, think first

P = Personal space, give a little room

E = Earn trust through your actions

C = Cheer on others and their success

T = Treat everyone as an equal