# Smithtown Public School

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TERM 1 WEEK 8 Monday 17 MARCH 2025	
Term 1 2025	
Monday 17 March – Monday 24 March 2025	NAPLAN Testing for Years 3 & 5
Wednesday 19 March 2025	Parent/Teacher Interviews 1-5.30pm
Thursday 20 March 2025	P&C AGM at 5.30pm
Friday 21 March 2025	Harmony Day; Assembly at 2.30pm
Friday 4 April 2025	Assembly at 2.30pm
Tuesday 8 April 2025	Junklandia at The Glasshouse Excursion for Years 2-6
Friday 11 April 2025	9.30am Easter Hat Parade & Parent/Carer Morning Tea; Last day of Term 1
Monday 28 & Tuesday 29 April 2025	Staff Development Days
Wednesday 30 April 2025	All students return for Term 2: School Photo Day

#### POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

Be kind to others in what I say and do!





#### PRINCIPAL REPORT

It was great to see our students back at school last Wednesday after being non-operational for four days due to the flooding evacuations orders. Once again thank you for your support and patience as we worked to ensure that students could return to school as quickly and as safely as possible after the effects of ex-tropical cyclone Alfred.

This week, our Year 3 and 5 students will begin NAPLAN. These will continue into next week and they cover skills in reading, writing, spelling, grammar and punctuation, and numeracy.

This Friday 21 March, students are encouraged to wear orange to school in honour of Harmony Day. Harmony Day is part of Harmony Week, which celebrates Australia's cultural diversity and promotes inclusiveness, respect, and a sense of belonging for all. Students will participate in activities on the day that celebrate Australia's rich cultural diversity.

#### **PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

Our Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held this week on Wednesday 19 March 2025. This is a great way to communicate early with your child's classroom teacher and to build that critical partnership that will support your child.

A link to book through the Sentral Parent Portal has been emailed to all parents/carers or phone Jess in the office to book. We look forward to meeting with you!

Kristina Giorgi

**Principal** 

#### **P&C MEETING THURSDAY 20 MARCH 2025**

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 20 March 2025, at 5.30 pm in the K/1W classroom. This meeting will be our AGM where all positions will be declared vacant. Hope to see you there!



## SMITHTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOL EASTER CELEBRATION DAY



### You're Invited...

Our Easter Hat Parade will begin at 9.30am followed by a parent morning tea.

to celebrate with us on Friday IIth of April.

Create your best Easter hat at home

















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