Prep Newsletter
31st March – 4th April

Swimming
A big congratulations to all of the students who completed the swimming program. A huge thank you to all of the families who helped during the swimming program. As you can see it would not be possible to run the program without your support. We really appreciate it.

Holiday Activities
If any students are keen to practise what they have been learning at school we suggest the following activities:

- Practising handwriting, in particular writing their name
- Writing simple words by sounding out, such as cat, dog, mop, pig etc.
- Looking at books and identifying any known words or sounds in words
- Asking your child questions during a story or after you have read them a story
- Counting objects up to twenty and touching each object as they say the number
- Practising simple addition up to ten, such as 2+2, 3+1 etc.

Career Day
On Friday 4th April it is Career Day. We look forward to seeing students dressed up as ballerinas, policemen and women, firefighters, superheroes, teachers and many, many more!

Easter Hat Parade
Just a reminder that the Easter Hat Parade will be held on Wednesday 2nd April at approximately 9:10am in the Esther Wood Centre. Parents, family and friends are welcome to come and watch each class parade around the hall in their hats. We look forward to seeing the creations that students have made at home!

Planning Week
The last week of school is planning week for staff. The specialist timetable is altered so that each level team can meet to plan the curriculum for next term. Our planning day will be on Friday 4th April. Students will not have their usual specialists this week. Instead they will attend their specialist classes on the Friday.

End of Term
We are both thrilled beyond words with how well the Prep students have settled into school. We have seen many new friendships develop, students gain confidence in attempting new things and entering new situations and we’ve had lots of fun and many laughs along the way. We look forward to another successful term. We hope all students enjoy their break and Term Two will commence on Wednesday 23rd April. Students attend school on the Wednesday and Thursday. Friday 25th April is a public holiday for Anzac Day.

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