

EVERGLADE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Our Sunsmart Season has begun. For most children, this is an easy transition. We do find that some of our pupils have difficulty getting into the swing of this.

It certainly helps when parents remind their children. A simple question: "Have you got your sunhat?" is often all it takes.

Children who wear sun hats can access any part of the school. Those who aren't wearing one are much more limited.





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Please note that **Monday 07 November** is a Teacher Only Day. School is closed on that day.



Classes for 2023

November is the month when we sort out the classes for next year. This is a complex exercise, where we weigh up a number of factors and go through several cycles before the final lists are confirmed.

Some parents like to take the opportunity to give their input to the process. This involves discussing your child's needs, and the type of teaching style that would be of most benefit. Please note that this does not include requesting a particular teacher by name.

If you wish to have input into your child's placement next year, please contact me by the end of November. Farlier is better.

123 Tuition

Last week we sent out material from the above group. This has caused a bit of uncertainty, due to the nature of the wording used.

To clarify matters, please read the points below:

- 123 Tuition are not connected to Everglade School. The material sent out is not from Everglade School, nor is it on our behalf
- > We do not endorse or provide any comment on programmes that 123 Tuition offer
- No one is obliged to do anything with the information sent out by 123 Tuition, regardless of what the material may tell you.
- If you wish to find out more about 123 Tuition, you can tick the return slip and send it to school.
- If you don't wish to be involved with 123 Tuition, you can throw the material in recycling or dispose of it any way you like. You don't have to return it to school, but you can if you choose.

I hope that makes the situation a bit clearer. The language used on the 123 Tuition material may have implied that Everglade School is asking you to send a return. This is not the case; no one is obliged to do anything with the material sent.

Softball Tournament

Our Year 5-6 softball team took part in the Zone Tournament yesterday, held at Mountford Park.



Students had great sportsmanship and just had fun learning a sport together. They played well as a team, interacted with students from other teams and supported each other throughout the day. Thank You to Miss Ariana Nathan-Welch and Miss Sam Rouse for helping organise the students throughout the day. Thank you to Raewyn Pearce and Rachel Gill for scoring and thank you to the 4 students: Aanvi Narayan, Aniya Ram, Mikaela Kauvarevai and Zoe Zhang for being the runners

We congratulate our school representatives:

Alaenah Setu, Daniel Anderson, Denzalle Tupu Tuia, Elisha Stevens, Farani Faatamala, Hazel Geenaway, Isabelle Singh, Kebryanna Krause, Mason Faaola, Reef Henricks, Taha Marsh and Viliami Tufi

3 students that need special mention are:

- Most valuable player: Reef Henricks
- Best Sportsmanship: Isabelle Singh
- Most improved: Daniel Anderson

Our thanks go to Ms Petersen and Ms Nathan-Welch for coaching and leading the team.

Next newsletter: Wednesday 09 November

Regards

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John Robinson Principal