

Teaching and Learning Continuity Plan – Unit 3

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

6th April 2020

We would like to thank you for the wonderful work you are doing at home to support your children at this time. The first units of work are being returned to school via the office and on-line and both students and parents should be very proud of the work that has been completed. We would like to thank students for their hard work and parents who are obviously supporting and assisting their children with remote online learning.

Our continued partnership ensures that we can continue to support our students through online learning and enable our wonderful staff the opportunity to plan appropriately. We have compiled Unit 3 of the Teaching and Learning package, which will continue to be communicated to parents on a weekly basis using our school email system, Google Classroom, Facebook and the School Webpage.

We will continue to make a member of our school staff available for questions and feedback each day for all grades. Please be mindful that the school has only limited phone lines available to use so please be fair and limit your questions to allow all parents access to this provision. Please ask to speak to one of our Assistant Principals.

Stage 1 Unit 3 Information

The Unit 3 booklet includes:

- A Weekly Learning Plan – this is effectively a timetable that outlines daily learning activities that would be completed throughout the course of a week.
- A Learning Environment Checklist that will enable you to set up the best possible environment for your child.
- Following these items will be each day's activities in order. There is space for your child to complete these activities in the booklet only.
- Under most daily activities will be a Success Criteria for your child to complete. This will also be the space for teacher recognition.
- At the end of the booklet, there is a reflection for students and a section for Parents/Caregiver's to sign stating they are happy with the amount of work completed.
- Stage 1 teachers have set two Mathletics learning tasks and one Reading Eggs lesson to be completed daily. Please don't feel restricted to only completing these set tasks if students would like to complete more activities. If you don't have the passwords for your child please respond to the school emails about Mathletics and Reading Eggs passwords.
- Guided reading books are available through the Reading Egg's program in the Library section.
- Google classroom contains the videos mentioned in the teaching and learning framework for students to view to help them with their learning.
- We have added a fast finishers table at the end of the booklet with extra activities for students who would like to engage in additional tasks.

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Weekly Learning Booklets are due on a Monday (except booklet 3 due to SDD)

At this stage we are anticipating that this form of learning may continue into Term 2 and have made the following arrangements for Stage 1 if this does occur.

- Due to the school holidays and the school term beginning on a Tuesday this booklet won't be due until **Tuesday the 28th of April** when school officially begins for students for Term 2. This will also be the time that the following week's booklet will be uploaded on Google Classroom, collected and/or emailed home for Unit 4 only. After this Stage 1 booklets will continue to be due to the front office or via email on a Monday each week.
- **Unit 3 will be due on Tuesday the 28th April, after the Term 1 School Holidays.**
- Please ensure your child's name and class is on the front cover of the booklet.
- Each Stage will have their booklets collected and distributed on different days, as we wish to be as mindful of social distancing.
- If you are returning your work via email, the subject line must be **Mr Wood** only. You must include your child's name and class in the body of the email. This will ensure that your child's work will be forwarded to the right teacher to provide recognition of work. The school's email address is cambridgeg-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
- For returned student work via email, teacher recognition will be provided back via email on the following Monday.
- For returned student work via the front office, teacher recognition will be provided in a timely manner. This can be collected with the new weekly booklet on the next Monday.

Google Classroom

- Teachers are creating learning activities/videos which will be placed on our Google Classrooms platform. This will link to this unit of work.
- A video has been placed on the school Facebook page and a how to document has been included at the back of each student's Unit 3 booklet.
- Students will need a joining code, which is outlined below. Please only join the grade that your child is in. Any child joining the incorrect classroom will be deleted and need to rejoin the correct class. If you're having difficulty joining your class and cannot access the videos please contact the school for additional options such as dropping off a USB for us to copy the videos on.
- If parents have any questions please contact Mr Wood or Mr Hunter by phone or the school email. If you need your child's student portal login please email the school.

Joining Codes: Year 1 – c3lpj4f

Year 2 – be6r46f

Please be aware that over the coming period, the type, style and delivery of work to students may develop and change. We would like to thank all of our fantastic students and families for their support, patience and kindness during Term 1. May Easter and the holidays be a very special and safe time for you. Stage 1 Teachers,

Mr Wood, Mrs Williams, Mrs Rau, Mrs Smith, Miss Vella, Miss Ryle, Miss Fry and Miss Bates