Grade 3- 2012 Information

Welcome to Grade Three! We love to see our students’ parents. Please don’t hesitate to contact us by phone or drop in to see us at school! The school diary is also a great way to communicate with the class teacher.

### Class timetable- 3B

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**Homework**
Children are expected to read nightly, this is recorded in their ‘Gray St Diary’ and signed by an adult. Most children will be reading books of their own choice. Children are now able to read silently with a follow up discussion of the content.
Weekly spelling lists are sent home on Monday to be reviewed for Friday’s spelling test.
Weekly homework will be linked to class studies. The focus of homework until May will be NAPLAN style questions. Homework is given out Mondays to be handed in by Friday.

**Brainfood and water**
The children are encouraged to have a bottle of water on their table and to bring a piece of fruit for 10:00 am brain food time.

**Parent volunteers**
All volunteers will need a ‘Working with children check’. This is a free check for volunteers. The forms are available at the post office.

**Roses Gap camp**
This has been booked for November the 8th.

**NAPLAN**
Naplan testing is held 15th, 16th and 17th of May.

**Before school**
Children are asked to come into the building (unless it is raining) at the 10 to 9 bell.

**Swimming lessons**
Grade 3 is booked into swimming lesson at HILAC from May 21st - June 1st. It is best if the children wear their sports track pants and top each day for this fortnight to make it easier to get changed.

**Mathletics and Study ladder**
The children will again be given secure user names and passwords for these online educational resources. They will be used regularly at school, but are also able to be accessed at home. The login information can be found on the front cover of your child’s Diary.

**Parent Class Reps**
This year each class has a parent rep who is a point of contact between the parents and the class. Our class rep is Chelsea Crane.