

Emmanuel Messenger

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Vision

Through the teaching of God's Word we will bring people to Christ and help them to grow in him.

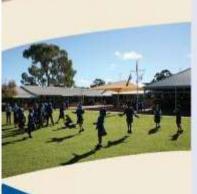
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Principal's Message

CHARACTERISTICS OF A CHRISTIAN LEADER (Part6)

So far we have considered that a Christian Leader is Biblical, Authentic, Transparent, Community Oriented and a Communicator.

6. RELATIONAL

Christian school leadership is a relational business. It is of critical importance for the Christian school leader to strategize and build positive, engaging relationship with students, parents, staff, community and church leadership even if it means stepping outside of his or her comfort zone. Relational leadership requires the soft skills of empathy, understanding, and compassion. At times it will require tough love, but with mercy and grace. Consistent, timely and clear communication is a mark of the relational leader. Every school has an internal and an external community. The internal community is staff and at Emmanuel the areas of Early Childhood, Primary School and High School, students, parents, and the School Board. The external community consists of churches, grandparents and supporters like Christian Schools Association of Independent Schools in Western Australia (AISWA), Australia (CSA), Department of Education Services (DES) that support Emmanuel Christian Community School. The external community includes businesses and people around the school who may or may not have a defined connection to the school. The effective school leader has the ability to discern the various communities and their makeup. The leader understands the importance of influencing the various communities to understand the mission of the school. The Christian school leader seeks to glorify God, through the school so its reputation within the community can hinge on the leader's ability to be an influencer. Done in a positive way, when the circumstances arise that may cause the school's reputation to be in jeopardy, the school will likely have many more advocates expressing support and encouragement.

7. FLEXIBILITY

The best laid plans must sometimes be set aside and at other times laid to rest. The organised to-do list for the day may remain untouched. An effective school leader is flexible. Priorities will often change because of circumstances both within and outside of the control of the school leader. An inflexible school leader will more likely than not look around and discover that there is no one following. The flexible school leader follows the example of the Good Shepherd. Even though 99 of the 100 were moving along with him obediently, he recognised that one was missing. His agenda was set aside. He left the 99 to find the one which was lost. Unspoken in the story of the Good Shepherd is the situation for the 99. There is no doubt that he did not leave them to be on their own. Had he done so, upon his return with the lost one, he would have found at least 50 more to be missing. While flexibly attending to the lost sheep, the shepherd would have left the 99 to be cared for by someone else. He would have communicated his plan and left instructions for the care of the flock. Flexibility does not mean flying by the seat of one's pants without proper planning or preparation. It means having the skills to adapt and adjust plans to fit unforeseen circumstances. The effective Christian school leadership understands the importance of flexibility and being flexible while exhibiting calm and confidence.

TERM 3 - IMPORTANT DATES



Primary

Recess

Lunch

Secondary

Recess

Lunch

Start

8:30

10:30

12:15

8:30

10:30

12:30

Finish

3:15

10:50

1:05

3:15

10:50

1:05

Absentees

Please notify the school of your child's absence by 9:00am. You

can *now* let us know by

SMS: 0405 740 509

email: admin@eccs.wa.edu.au

Please state the following

• child's full name

class

• date of absence/s

reason



Late Arrivals

<u>The Primary Roll</u> is marked at 9am every day. Any late arrivals after 9am including KINDY and PRE-PRIMARY need to come via the office for a yellow late slip (Casserley campus office is near Year 2).

Students who arrive **after** 8:30am **before** the roll is marked will be noted by the class teacher and recorded as a late arrival.

<u>High School Students</u> will need to check in at the office if they arrive after form class at 8:45am.

TERM 3			
WEEK 4	THURSDAY	10 AUG	YEAR 4 ASSEMBLY
WEEK 5	WEDNESDAY	16 AUG	GRANDPARENT/ MULTICULTURAL DAY
WEEK 7-8	MON-FRI	28 AUG	2 WEEKS SWIMMING LESSONS PP to YEAR 2
WEEK 7	WEDNESDAY	30 AUG	KINDY KANGAROO ASSEMBLY
WEEK 7	THURSDAY	31 AUG	YEAR 5 ASSEMBLY
WEEK 9	MONDAY	11 SEPT	PARENT NIGHT 5:30—7pm
WEEK 9	THURSDAY	14 SEPT	PRE-PRIMARY ASSEMBLY
WEEK 9	FRIDAY	15 SEPT	HIGH SCHOOL SPORT CARNIVAL
WEEK 9	FRIDAY	15-22 SEPT	YEAR 6 CAMP
WEEK 10	THURSDAY	21 SEPT	END OF TERM 3
	FRIDAY	22 SEPT	STAFF DEVELOPMENT



PRE-PRIMARY—YEAR 2

28th August—8th September

Leisurepark Balga

PP-A/Year 2 — 12:00 lesson

PP-L/Year 2 — 12:45 lesson

Year 1 — 1:30 lesson

Parents who would like to come and watch will need to pay a spectator fee on entry.

Multicultural/Grandparent Day!

Wednesday, 16th August

What do I need to do?

- ⇒ **DRESS UP** in Multicultural costume
- ⇒ **BRING** international food to share with your class for lunch
- ⇒ INVITE your grandparents and parents to Multicultural day.

There will be classroom visits, special morning tea for visitors, including entertainment.

Costume Parade of K-6 Students, African Drum beat performance, shared lunch in classrooms.

There will be time for Grandparents to visit a

number of classrooms if there are children at both campuses.



HELPERS are needed to assist with Morning tea and Lunch preparation/cleanup. Please let the school know if you can help in any way by emailing admin@eccs.wa.edu.au or return the volunteer form circulated this week.



Activities

Kindergarten to Year 2 Activities

8:30am Classroom Visits

9:15am Bus or walk to Salcott Campus

9:30am Morning Tea (including

entertainment by Gospel Choir and Year 3)

10:30am Costume Parade of K-6 Students

11:30am African Drum Beat performance for Years K-2 & Families

12:15am Bus or Walk back to Casserley

[Year 3-9 Grandparents may like to stay at Salcott and visit older classes]

12:30pm Multicultural Lunch with Students in classrooms

1:30pm End of Activities



Year 3 to 6 Activities

9:30am Morning Tea (including performance by Gospel Choir And Year 3)

10:30am Costume Parade of K-6 Students

11:30am Multicultural Lunch with students in classrooms

(12:15pm High School lunch and class-room visits)

1:00pm African Drum Beat performance for Years 3-9 & Families

2:00pm End of Activities

NUMERACY 2017 - YEAR 3 NUMERACY READING WRITING SPELLING GRAMMAR/PUNCT. NATIONAL 409 436 414 416 439 STATE 402 420 410 409 429 ECCS 414 418 441 YEAR 3 YEAR 5 YEAR 7 YEAR 9 2017 - YEAR 5 NUMERACY READING WRITING SPELLING GRAMMAR/PUNCT. **READING** NATIONAL 494 506 473 501 499 STATE 489 494 469 498 492 ECCS <mark>499</mark> 484 460 514 512 2017 - YEAR 7 NUMERACY READING WRITING SPELLING GRAMMAR/PUNCT. NATIONAL 554 545 550 513 542 539 547 STATE 551 509 537 **ECCS** 569 543 <mark>524</mark> <mark>570</mark> 574 2017 - YEAR 9 NUMERACY READING WRITING SPELLING GRAMMAR/PUNCT. YEAR 3 YEAR 5 YEAR 7 YEAR 9 NATIONAL 592 581 552 582 574 STATE 595 583 556 583 572 ECCS **WRITING** Below National and State average Above both national and state Above state or close to both **ECCS STATE NATIONAL** YEAR 3 YEAR 5 YEAR 7 YEAR 9 Pink highlight indicates below National & State averages. **SPELLING** Green indicates above state or close to both. Yellow indicates above both National & State averages. All students who participated in the NAPLAN tests will get an individual report of their results after they are released to the school. Congratulations students for your good efforts Mr. Pedro Cruz YEAR 3 YEAR 5 YEAR 7 YEAR 9 Principal **GRAMMAR / PUNCTUATION** Well done!

YEAR 3

YEAR 5

YEAR 7

YEAR 9

INFORMATION IN BRIEF



School Fees—were due by 4th August and are now OVERDUE. If you have not made arrangements for a payment plan with Dylan Teng or Andrew Johnson, please make an appointment to see them ASAP.

Sibling Enrolments—If you have younger children who are not yet enrolled in Emmanuel, come to the office for an enrolment form

<u>Uniform Shop</u>—is open every Monday morning (8:30-9:30am) and Thursday afternoon (2:30-3:30pm).

to ensure their place.

Art club—Yrs 5—9 Tuesday afternoons from 3:15-4:00pm. Permission slips in the Office.

<u>Subway Lunches</u>—Forms to be returned by THURSDAY morning. Lunch delivered every Friday. Thank you to Mrs David and Mrs Anthony for counting the orders.

<u>Choir Days</u>—The GOSPEL Choir (Y3-6) meets on *Wednesday* afternoons 3:20—4:10.

The Senior Choir (Y7-9) meets Thursday mornings at 7:50am

<u>School Banking</u>—Every Thursday morning from 8am to 8:30am at BOTH campuses. Thanks to Mrs Eddy & Mrs Truong for making school banking possible.

Homework club—Thursday afternoons from 3:20-4:15pm. Collect a form from the office for the new term and complete with Parents signature.



<u>Parents Prayer group</u>—Every Friday morning 8:45-9:15 in the Church hall. Come and join us in prayer for our School Community. Young Children welcome



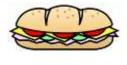
Social Media—Please ensure that you DO NOT post photos of students (other than your own) on facebook, Instagram, twitter etc. without the permission of their parents.

Change of details—Call the school to update your details on 9342 7377 or email admin@eccs.wa.edu.au



Emergency contacts—these are very important in the case that your child becomes sick or injured, and we are unable to reach you. Please ensure that we have a number of a friend or relative who could collect your child if they need to be taken home. Check with us in the office if you are unsure what details we have on file.









CLASSROOM NEWS

NAIDOC at Emmanuel.

ON Thursday 27th July we celebrated NAIDOC week at Emmanuel.

Students came in free dress in colours black, red and yellow (the colours of the Aboriginal Flag). Through Art and Story the students have been encouraged to learn more about Aboriginal culture and appreciate the history of Australia's first people.

At Casserley Campus, Kindergarten and Pre Primary students joined in with Years 1 and 2 for morning Bible reading, prayer and the national anthem. Former student, Phil Kickett gave an acknowledgment of country, spoke a little about his family and sang one of his own songs for us.

He visited the Salcott Campus to do the same for the students in Years 3 to 9.

Across the school, students are producing their own Aboriginal Art during Art lessons. In weeks 3 or 4 this artwork will be displayed in both campuses and the students and parents are invited on an 'Art Walk' to enjoy the art.







STAGE 2 DEVELOPMENT—CASSERLEY CAMPUS

Steady progress is being made on the Administration block of our new school. Due to be completed later in the year, this block will be the new home for a Library, Uniform shop, Canteen, Staff room, Main reception, sick bay and offices.

Recruitment for an additional receptionist is underway in preparation for 2018.



Refurbishment of classrooms at Salcott is also underway, with the old Year 2 classroom becoming a Science Classroom for High School.

With all these projects going on, we appreciate your patience and cooperation in this season of rapid growth. We acknowledge that none of this would be possible without dependence on the Lord.

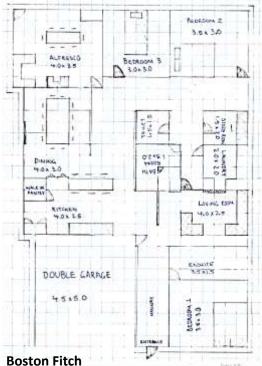


ASSROOM

ARE YOU BUILDING A HOUSE?

Ask our year 9 stem experts for their plan

In term 2 the year 9 student as part of their STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths), were asked to draw a floor plan of a standard Australian house. They then researched into the scientific, cost effective, aesthetic reasons why they used the flooring they chose, to design the house. Mrs C Selby



The Reason for each flooring selection by Boston Fitch

Laminated Flooring Walnut Antique 3 Strip

This flooring is relatively cheap and good looking. The flooring is great for stains, as mess and stains are easily cleaned off the floor. Another benefit of this flooring is that it wears out very slowly and isn't easily run down.

Black Marble Self Stick Vinyl Tile

These tiles are great for bathroom, the toilet and the ensuite. They are durable and last a long time. They are water proof which is crucial for areas that use lots of water.

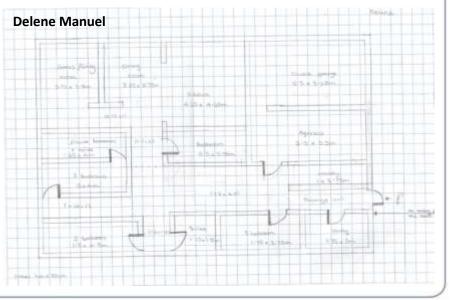
Charcoal Ceramic Floor Tile

Charcoal ceramic floor tile for kitchen, the dining and the laundry area. It is a nice, dark rich colour for the house. The floor is easily mopped so stains are removed and are also waterproof which is again crucial for such areas in a house. These tiles are great for the house as they stand out and are very diverse but they are also extremely durable.

<u>Jarrahwood</u>

Jarrahwood will add a real modern yet rustic feel to the outdoor alfresco. The Jarrahwood for the alfresco is extremely sustainable and durable for some of the harsh conditions of the outside environment. Although some may argue that it is extremely expensive, outdoor paving is generally expensive as it must meet certain standards and conditions for it to stay durable outside.





PRINCIPAL FOR A DAY

With Dr Anne Aly



On Wednesday 26th July, Dr Anne Aly came to our school as "Principal for a day". Dr Aly made her way through the K-2 classrooms at Casserley campus, taking part in classroom activities and sharing fruit time in Kindy. She then visited classes at the Salcott campus and shared with High school students.

It was a privilege to have Dr Aly at Emmanuel last week.

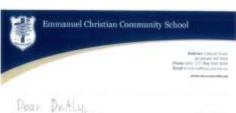








Year 2 students wrote letters to Dr Aly, thanking her for her visit to their class.



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We Loved having you come to year I Themse you for Letting us ask questions about the Pyramids and telling us the story of the mannings.

Thank you for telling us About your job I enjoyed heaving that when your buzzens go of you have to run faster than a speeding bullet. If you mis it you will get in big trouble.

From Patrick



Dear Ur. My Thank you for coming to user us at Emmanuel Christian Community School.

We loved having you come to Year 2 Thank you for thinning pictures of the pyramids with us. I loved seeing the pictures of the pyramids. Thank you for showing us the mining



Dear Dr Aly: Thank you for coinning to visit us at Emmanuel Christian Community school:



We loved having you come to Year 2. Thank you for shouling us photos about the pyramids and the funny one of your himband.

I also liked hearing about your job. Though you for telling us about marries and thank you for telling us where marries are borred.

EMMANUEL BULLETIN BOARD





Emmanuel are participating in Woolworths Earn & Learn program once again. Sticker books are available in the office (both campuses), and you can drop complete (or incomplete) booklets in to the boxes provided.

With over 10,000 educational resources to choose from, there's plenty of valuable resources up for grabs for your local school. They can choose across every category - from mathematics and English resources to arts and crafts, and science equipment.



Exciting new Term 3 rewards with a Future Savers theme are now available, while stocks last!

For every deposit made at school students will receive a silver Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for exclusive School Banking reward items in recognition of their regular savings habits. There are two new items released each term so be sure to keep an eye out for them!

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives \$5 when a student makes their first ever School Banking deposit and 5% on every deposit made through the school (to a maximum of \$10 per individual deposit)

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program and remember, School Banking day is every Thursday



Smiley Emoji Keyring





Praise the Lord for 2 new baby boys born in the Emmanuel Community last month.

Jeremiah Aguilera (left) was born on 19th July to Felipe & Leny, and is a new brother to Sarah (Yr6)

Nate James Matthews (right) was born on 21st

new: baby "boys

July, and is the first Grandson for Mrs Myshelle Bowman. Nate is a brother to Bella and son of Daniel & Samantha Matthews.





COMMUNITY NEWS



Enrol your children now in VacSwim swimming lessons during the October and December/January school holidays.

With swimming pools and beaches a part of the Western Australian lifestyle, ensuring your children can swim competently and safely is a must for all families.

Your children can join in the fun of learning to swim in lessons conducted at pools and open water venues across the State. VacSwim is for all children from beginners through to advanced survival, rescue and resuscitation.

Your children can learn to swim for just: \$7.00 per child for a five day short program \$13.00 per child for all other programs.

It's even cheaper if you have three or more children: \$18.00 a family for a five day short program \$35.00 a family for all other programs.

To find out more about VacSwim and to enrol online please visit education.wa.edu.au/swimming



WHO? All kids from Kindy to grade 6.

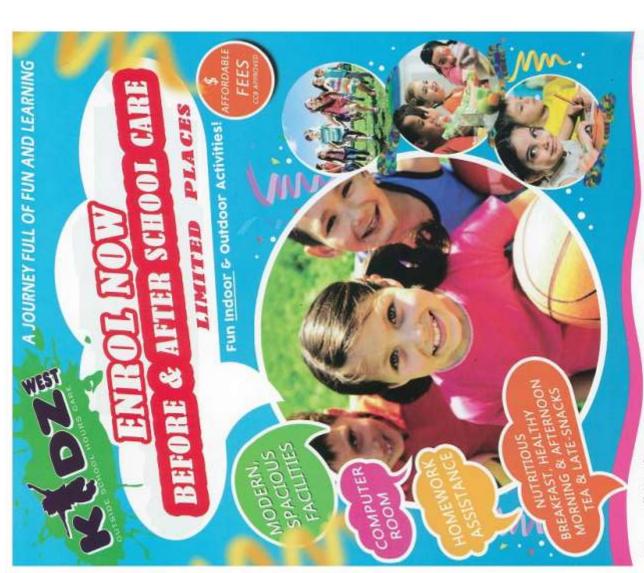
WHEN? Every Friday during School term

TIME? 5:30-7pm

WHERE? Girrawheen Baptist Church premises

WHAT? Meet other friends and learn more about Jesus in a fun and loving environment.





We want to recognise men for the positive influence they have on our children.

Competition!

Father's Day Photo

Early Years Community Mirrabooka

Group

Submit a photo that shows a positive relationship between a man and

the child/children in his life. This could be a dad, stepdad, grandfather,

uncle, brother or male role model.

Share of \$200 worth of shopping vouchers for The Square Mirrabooka

Shopping Centre

Great Prizes to be won!

We proudly Service

Emmanuel Community School

Koondoola, Balga, Mirrabooka & Marangaroo, . and Surrounding Schools in Girrawheen,

- Before School Care 6:30 am to 9:00 am - After School Care 2:30 pm to 6:00 pm Vacation care / Pupil Free Day

6:30 am to 6:00 pm







Winners will be notified from Monday 4th September 2017 and

announced on the Mirrabooka Dads Facebook page.

Pick up/submit your entry form at The Square Mirrabooka

Facebook.com/mirrabookadads or

To enter, simply go to;

Shopping Centre Information Desk



Entries close at noon Friday 1st September 2017

