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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents. Carers and Families of Emmanuel,

Welcome back to Term 3 and the ministry of Emmanuel Christian Community School.

As we hear of what is happening in other parts of the world, and in parts of our own country, we can feel blessed that in WA we are able to live relatively normal lives by continuing to be alert and proactive regarding COVID-19.



Following the advice of the Chief Medical Officer and State Government guidelines, we are still in Phase 4 restrictions and continuing a strict hygiene and cleaning regime at Emmanuel, which has enabled us to continue full attendance and face to face teaching.

We may know of family or friends that have been affected more significantly because of COVID-19. They may be suffering or in need due to the circumstances they find themselves in.

What should our response be?

Jesus' ministry showed immense compassion towards those who were sick, suffering, or in poverty.

He responded with kindness and concern and sought practical ways to alleviate their suffering.

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Principal's Message continued

In the Gospels, we see Jesus expressing compassion and demonstrating the father heart of God to those in desperate need.

The early Christians' commitment to caring for their neighbours and "the least of these" during times of wide-spread sickness, believers, and unbelievers, demonstrated the authenticity of their message of love and hope.

These Christ-like actions not only met a very practical need, but also attracted many outsiders to Christianity.

There are so many similarities between pandemics of the past and now, both in terms of how they have spread, and how people have tried to flee hot spots to protect themselves. But the biggest similarity, is the response of Christians. This is the time for Christians and Christian institutions to shine by showing the love of Christ to those who most need to know His love and compassion.

James states it quite distinctly when he says "Faith without works is dead"

¹⁴ What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? ¹⁵ Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. ¹⁶ If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? ¹⁷ In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead. James 2:14-17 (NIV)

Mature faith is grounded in love and love without arms and legs is dead.

The word of God continually points us towards a way of life that is practical and fit for a 'time such as these'. We can put our trust in its instruction.

Gary Harris Principal

SECONDARY SCHOOL TERM 3 IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 3 (10 WEEKS)								
7 August (Friday)	Faction Carnival							
10 August (Monday)	Year 9 OLNA							
12 August (Wednesday)	Year 9 OLNA							
13 August (Thursday)	Free Dress Day (Gold coin donation)							
18 August (Tuesday)	Year 9 OLNA							
19 August (Wednesday)	Whole School Prayer							
21 August (Friday)	Year 7 Big Day Out							
21 August (Friday)	Year 12 Zoo Excursion							
24 August (Monday)	Whole School Mid Term Break							
28 August (Friday)	Year 9 Dinne Dancer							
31 August (Monday) to 18 September (Friday)	Years 10-12 OLNA							
3 September (Thursday)	Year 7 Immunisation							
4 September (Friday)	High School Interschool Athletics Carnival							
9 September (Wednesday)	Multicultural Day							
11 September (Friday)	Year 9 AQWA Excursion							
From 15 September (Tuesday) to 18 September (Friday)	Cadet Camp							
22 September (Tuesday)	Showcase Night							
24 September (Thursday)	End of Term 3							
From 25 September (Friday) to 11 October (Sunday)	School Holidays							
7 October (Wednesday) to 14 October (Wednesday)	Year 12 Mock Exams							
12 October (Monday)	Start of Term 4							

Disclaimer: These dates are correct at time of printing and may be subject to change. Please refer to our website https://www.eccs.wa.edu.au/events/ for up to date changes.

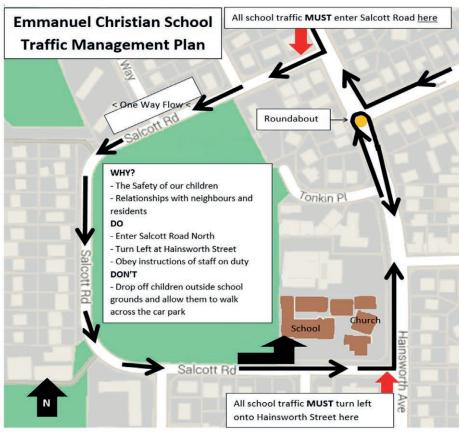
SALCOTT CAMPUS TRAFFIC FLOW

"A Christian Community Must Reflect the Nature of God"

NO RIGHT TURN!

Please strictly follow the signs placed on the entry gate of Salcott Campus. There have been several occasions when parents do not follow NO RIGHT TURN sign at the entrance of Salcott Campus and this creates gridlock, thereby causing delays and heavy traffic on the area. Our neighbouring residents have expressed their frustration and disappointment a couple of times. Let us maintain good relations with our community. Everyone's cooperation is needed.





SOCCER ACADEMY - TERM 3 SOCCER FIXTURES

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	
WEEK 2	27th July	28th July	29th July	30th July	
WEEK 3	3rd August	4th August	5th August	6th August	
	Intermediate Boys vs Churchlands (Home)			Senior Girls vs Ballajura (Home)	
WEEK 4	10th August	11th August	12th August	13th August	
	Senior Boys vs Balga (Away)		Senior Boys vs SEDA (Away)		
WEEK 5	17th August	18th August	19th August	20th August	
	Senior Girls vs Dianella (Away)	Senior Girls vs Mercy B (Away)		Intermediate Boys vs Balga (Home)	
WEEK 6	24th August	25th August	26th August	27th August	
	BREAK		Senior Boys vs SEDA (Home)		
WEEK 7	31st August	1st Sept	2nd Sept	3rd Sept	
	Senior Girls vs Carine (Home)		Senior Boys vs Balga (Home)		
	Intermediate Boys vs Butler College (Away)				
WEEK 8	7th Sept	8th Sept	9th Sept	10th Sept	
			Intermediate Boys vs Ocean Reef (Home)		
WEEK 9	14th Sept	15th Sept	16th Sept	17th Sept	
	CADET CAMP	CADET CAMP	CADET CAMP	CADET CAMP	
WEEK 10	21st Sept	22nd Sept	23rd Sept	24th Sept	

All fixtures are 4:00pm kick-off unless stated otherwise. Students need to bring:

- Both soccer shirts, shorts, socks and boots
- Shin Pads
- Water



SPORTS CARNIVALS

Secondary School Athletics Faction Carnival Friday 7 August from 9am - 3pm



High School Athletics Faction Carnival Events Timetable



(30-8.45am Form time, students receive competitor numbers Students assemble at voil 09-9:25am Welcome, acknowledgement of country, house parades, final briefing Presentations and closing prayer Dismissal

					Pleas	e note: these	e times are a	pproximate,	eventsoften	run slightly a	ahead of or beh	ind time
Event		9.30 - 10.00a m	10.00 - 10.30a m	10.30 - 11.00a m	11.00 - 11.30a m	11.30 - 12.00p m	12.00 - 12.30p m	12.30 - 1.00pm	1.00 - 1.30pm	1.30 - 2.00pm	2.00 - 2.30pm	2.30 - 2:50pm
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Break	80	9/12	7/8/12	8	11/12	8	7/10	10/11	7	10	9	

- Any parents/family wanting to be part of the day can contact Mr Price for more information.
- There will be designated areas for parents at the track and field locations
- A coffee van available for parents

ACC Interschool Athletics Carnival Friday 4 September at UWA Sports Park

A and B Divisions as well as Reserve and Relay placings are available across all relevant track and field events.

Students who place in the top two/three positions for each event at the faction carnival will represent the ECCS Athletics team in their event at the Interschool carnival.

YEAR 9 DINNER DANCE

DATE: Friday 28th August 2020

TIME: 6pm to 9.30pm

THE VENUE: The Pavilion Warehouse - Unit 2, 5

Bessemer Way, Wangara, Perth, WA

FOOD/DRINKS: Will be provided

DRESS CODE: Smart casual

COST: \$25 per student. Payment must please be made online - please see the letter provided for the bank details

bank details

MORE INFO: A letter and permission form has been sent home with the students on 5 August 2020. Please complete and return. An information video has been posted by Mr Gary Dixon on SEQTA



FREE DRESS DAY

On **Thursday**, **13th of August**, we will have a **Free Dress Day** for **Secondary School** to raise money for our Compassion child. This is a lovely opportunity for us to be able to enable a child in another country to get a Christian education, medical attention, food and support. It will be a gold coin donation.



CANTEEN SPECIAL LUNCH

Canteen will be offering a special lunch "Fried rice with pork and apple juice" for just \$6. This lunch will be available on Friday 21August 2020. On this day, the rest of the usual menu will still be available.

The order form for this special lunch will be available from the receptions or school website closer to the due date.



WHOLE SCHOOL MID TERM BREAK

Monday 24th August 2020

This year has been a year like no other for our students. With the pressures and uncertainty around COVID-19, we feel that the students deserve a break mid-way through the term so they can have a 'well-being weekend' and come back refreshed for the second half of the term. We hope as a family you enjoy the break.



ECCS PARENT SURVEY

The ECCS PARENT SURVEY 2020 will be emailed to you in the coming weeks. We appreciate your time and value your feedback.



TERM 3 SCHOOL FEES

Term 3 School Fees are now due!

We rely on these fees to help run our school. If you are experiencing hardship please make an appointment



with our Business Manager today and we can help you set up a payment plan. Payment options include:

- CENTREPAY (form required)
- DIRECT TRANSFER Call or email for the details (use invoice # as ref)
- IN PERSON (Casserley office only) with EFT, Credit Card or cash

For any fee related enquiries please email admin@eccs.wa.edu.au – if you need to arrange a payment plan for Term 4 please contact us before the due date of week 2 Term 4.

DROP OFF & PICK UP TIME

Please ensure your children come to school on time (8:30 AM) everyday and are picked up promptly after school **NO LATER THAN 3:30 PM**.

Please note that there is NO STAFF SUPERVISION after 3:45 PM and your consideration is appreciated as teachers also have families to go home to.



SIBLING ENROLMENT FOR KINDY

Please submit application forms for Kindergarten enrolment as soon as possible. Numbers are filling up fast right up to 2024. Do not put it off until the last minute because even when there are brothers/sisters enrolled at the school, if an application form is not submitted then a place will not be offered.



LATE ARRIVAL & EARLY EPARTURES

ALL Students who come to school late or are taken out of school early should report to the front office to SIGN IN - SIGN OUT via the school IPAD. The YELLOW & RED SLIPS will need to be presented to the class teacher before being allowed to join the class or leave the classroom.

Students who do not present this Card will not be allowed to enter or leave a classroom and will be sent back to the office to get one.



PARENT AUTHORISATION FORMS

Your children's safety is a priority. If you want to authorise somebody (other than the Emergency Contact you have previously nominated) to pick up your child, please complete the Parent Authorisation Form. Phone calls will no longer be honoured in arranging pick up for your children. Forms are available at the reception area or can be downloaded from the school website (https://www.eccs.wa.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/PARENT-AUTHORIZATION-FORM-AFTER-SCHOOL-ARRANGEMENT_Rev3.pdf)

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

Parents are required to ensure their child attends school and provide an explanation for their child's absence from school. PLEASE INFORM THE SCHOOL OF YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE BY <u>9AM</u> by one of the following ways:

SMS: 0418 793 030

• EMAIL: attendance@eccs.wa.edu.au

CALL: 9342 7377

Signing a PARENT NOTE at any of our reception areas



CHILDREN UNWELL

With Covid-19 still ongoing, the severe flu strain usually comes during the cooler months. So let's ensure our children don't pass on infections to others.

If your child is sick with cold, flu or tummy upset, please ensure they rest at home until they are completely



well. Children who come back still heavily affected by their illness can't concentrate and infect other students.

A child who becomes unwell whilst at school will be given the best possible care. HOWEVER, if your child is unable to continue with the normal school routine after care and rest, you will be required to collect the child or have a friend or relative do so. The School is not able to nurse or supervise an unwell child for an extended period of time.

CHAPLAIN HOURS

Mrs Trudy Roberts is available on Monday, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Mr Chinyama Kangombe is available on Tuesday and Thursdays.

If you would like to come and speak with a chaplain or have your child speak with a chaplain please contact the administration staff and a time can be arranged.



AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING & HOMEWORK CLUBS

After School Tutoring & Homework Clubs are available to the secondary school students on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.



Mondays:

Music / Share Space (Year 7 - 12)

Wednesdays:

- Science tutoring for Year 11 & 12
- Science homework for Years 7 10

Thursdays:

- English (Year 7 12)
 - Lower school English is with Mrs Cleminson
 - English ATAR 11 &12 is with Mrs Britz
- HASS (Year 7 12)
- Art (Year 7 12)
- Maths (Year 7 12)

There is no After School Tutoring & Homework club on Tuesdays and Fridays

SEOTA ENGAGE



Your child's timetable can be accessible on **SEQTA ENGAGE**. It is accessible via the website **https://engage.eccs.wa.edu.au** or through the **School webpage** under the tab "**Parents Logins**" or the app.

To login to SEQTA Engage, you must first create an account. Please give the office a call for an activation code.

TIMBTABLES WILL ALSO BE GIVEN TO YOUR CHILD ON THE DAY

ECCS SOCIAL MEDIA



Check our Facebook and Instagram for the latest information and photos of the past events:

Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/emmanuel.christian.community.school/ Instagram:

https://www.instagram.com/emmanuel.christian.com.school/

YEAR 9: SCIENCE EYE DISSECTION

When students returned to school after the COVID isolation period the Science Department managed to obtain some cow eyes for dissection. The year 9's had been learning about light and lenses in Term 1 and so examining the workings and interior of an actual eye was both relevant and fascinating. Students enjoyed the experience and got to appreciate the amazing design of this brilliantly created structure. Here are some photos.





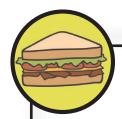


YEAR 7: CITY VISIT

The Year 7 cohort travelled to the Whadjuk Noongar region of Perth (which is known as the Perth CBD today) to learn about the importance of the Noongar Boodjar (Aboriginal land) and cultural customs, including a 'Kangaroo dance' which was a part of hunting ceremonies, the creation of the Swan River by the Wagyl, and many more aspects of Aboriginal culture.







CANTEEN WINTER MENU & OPENING HOURS

Canteen will be open on

- MONDAYS
- WEDNESDAYS
- THURSDAYS
- FRIDAYS

CLOSED on TUESDAY

Winter Menus and Order Forms are available from the reception and school website: https://www.eccs.wa.edu.au/canteen/



SUSTAINABLE SCHOOL SHOP

Parents if you are interested in BUYING AND SELLING SECOND-HAND TEXTBOOKS or SECOND-HAND UNIFORMS, please go to www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au

Free to register!

Any questions, please ask at reception or Uniform Shop



QUARANTINE

If your child was sent home by the school due to vomiting or diarrhoea, please know that we have a quarantine period policy of 24 hours. This means that the child should be kept at home for at least 24 hours from the last bout of symptom. This is to ensure that your child gets the best care that only parents/guardians could give and to protect other children from the virus being passed on.



UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

MONDAY 8:00am - 10:00am 2:45pm - 3:45pm

TUESDAY CLOSED

WEDNESDAY 8:00am - 10:00am THURSDAY 2:45pm - 3:45pm

FRIDAY CLOSED

Price list and order forms are available on the school website (https://www.eccs.wa.edu.au/parents/uniforms/)

Orders can also be made via email uniform@eccs.wa.edu.au



BREAKFAST CLUB

If your child would like to come to breakfast club, please drop your children off at the Canteen for Primary school students and Salcott campus - Church hall for Secondary school students.

PRIMARY SCHOOL

- MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS
- 7:50AM 8:30AM
- CASSERLEY CAMPUS | CANTEEN

SECONDARY SCHOOL

- MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS
- 7:50AM 8:25AM
- SALCOTT CAMPUS | CHURCH HALL

If you are a parent and you would like to help out at the breakfast club then please email the school (admin@eccs.wa.edu. au). We love any help we can get during the opening times or from 8:30AM-9:00AM for packing up and cleaning up after breakfast club.



SHARING PHOTOS OF STUDENTS

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.



PARENT PRAYER GROUP

EVERY FRIDAY 8.30AM - 9.30AM SALCOTT CAMPUS | CHURCH FOYER

We invite you to come and be part of the Parent Prayer Group. We meet at Salcott Campus every Friday in the church minor hall between 8:30 – 9:30am, observing social distancing. You are welcome to pray in your native language, or to come with little ones in tow.

If you would like to be part of our what's app group chat, for updated prayer needs of our community, please contact **Bianca Davies** on **0420 855 717**. Feel free to send any prayer requests to this number or via the Chaplains. Please use initials rather than real names if confidentiality is preferred.



ECCS SOCCER ACADEMY

At Emmanuel, we run a soccer program both in the Primary and Secondary years. Our priority is to help students grow in Christ and provide pastoral care in an environment that develops their football skills at an elite level.

Football coordinator Will Cruz is a qualified FFA AFC 'B' licence coach, and has experience with National Premier League youth teams working in the capacity of both coach and technical director.

All students in the primary years (grades 4 to 6) will have one contact session a fortnight in the soccer program.

For more information about the Soccer Program, please contact Will Cruz (wcruz@eccs.wa.edu.au) or ECCS admin office (admin@eccs.wa.edu.au or phone: 08 9342 7377)

COMMUNITY NEWS

WORLDVIEW AUSTRALIA LEADERSHIP CAMP

Applications are trickling in to Australia's 1st Worldview Australia Leadership Camp for Years 9-12 (High School) to be held in Perth, January 17-22, 2021.

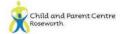
WVA clarifies a Biblical Worldview over 6 days, with 6 speakers, over 25 sessions of lively lectures, discussions and activities in an environment that encourages questions and good humour.

A joint initiative of OAC Ministries and Scripture Union WA, in partnership with Australian Christian Lobby, Creation Ministries International, Sonlife Ministries, and Worldview Academy America. Worldview Australia brings the 25yrs+ experience and content from Worldview Academy to the Australian context, with great Aussie speakers, quality young WA leaders and some fun activities with an Australian twist.

Our Directing Team is very excited to bring this training to teenagers in WA as one of the most important things we can do for our kids is to ground them in a Biblical Worldview before they finish High School.



CHILD AND PARENT CENTRE - ROSEWORTH





Small discussions that can make a big difference



We talk about the importance of routine Date: 21 August, 2020 Time: 9.00am-10.00am Venue: Child and Parent CentreRoseworth, 1 Stoke Court, Girrawheen RSVP: by 19 August on 9342 6363



Raising Children in a Digital World Get the facts: Supporting children in a digital world.

Date: 28 August 2020
Time: 9.15am-10.45am
Venue: Child and Parent CentreRoseworth, 1 Stoke Court,
Girrawheen



Tips and Money Tricks

Sharing tips to make your dollar go further.

Date: 4 September, 2020

Time: 9.00am-10.00am

Venue: Child and Parent CentreRoseworth, 1 Stoke Court,
Girrawheen

RSVP: by 2 September on 9342 6363

W: childandparentcentres.wa.edu.au • E: cpcroseworth@thesmithfamily.com.au





KEYED UP MUSIC



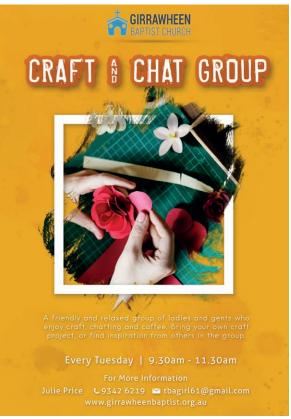
Keyed Up Music will be running guitar and piano lessons after school this term, cost is from \$18.65 for a group of 4 lesson.

To enrol, go to www.keyedupmusic.com.au/enrolment-form or ring **Therese on 1300 366 243** with any questions.

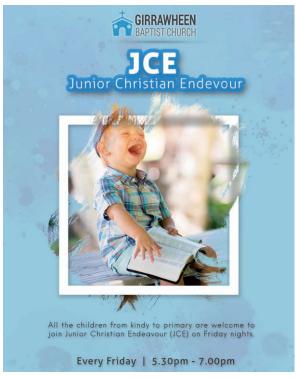
GIRRAWHEEN BAPTIST CHURCH NOTICE BOARD

Girrawheen Baptist Church is NOW RUNNING the following ministries.









NOTE: As we plan to resume JCE when Phase 5 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap is implemented, Parent Volunteers are desperately needed to assist in this ministry. Please contact Maria Reyes at the Casserley Reception with your details if you can assist.



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CASSERLEY CAMPUS

- **Primary School** (Kindergarten to Year 6)
- **Administration Office**
 - **Uniform Shop**
 - Canteen

SALCOTT CAMPUS

- **Secondary School** (Years 7 to 12)
- ATAR and VET courses
 - **Soccer Academy**
 - **SES Cadets**
 - **Clubs**
 - Media
 - Woodwork
- **Home Economics**
- **Art, Music and Drama**

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