Caring, Sharing, Working Together

Key Priorities:
Reading
Attendance
Community connections

Every day counts... because children achieve better when they attend school all day, every day and they will get a ticket in our attendance draw. Lucky winners have received meal hampers. So be at school, on time and you could be the next winner! Remember our target is 92%. When your child is absent, please notify us and let us know the reason? Phone 38166111

HOCSS: Lorraine Topp
Congratulations to our weekly attendance winners.

EVERYDAY COUNTS when learning!
Currently the school is focusing on reducing our school's unexplained absences. If your child is absent from school please let the office know by phoning: 3816 6111 or ring our Absent Line on: 3816 6166 with your child's name, length of absence and reason for the absence.

The office is phoning parents if their children are absent from school or late to school, as well as sending home absence letters at the end of each week. Please fill in the forms and return it to the office.
Biggest Morning Tea  Total Raised $663.65
On Wednesday the 8th of June our school hosted "The Biggest Morning Tea". Residents from two local Aged Care Facilities, school volunteers and local dignitaries were invited to attend the event and were entertained by the talented students from our school.
Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Another great term has almost come to an end. Students have focused on writing persuasive letters in English. They have studied money, length, chance and shapes in Mathematics and have also investigated places and their features in Geography and Science. In Art this term students have explored a range of techniques and skills as they created a self-portrait.

I would like thank all of the parents who are taking the time to ensure they read with their child every day. This is very beneficial and supports their progress in reading. We encourage all parents to come spend some time in our classroom. This may involve reading with students, helping students with homework or in class activities. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Notes have been sent home for Parent-Teacher Interviews, please ensure you return these as soon as possible. You will receive your child’s Semester One report at the end of the interview.

Many thanks,
Miss Watson and Mrs Vaoiva

1/2H

Many students are coming to school without warm clothing on. Please ensure that they have a jacket to wear especially for the cold mornings. The school has a policy of “no hat no play”. There are quite a few children who miss out on play daily because they don’t have a hat. Please check to see if your child has a hat, with their name on. Thank you to all those parents who continually listen to their child read every day and to assist with their homework. The overall reading level in the class has steadily improved which is fantastic to see. To be able to read competently opens many doors of a child’s learning. Keep up the great effort. I really appreciate your support and I know your child will later on.

This term we have been learning about the environment such as weather, soils and plant growth. The children have enjoyed measuring their bean plants each week. The class was delighted last week when one of the class’s fish finally had her babies. Please come in and share this exciting event with your child.

Thank you, Mrs Harris and Mr Saunderson

2/3A

The school holidays are really close now but we still have a lot of work to get through before we can relax. So please ensure that your child is at school every day to give them THE BEST opportunity of successfully completing this term’s assessment tasks. Final homework for this semester will be given out in Week 10 and returned in Week 11. Please return all home reading books by the end of Week 10 so that we check for missing books and reading folders. Thank you to the students who consistently brought in finished homework and home reading. Reports will be handed out at parent/teacher interviews before the end of this term.

In science we have explored how materials can change state from liquids to solids and have had fun adding and removing heat from different materials and observing the different results. Chocolate bars have been the most fascinating material so far! Some students have also had exciting results with coconut oil!

Our Toy-Boats are now up and splashing water around our classroom so please come and visit and view your child’s technology efforts.

Thanks, Mrs Arora and Mrs Jackson

2D

Hello from 2D. We have been working on assessment over the last week and thankyou to the children in my class for working well on their tasks. Reports will be handed out at parent/teacher interviews before the end of this term. Over the next two weeks, I will be discussing with the children their assessment tasks and results and revising areas of work that need attention. Learning goals for next term will be established for each child. I will give a list of requirements for next semester to children who have used all of a particular item eg coloured pencils, erasers etc. Please mark all items before bringing them to school. Final homework for this semester will be given out in Week 10 and returned in Week 11. Awards for consistent home reading will be celebrated. Please return all
home reading books by the end of Week 10 so that we check for missing books.
Thanking you, Mrs Doyle and Miss Visini

5/6B
Hi everyone, we have been working on completing assessment for report cards. A parent - teacher interview letter report cards have been sent home and parents need to fill in 3 available times and return to the classroom teacher. It works on a first in first basis. I am currently in the office replacing Mrs Topp who is on leave and I will be back in the classroom next week. Just a reminder about chocolate money or unsold chocolates, they are to be returned to the office this week. Camp also needs to have more payments and the Spelling text book need to be purchased from the office if you haven’t already done so. Congratulations to Nicole and Justin who are now Gold Club members.

66
Talofa everyone! We have had a busy term of learning of amazing things. In English we wrote a literary memoir about Anh Doh and his experience as a refugee. We carried on with that theme in our History, learning about the refugees and their contributions to our country. In science we have participated in lots of interesting experiments from tasting bread and growing mould. Next term we look forward to our Senior camp. Please make sure your payments are regular and paid on time. Congratulations to the following students who have achieved Principal Awards this term: Doan, Flynn, Cade, Ojhan, Allirah, Ellina, Shakiera, Makarla and L.J. Well done to M.J who has achieved Gold Club status with his 3rd Principal Award.

S.R.C Riverview’s Got Talent Final
Our grand final is next Thursday 23rd June in our school hall from 4.30-6.30. All welcome to attend. There is no cover charge but we will be selling drinks and a sausage sizzle as well on the night. Come along and celebrate the talents from the children of our school. We will post the finalist on the administration board next week.

Dates to Remember!

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>20th-22nd June</td>
<td>Parent/Teacher Interviews</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23rd June</td>
<td>Bundamba Fire Brigade Visit Yr 1w &amp; 1/2H</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24th June</td>
<td>Last Day of Term 2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11th July</td>
<td>First Day of Term 3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12th July</td>
<td>Sports Day – Half Day 8:45-10:30am (9-12 year olds)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15th July</td>
<td>Sports Day – Full Day (all ages)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31st Aug</td>
<td>Pre-prep Roadshow</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Riverview State School 131 Old Ipswich Road Riverview Queensland. 4303 Phone 38166111
Caring Sharing Working Together with CARE