



Term Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Week 1	AUSTRALIA DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY				9.00am Yr 4-6 Assembly	
Week 2		8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall	3pm Esports training		9.00am P-3 Assembly	
Week 3		8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall St John Ambulance Program	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup		9.00am Yr 4-6 Assembly	
Week 4	P&C AGM	8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall St John Ambulance Program	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup	Sports Trials		
Week 5		8.00am Esports training P&C Sausage Sizzle 8.15am Dance Club hall St John Ambulance Program	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup		9.00am Yr 4-6 Assembly	
Week 6		8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall St John Ambulance Program	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup		9.00am P-3 Assembly	
Week 7		8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup School Photos		9.00am Yr 4-6 Assembly	
Week 8		8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall	3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup			
Week 9	P-3 Cross Country 4-6 Cross Country	8.00am Esports training 8.15am Dance Club hall	Year 6 Camp 3pm Esports training 9.00am Playgroup	Year 6 Camp Fuse Cup Mario Cart	Year 6 Camp	
Week 10	Easter Bonnet Parade		9.00am Whole School Celebration Assembly 10.00am Culminating morning			

TERM TWO STARTS BACK TUESDAY 22 APRIL 2025

we gather in this special place, between the salty water and the mountains, to learn, we pay our respects to the Elders past, present and emerging for they hold the memories and traditions for the First Nations Peoples of Australia. May their knowledge, strength and wisdom be with us today as we continue our learning journey together.



From the Classroom

Curriculum

English:

Throughout Term 1 students will be reading a viewing Pig the Pug books and create a short spoken text to retell ideas and express an opinion using details from Pig the Pug.

In phonics the students will be taught to read and spell words with a final, silent e (make, bite, bone, tune etc.)

Mathematics:

Throughout Term 1 students will be learning to

- recognise, name and compare the features of 2D shapes and 3D objects.
- collect data by asking questions, draw and describe data displays and make simple inferences.
- identify outcomes of familiar events involving chance and describe them using everyday language such as 'will happen', 'won't happen' or 'might happen'

Science:

Throughout Term 1 students will be learning to

- describe objects and events that they encounter in their everyday lives.
- describe changes in the local environment.

Humanities and Social Sciences:

Throughout Term the students will be learning

- The important events in their life
- Ordering the events in on a timeline

They will share their information in a book 'all about me'

Technologies:

Throughout Semester 1 the students will be learning how to program a blue bot to follow and a sequence of steps to move through a course.

The Arts:

This term in the Arts with Miss Orevich, students will be studying Music around the theme of 'Seasons'. Students will sing and play music, developing their use of pitch, rhythm and dynamics. Students will describe where and why there is music and will perform a song by singing lyrics and playing the rhythm.

Health and Physical Education:

In Physical Education, students will send, control and receive different types of balls in a variety of movement situations and test alternatives to solve movement challenges. Students will also participate in the P-3 Cross Country which will be held on Monday 24/03/25.

In Health, students will describe changes that have occurred as they have grown older and recognise how strengths and achievements contribute to identity.

Japanese:

In this term, students will present information and respond to questions about their families. They will also listen to information about Japanese and Australian families. Students will demonstrate and identify language used to describe relationships. They will analyse and understand the systems of language relating to pronunciation and script recognition. They will also participate in intercultural experiences to notice similarities and differences in the concept of family, group belonging and respect.

Homework

Library Borrowing

Individual teachers will provide information about library borrowing days.

Excursions

No excursions in Term 1

Culminating Day

Wednesday of Week 10 following the whole school celebration assembly

Positive Behaviour for Learning

Pacific Pines Primary School is dedicated to providing a safe, respectful, and disciplined learning environment for all students, staff, parents, and visitors. To support this, we focus on a specific lesson each week during Term 1, and fortnightly for the remainder of the year, to model our expected behaviours.

Term 1 Lessons

- **Week 1:** We follow school and class routines and expectations.
- **Week 2:** We follow the school's ICT Student User Agreement.
- **Week 3:** We follow before and after school routines.
- **Week 4:** We wear our correct school uniform.
- **Week 5:** We follow the school's Anti-Bullying Compact.
- **Week 6:** We care for the physical environment.
- **Week 7:** We follow all staff instructions.
- **Week 8:** We are in the right place at the right time.
- **Week 9:** We respect the rights of others.
- **Week 10:** We play cooperatively and fairly.

Rewards Days

Our Rewards Days last year were a huge success! In Term 4, the students participated in our Water Play Day, celebrating the behavioural achievements and efforts of 2024. The day included water slides, water pistols, relay challenges, and a lot of fun.

Our student leaders for this year had their first opportunity to support the event, and they went above and beyond. They assisted with setting up, running, and packing up the activities throughout the day.

Key Dates

- **Clean Up Australia Day**
Sunday, 2nd March
- **PBL Rewards Day (Term 1)**
Friday, 4th April (Further information will be communicated closer to the date).

A very special thank you to our wonderful P&C for donating vouchers for our Platinum-level draws throughout 2024. This \$840 commitment each year gives our students something tangible to work towards. Your contributions to support PBL are greatly appreciated!

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Uniform Shop Hours: Monday 8:15am – 9:00am and Friday 2:30pm – 3:15pm

Payment Window Hours: Tuesday: 8:00am to 10:00am

BPoint payments must be made 48 hours prior to the cut-off date.

N.B. Late payments will not be accepted

