

Cobar Public School Newsletter

We pay our respects to the Wangaaypuwan Ngiyampaa people on whose land we meet and learn.

Term 1, Week 4

Thursday, 18th February, 2021

Principal's Report

Student Representative Council (SRC), library monitors and house captain elections were held this week. In other years we have held a large assembly to induct these students into their leadership positions. Unfortunately, we are unable to do this this year as we cannot fit the anticipated number of visitors into the hall. We will instead hold an assembly to induct just the SRC, with library monitors and house captains being inducted in front of their year groups. Once the results of the elections are known, parents/carers of SRC students will be contacted and 1 member of each family invited to attend the induction. We will record and stream the inductions for library monitors and house captains.

At the start of each year a general permission note goes home with all students. We are still awaiting the return of many of these. Please send them back as soon as possible.

Student attendance continues to be a focus for our school. Included in this newsletter is some information on how even small absences add up. As part of the new school planning cycle, we have a Department generated target to reduce the number of partial absences; late arrivals and early departures. Next week data on late arrivals will go to the Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO) and be considered for formal referral. Please ensure that students arrive on time daily.

Have a great weekend everyone.

Mr Jonathan Harvey
Principal

*We are a school of
Responsible, Respectful, Learners*

For Sale

- ★ **Library bags \$5.50**
 - ★ **Merit Books \$5.00**
- Available from
CPS Administration Office**

CPS Newsletter is available:

- **via Facebook - Cobar Public School**
- **CPS website <https://cobar-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>**
- **Printed copies can be collected from the CPS Administration Office if you prefer this format.**

Reminders:

- ★ **Assemblies: To Be Advised.**
- ★ **Please label students' clothing, lunchboxes, water bottles etc**
- ★ **No hat, No play**

GENERAL INFORMATION

Administration Office Hours - 8.30am - 3.30pm
School commences at 8.55am—School finishes at 3.05pm
Students are not supervised before 8.30am

Parent Reminder

Student Allergies

Cobar Public School is an 'ALLERGY AWARE' School.
Staff, parents, visitors and students are actively discouraged from bringing nuts and nut based products onto the Cobar Public School site.

Please keep this in mind when packing recess and lunch for your children. *Thank you.*

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CPS

DATES TO REMEMBER

19.02	▶ CPS Swimming Carnival
25.02	▶ Merit Award Books are due today
25.02	▶ SRC Induction in CPS hall K-6
26.02 to 01.03	▶ Mid-Term Break
02.04	▶ Good Friday - Public Holiday
05.04 to 17.04	▶ School Holidays
19.04	▶ Staff Development Day
20.04	▶ Students return
21.05 To 24.05	▶ Mid-Term Break

School Attendance

If you would like more information about attendance, please go to the link below.
<https://education.nsw.gov.au/student-wellbeing/attendance-behaviour-and-engagement/school-attendance>

PBL

Focus of the Week

'Do as you are asked'

Responsible Respectful Learners

School Bus News

Just a reminder for parents that Kindy to Year 2 students are entitled to free bus travel and some primary school students will also be entitled to free travel depending on their Address. Please go online to apply:

<https://ssts-apply.transport.nsw.gov.au/ApplySSTS/ApplySSTS.html>

Spence's Coaches have the link to the transport for NSW forms on their webpage. Just go to spencescoaches.com.au and click apply *or* phone us on 0419 825442 if you have any queries and we will be happy to help.

Students who are not eligible for a free school travel pass as determined by Transport for NSW can:

- *Purchase a School Term Bus Pass from Spence's Coaches
- *Purchase a child fare ticket when boarding the bus

School Term Passes

Discounted Term Passes are available for all non-eligible students. These passes can be purchased over the phone by calling Carol on 0419 825442 or by email at spence.5@bigpond.com.

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Voluntary School Contribution

The Voluntary School Contributions for 2021 have remained the same as last year.

\$25 for one student or \$40.00 for a family.

As in previous years, funds raised will be accumulated over the next twelve months. Cobar Public School P & C will then determine what major capital works project will be supported by these funds.

If electing to contribute, please complete the slip below and return with funds to the Admin. Office. Thank you to those parents and carers who have already elected to contribute for the benefit of our students. Your support is appreciated.

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Please find enclosed \$25.00/\$40.00 as the 2021 Voluntary School Contribution for my child/children

Student Name: _____ Student Name: _____

Student Name: _____ Student Name: _____

Parent/Carer: _____ Date: _____



Akeva-Lee Fisher

Akeva was spotted by Ernie for doing such an amazing job helping Mrs Manns at the bus lines, making sure everyone was on the list.
Great Job Akeva

Responsible



Emma Griffith

Ernie popped his head into 1/2K this week and was very impressed with how Emma is always prepared for learning. She was sitting quietly listening for her next instruction.
Great start to year Emma!

Learner

Who Got Spotted this week?



Lacey Watt

Ernie is most impressed with Lacey who always wears her school uniform with pride. Well done Lacey. You're setting a great example for our younger students!

Respectful



Congratulations

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they miss weeks per year

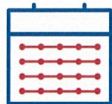
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1 day per fortnight



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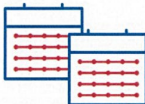
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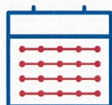
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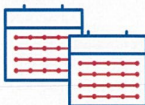
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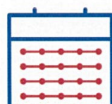
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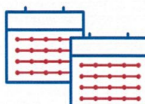
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Cobar Public School Uniform

Students at our school are expected to wear a school uniform which meets the items listed here.

Summer uniform

The boys summer uniform is:

- grey shorts
- bottle green polo shirt
- grey socks
- black shoes
- bottle green wide brim hat with school logo

The girls summer uniform is:

- green tartan dress/green check dress or green tartan skort or black skort
- bottle green polo shirt
- white socks
- black shoes
- bottle green wide brim hat with school logo

Winter uniform

The boys winter uniform is:

- grey trousers
- bottle green polo shirt
- bottle green jumper
- grey socks
- black shoes
- bottle green wide brim hat with school logo

The girls winter uniform is:

- green tartan/check dress or black pants
- bottle green polo shirt
- bottle green jumper
- black stockings or white socks
- black shoes
- bottle green wide brim hat with school logo

Sports uniform

Primary school sports uniform is:

- bottle green or house polo shirt
- black shorts or track pants
- bottle green jumper
- sport shoes and socks
- bottle green wide brim hat with school logo





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Breakfast Club

*Sponsored by
Khan's IGA and Broughton Field Services*

**At the canteen
every morning
8.30am-8.45am**



CPS P&C AGM

Tuesday 16th March 6:30pm
CPS Staffroom
All welcome

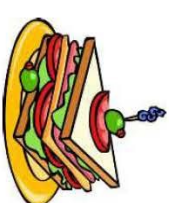
All positions declared vacant
NO COMMITTEE NO CANTEEN



Cobar Public School Canteen Menu - 2021

To Place Your Order - On a clean paper bag, print your child's name, class, order and meal time (recess or lunch)

Or go to www.flexischools.com.au to set up an account to order electronically



Please order only from the options specified on the day, or see below for our daily sandwiches and wraps

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chicken Strip Wrap Schnitzel strips, lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo \$6.00 OR Pizza Homemade with ham cheese & pineapple \$5.00	Sausage Dog On a hotdog bun with tomato sauce \$4.50 OR Chicken Nuggets (5) with salad sticks \$5.00	Chicken Burger Flame grilled chicken, lettuce, tomato, cheese & mayo \$6.00 OR Sausage Roll \$4.00	Meat Pie - \$4.00 Or Party Pies - \$1.50 ea OR Spaghetti Bolognese Homemade \$5.00	Hamburger With lettuce, tomato, beetroot & BBQ sauce \$6.00

The following options are available daily:

Daily Sandwiches/Wraps	Price
Wrap	\$2.00
2 slices of Bread	\$2.00
Sandwich/Wrap Fillings	Price
Cheese	\$1.00
Vegete	
Chicken or Ham	\$2.00
ALL salad extras: beetroot, lettuce, carrot, cucumber, tomato	\$1.00

Daily Drinks	Price
Water	
Apple Juice	
Orange Juice	
Apple and Blackcurrant Juice	\$2.00
Chocolate Milk	
Strawberry Milk	

Daily Snacks – Lunch	Price
Slushies	\$2.00
Ice Blocks – 99% real fruit	
TNT Ice Blocks/Snap Stix Ice Pops	
Ice Cream Cups	\$1.00
Daily Snacks - Recess	
Homemade biscuits, cakes or slices	
Popcorn & Chips	
Garlic & Pizza Bread	\$1.00



The Cobar Public School Canteen is an allergy aware canteen, and is also working with the NSW Healthy Canteen Strategy

Volunteers are always welcome!

Ph: 02 6836 2039



Cobar Public School Uniform Shop

Price List and Order Form

****All shirts, jumpers and hats are printed with the school emblem****

SUMMER UNIFORM	Size (please circle)								Price	Quantity	Sub-Total
Green Polo T-Shirt	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$20.00		
Green Polo T-Shirt	S	M	L	XL					\$24.00		
Boys Grey Short	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$20.00		
Girls Black Skort	3	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	\$22.00		
Girls Black Skort	18	20	22						\$25.00		
Girls Check Dress	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$22.00		
Tartan Dress (phasing out T4 2022)	5	6	8	10	12				\$22.00		
Tartan Skort (phasing out T4 2022)	5	6	/	/	12	14			\$20.00		
WINTER UNIFORM	Size (please circle)								Price	Quantity	Sub-Total
Green Zip Up Jumper	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$27.00		
Green Zip Up Jumper	S	M	L	XL					\$32.00		
Boys Double Knee Grey Trouser	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$20.00		
Girls Straight Leg Black Pant	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$25.00		
Girls Straight Leg Black Pant	16	18	20						\$27.00		
Black Double Knee Fleece Track Pants	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$25.00		
Unisex Black Microfibre Track Pants	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$25.00		
Unisex Black Microfibre Track Pants	S								\$30.00		
SPORTS UNIFORM	Size (please circle)								Price	Quantity	Sub-Total
Sports Polo T-Shirt	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$25.00		
Sports Polo T-Shirt	S	M	L	XL	XXL				\$30.00		
Girls Sport Skort	4	6	8	10	12	14	16		\$15.00		
Sports Team (please circle)	Red Occidental			Blue Great Cobar			Yellow Fort Bourke			Green Chesney	
OTHER ITEMS	Size (please circle)								Price	Quantity	Sub-Total
Green Wide Brim Hat	Small			Medium		Large			\$12.00		
										TOTAL	\$

Child's Name: _____

Class: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Payment Options

- Cheques are to be made payable to Cobar Public School
- Cash - Please enclose cash with order
- EFTPOS available at the front office