



# *Nedlands Primary School*

*EXPERIENCE THE OPPORTUNITIES*

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Term 2. We hope you had a relaxing holiday with your family. This term the Pre-Primary classes will focus on learning about animals. We will be spending time talking about families and celebrations such as Mother's Day.

In the area of Mathematics, we will be working with numbers to 20 and partitioning numbers to 10. We will also introduce the concept of addition and place value. In measurement and geometry the focus will be on heavier and lighter, positional language as well as reviewing the properties of 2D shapes.

In English, we will be continuing letter and sound knowledge and written formation of letters. We will introduce high frequency words which will give the children confidence to have-a-go at reading and writing. We will focus on the beginning, final and medial sounds of three letter words, as well as exploring various text types and studying different features of texts. For Listening and Speaking, the children will deliver short oral presentations to peers with a focus on object based news.

The specialist teachers will continue with their Friday program in Science, Health and Physical Education. During Science we will be exploring the concept of weather. Children will look at daily and seasonal changes in the environment and how they affect our daily lives. Health education will focus on healthy eating and Connie Confidence in the 'You Can Do It' program.

At the end of Term 2, the children will receive their mid-year reports.

Please make note of the following dates:

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May – Mother's Day afternoon tea at 2.15pm in your child's respective class.

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Lapathon

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Staff Development Day. Pupil Free Day

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June – WA Day Public Holiday

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Farm Yard on Wheels Incursion

June week 9 – Photos

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Last day of Term 2

Thank you again for your willingness to help in your child's class. Parent Rosters will begin Week 5. A friendly reminder that doors open at 8:30am and parents/caregivers are required to walk their child into the class before the bell rings at 8:45am. Pick up is promptly at 3:00pm. If your child has not been collected by 3:15pm, they will be walked to the office for collection.

Kind Regards  
Mrs Veni Zeid  
Miss Caroline Bentley  
Mrs Olivia Blakeney