



**Year 6 - 2017**  
**Parent Information Evening**

**Room 16: Mr Josh de Souza (Monday and Friday)  
Mrs Daryl Morris-Hall (Tuesday – Friday)**  
**Room 17: Mr Glyde Ferguson (Monday – Friday)  
Miss Jenny Nguyen (Monday-Wednesday am)**

**Our Vision: “Experience the Opportunities” and “Have-A-Go”!**

Every student is encouraged to develop to his or her learning potential in cooperative classrooms. Students will work individually, in groups and as three classes, two classes and as a whole year level.

**Expected Behaviour:** Students are familiar with the school and classroom rules. They were reviewed and discussed at the start of the year. Students are encouraged to be Year 6 leaders of the school and role models for younger students.

House Points and class money are given in class to reward individuals and groups.

**Independent Work habits and Time Management** – Students are expected to complete their work within given time allocations in class. Students will be encouraged to utilize their time in class effectively. If they do not they will be expected to complete work in their own time.

**Australian Curriculum Learning Areas:**

**English** – Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening

**Maths** – Number & Algebra, Measurement & Geometry, Statistics & Probability

**Science** – Term 1 - Earth and Space Sciences

**Humanities and Social Sciences** – Term 1 – Geography Mapping and Asian studies and Australia’s Role in the WW1 and WW2.

**Health** – Goal Setting, You Can Do It and Growth and Development

**Higher Order Thinking Skills** will be encouraged during all learning activities.

**Specialist Subjects:** Art – Monday, Music - Tuesday, Choir – Wednesday and Friday,

Phys Ed – Thursday and French – Tuesday.

**Library** - Tuesday

**Homework:** Spelling revision, reading, Mathletics, class work completion and research projects.

Students are encouraged to circle any questions they find difficult and ask a teacher for help. Spelling Lists are based on sound patterns and should be learnt for tests.

Mathletics: All students must complete set work at a highly competent level before progressing. A new topic is given every three weeks and students are expected to complete all sections. All Mathletics topics relate to what is being taught in class.

**Communication:** All information will be sent home in written form, either as a note, letter or diary entry.

Students are encouraged to use their diaries to develop their organizational skills.

**Theme:** Term 1 themes are Asian Studies and Earth and Beyond.

**Excursions:**

- Young Leaders Day – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March
- Camp – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March

**Meetings:** We have an open door policy.