



CPS Newsletter



Term 2 Week 1

Providing High Quality Education through Caring and Collaborative Partnerships

Diary Dates

9 May 2025

Mothers Day afternoon
tea

12 May 2025

Grip Leadership Dubbo

13-15 May 2025

Parent Teacher Interviews

28 May 2025

Cross Country Quambone

30 May-2 June 2025

AWA

13 June 2025

Regional Cross Country -
Coolah

2 July 2025

Athletics Carnival
Quambone

4 July 2025

End Term 2

Term 2 2025

Welcome back to Term 2, 2025! The students have returned to school refreshed and have jumped straight back into their learning.

I would like to thank all of those who attended ANZAC Day during the holidays and congratulate all the students in attendance. They showed great pride in their school and country through their commemorative service remembering all who have served in war.

Again, we have another busy term ahead of us with both Cross Country and Athletics carnivals being held this term. Students have begun their practice for Cross Country this morning and will continue to practice their running each morning for fitness, up until the carnival.

We look forward to another successful term with both students learning progress and sporting achievements.

Mother's Day

Next Friday, 9 May we would like to invite, mothers, grandmothers and aunties in for an afternoon tea at the school to celebrate Mother's Day.

We will begin the afternoon at 2:30 pm, with an afternoon tea and some activities with the students. If parents and carers could please let the school know who will be attending for catering purposes.

We look forward to celebrating with you all!

Parent teacher interviews

We will be running parent teacher interviews in Week 3, this term. This will give parents and carers the opportunity to discuss their child's progress thus far this year as well discussing areas of concern or for improvement.

Parents will also be given another opportunity early in Term 3 to discuss their child's progress and report cards which will be handed out towards the end of the term.

If all parents could please complete the attached note to indicate their preferred time and day for their interview.

Term 2 uniform

As we have entered the cooler terms students are to begin wearing their winter uniforms to school.

A note outlining the uniform and uniform pricelist was sent home yesterday. NB the girls winter uniform Monday to Thursday is the heavier cotton/drill culotte skirt or navy slacks, Friday is the cotton elastic sports culotte and sports shirt.

There are a range of second hand and new items available in the clothing pool or if you are unsure where to purchase items such as the girls' culottes please contact the school.

Attendance

Student attendance is an important focus of Carinda Public School. The image below shows how even just a few days missed can add up to a considerable amount of school missed by a student and this can have significant impact on your child's learning and achievement.

All students' absences must be explained within 7 days of the absence, through either the School Bytes app, a note, text or phone call to the school. If you are aware that your child is going to be absent due to family commitments, please notify the school.

Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

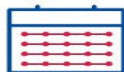
they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight
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4 weeks



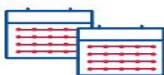
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Over **1** year missed

1 day per week
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8 weeks



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Over **2.5** years missed

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Photos



Please return both notes below by next Tuesday 6 May 2025

Mother's Day

The school will be hosting a Mother's Day afternoon tea with activities to follow on Friday 9 May.

Please indicate below if you will be attending and any addition family members/friends attending the afternoon for catering purposes.

Thank you

Jess Dowling Brown

PLEASE CIRCLE AND INDICATE NUMBERS ATTENDING

I/we would like to join / I/we am unable to attend - in celebrating Mother's Day at Carinda Public School on Friday 9 May 2025.

There will be _____ (number) attending for the afternoon.

Signed : _____

Parent Teacher Interviews

Please indicate below a day and time to meet with your child/children's teacher to discuss their learning progress.

Please write your child/children's name/s and teacher's name in the preferred time, it will be on a first in, first allocated basis.

If these times do not suit parents, please contact your child's teacher directly to discuss other possible options.

	2:30pm	3:00 pm	3:30pm
Tuesday 13/5			
Wednesday 14/5			
Thursday 15/5			

