

Turtle Times



A note from the Principal

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Parent Teacher Interviews and Progress Reports

This term you will receive a **Progress Report** for your child. This is a less formal report that will give you information about your child's efforts and study habits and also whether your child is working above, at or below year level in English and Mathematics. Parents will receive the formal full Written Report at the end of each semester (June and December). As it is important to know how your child is going, the Progress Report gives parents an idea as to how their child is progressing so far. To support your child in learning and growing, parents may also need frequent contact through other meetings, emails and phone calls with their child's class teacher.

On Tuesday 26 March teachers are available for parent teacher interviews for students in T-6. The interviews are an important communication opportunity to have discussions about how your child is going and their next steps. Appointments can be made online and the link has been sent home via email.

A note from the principal continued...

Chief Minister's Reading Challenge

The Chief Minister's Reading Challenge encourages students to read more books for pleasure. **Every student from Transition to Year 6 in the Northern Territory is challenged to read 12 books in 24 weeks.** Eligible books include printed books, digital books and audiobooks. For younger children, a book that is read aloud by an adult count towards their total. Public libraries will have many of the booklist titles onsite and online.

The Chief Minister's Reading Challenge starts on Friday 11 March 2024 (term 1 week 6) and closes on Friday 23 August 2024 (term 3 week 6).

Students who complete the Chief Minister's Reading Challenge will receive a personal certificate from the Chief Minister recognising their achievement which will be presented at assembly. As they complete challenges in future years, they will be recognised with medals correlating with the number of challenges they have completed. The Reading Record Sheet has been sent home with your child. The record sheet is also attached with the newsletter, teachers have copies available in class and copies can be collected from Reception. The Reading Challenge aligns our whole school goal to improve Reading; I highly recommend getting involved and encouraging a love of reading.

Harmony Week- Everyone Belongs

Harmony Week is the celebration that recognises our diversity and brings together Australians from all different backgrounds. Each year Rosebery Primary School decides how they will celebrate Harmony Week. Last week we celebrated at our assembly and we have created a display in Reception. Some of our student Harmony Day messages were shared at the assembly and on our school Facebook page. It has been a wonderful way to capture the positive and optimistic voices of every student in our amazing, diverse Rosebery community.

The Rosebery Primary School vision:

***"Growing and learning together through curiosity,
creativity and collaboration."***

Tania Kolomitsev , Principal



Value Award Recipients



YEAR	CLASS	RECIPIENTS
Tr	Keitaanpaa	Jordan Wilson
Tr	Platt	Ryland Espie, Leandro Morgado
1/2	Bolton/Moir	Kyla Conroy, Jamie Davis, Duke Coombs, Skylah O'Hara
1/2	Jaya/Williams	Takunda Nesvinga, Logan Brotherton, Oscar Gibson
3/4	Baker/Pathak	Jascel Davis, Loki Ruxton, Mudasir Nadjamuddin
3/4	Frazer/McIlwaine	Karlo Deetlefs, Mason Stanek, Sakkhota Dey, Olivia Wilson
5/6	Gray/Nichols	Darla Jean Cansino, Jeremiah Bituvatu
5/6	Rahman/Suyeni	Ngan-Ha Nguyen, Elijah Fejo-Brooks, Harnoor Sandhu, Muzammil Nadjamuddin

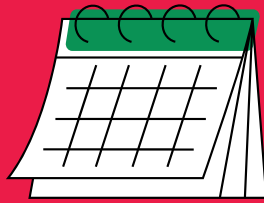


Principal Award Recipients



YEAR	CLASS	RECIPIENTS
1/2	Jaya/Williams	Peter Campbell, Georgia Curyer, Lodoviko Lawaniasana
3/4	Baker/Pathak	Legend Mugadza, Theodore Marshall
3/4	Frazer/McIlwaine	Spencer Williams, Litiana Radavu, Paige Clifton, Kylan Peters

Dates to Remember Term 1



EVENT	DATE
NAPLAN Catch up	18-25 March
Parent Teacher Interviews	26 March 3:00-6:00pm
Senior Choir Excursion to Palmerston College, 7-9 campus	28 March
Easter Public Holidays	Friday 29 March Monday 1 April
Progress reports sent home	2 April
Last day of Term 1	5 April

Back to school vouchers and balances must be spent by Friday 5th April.

Early Years Assembly
Every Second Wednesday
8:20am

Rugrats Playgroup
Every Wednesday
9-10:30

Please note:
Online orders for the canteen need to be made before 9am.

PARENT - TEACHER



Rosebery
PRIMARY SCHOOL

INTERVIEWS



Meet your teachers



Get your questions answered




Discuss important information

BOOK ONLINE NOW


Tuesday, 26th March 2024

3:00pm - 6:00pm

Booking link has been emailed



The Easter Raffle is drawn
Wednesday the 27th March.
Please have your tickets and
money returned to us for your
chance to win.



School Captains



Takeisha Belbin

Chai Waqa

Sports Captains



Elyssa Alexander - Captain
Abbey Green - Co-Captain
Taylor Klarenbeek - Co-Captain
Daly Jackson - Vice Captain



Havana Hayes - Captain
Leyland Mati-Leifi - Captain
Mya Kong - Vice captain



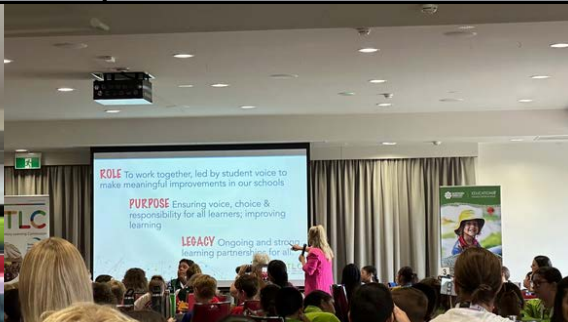
Knox Waqa - Captain
Sophie Meeks - Captain
Lincoln Bonney - Vice Captain



Mariah Tun - Captain
Lace Gillard - Captain
L - Vice captain

NT Learning Commission Students

Teacher in charge Tania Kolomitsev	Ngan-Ha Nguyen
Takeisha Belbin	Mark Rankins
Lace Gillard	Will Rowston
Jensen Hartman	Charlotte Sewell
Haidee Johnson	Max Sharp
Praewah Magill	Ava Tun
Leyland Mati-Leifi	Chai Waqa
Iyla Espie	Max Waqa



Rosebery students have participated in the first NT Learning Commission function of 2024. The NTLC is an initiative placing students at the centre of leading research and providing evidence informed recommendations alongside their teachers and school leadership teams to improve practice within their own school and across the Northern Territory. It provides intentional opportunities for students to analyse trends in whole-school data, design possible responses to address the problems that they have identified, and to implement and determine the impact. They meet with the principal regularly to share their thoughts.

School Council 2024

<u>Parent Representatives</u>	<u>Teacher Representatives</u>
Lesley Vella - Chair	Tania Kolomitsev - Principal
Penny Seamer - Secretary	Kaeta Baker
Kiah Mackenzie - Treasuer	D'Elise Keitaanpaa
Matthew Kerle	Komal Pathak
Santhosh Jaganathan	Invited MLAs
Emily Casey	Marie-Clare Boothby Brennan MLA
Kiyle Coombs	Mark Turner Blain MLA
Cheyniah Godinho	

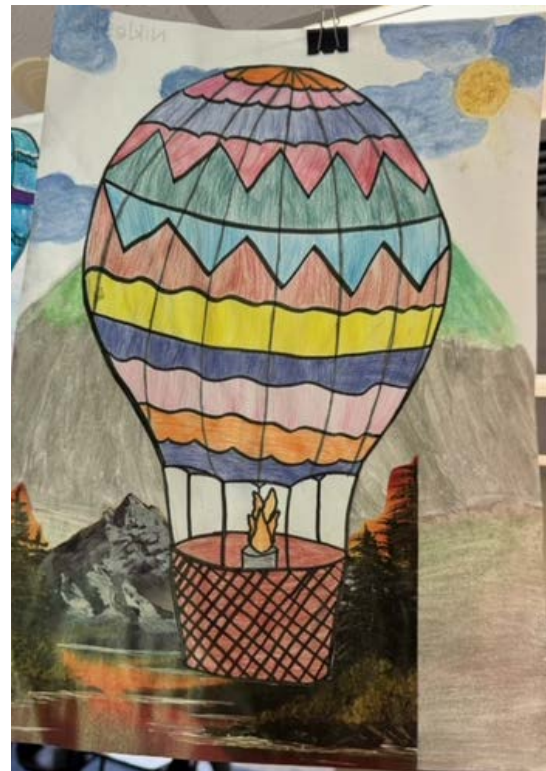


Classroom Spotlight

Year 5-6 Gray/Nichols

During this term, 5/6 Visual Arts class with Ms Nichols have been exploring different mediums with some fun ideas. We have worked with watercolours, pastels, imagery and textas.

Students are thoroughly enjoying the different types of art and being inspired and creative together!



Classroom Spotlight

Year 5-6 Gray/Nichols

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Students used magazine pieces to create characters - showing great imagination.

AMAZING

Hello from the Special Education Hub

Special Education Information for parents

Some children experience challenges in their learning or behaviour. If you or your child's teacher believe that your child experiences learning or behavioural challenges, the first step is to determine if there is a medical reason behind this.

Doctors will ask you take your child for a hearing and vision test first. These tests are screeners to see if hearing and /or vision is part of the problem. They can be done at any optometrist and hearing centre and can be done for free. Please ask them to prepare a report and send it to the school.

It may be appropriate for your child to see a paediatrician. To see a paediatrician, you will need a referral from a GP. There may be long waiting periods to see a paediatrician so we recommend parents see their GP as soon as possible. Your child's teacher will provide a letter for your GP giving background information about your child's strengths, concerns, and strategies in place at school to support your child. This information will assist the doctor and paediatrician in their assessments.

Your teacher will ask you to sign a Parent Consent Authority form. This enables the school to have someone from the Education Department's SWIPS Team (Student Wellbeing and Inclusion Programs and Services Team) come to the school to observe your child during their school day and make recommendations about helpful strategies for the teacher to trial.

Please contact your child's teacher at least 2 weeks before a doctor or Paediatrician appointment for this letter.

If you have any questions or need more information regarding this, please speak with your child's teacher or Heather Carroll, Special Education Teacher

Fantastic Achievement

Congratulations to **Takeisha Belbin** for representing the NT in Tasmania for athletics and receiving recognition from the School of Sports Education NT.

Your achievements are outstanding!



Thank you to member of Solomon Luke Gosling MP, for giving our school an Australian flag for our flagpole.



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Limited number of templates
All templates must be completed and handed back to Reception by 16th May

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18-22 March 2024

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