Wishing all of our new and returning families a warm welcome to the Holy Spirit school community.

Term 1 is a very important time in the school year as children are beginning to develop their understanding of school rules, routines and expectations.

We are very excited about the upcoming learning journey for your children! Please feel free to contact your child’s classroom teacher regarding any information in this newsletter.

What we are learning about this term!

English: In transition, we are learning our sounds and alphabet. We are also learning how to read by blending sounds and learning sight words. Oral retelling, listening and speaking skills and writing development will also be taught. Year 1’s will revise and extend on blending sounds.

Maths: Transition students will be learning numbers 1-10 and Year 1’s will extend on their knowledge from last year learning numbers up to 30. Transition students will also be learning about days of the week, and year 1’s will learn how to read the time.

Religion: We are learning about our school, Church and our families. We will begin to learn the importance of prayer in our school and daily life. Children will also learn about the rituals and practises of the Lent and Easter season.

Science: We are learning about the weather and day and night.

History: We are learning about our families.

Visual Arts: We are learning how to create using many different things.

We will also be learning Health & Physical Education, Indonesian and Performing Arts.

Homework will be sent out in a separate email as requirements for transition and year 1 are different.

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Days to remember...

Physical Education: Tuesday and Wednesday

Library: Wednesday

Items to bring in

Each child is requested to bring in the following:

- Box of Tissues
- Art smock

Don’t forget...Dates to Remember!

Parent Information Night: Tuesday, February 10th, 4:00-6:30pm

Whole School Opening Mass: Friday, February 13th, 9:00am

Family Welcoming Picnic: Friday, February 13th, 5:30-7:00, Casuarina Pool

Ash Wednesday: February 18th

Harmony Day Dinner: Friday, March 20th