



EASTERN GOLDFIELDS
Education Support Centre

THE BUZZ

about Eastern Goldfields Education Support Centre

Principal's Message

Dear Families,

To sum up Term 1, it has been enriched with countless small moments and stories celebrating students' success in the classroom, workplace, and community, that have left a lasting impact on the lives of our students. Each of these moments has contributed to our shared sense of accomplishment, growth, and numerous rewarding experiences.

I will be taking the next term off as Principal of Eastern Goldfields Education Support Centre to work at the Goldfields Education Regional Office. My focus will be on research and planning for all schools in the Goldfields-Esperance region, in the area of disability provisions. Although I won't be on-site daily, please know that I remain committed to our school community. I will be regularly visiting the staff and students, ensuring continuity and support during my absence.

During my time away, Daniel McNaughton will step in as the Acting Principal, and Corrine Taurima will serve as the Acting Deputy Principal. I have every confidence in their leadership abilities and know they will continue to guide our school with dedication and care.

I would like to extend a heartfelt farewell to Jodie Camp, Steve Kingswood and his wonderful support dog, Zuri. Your contributions to our school community have been invaluable, and you will all be greatly missed. Additionally, we bid goodbye to Sarah Carlton, who will be on leave for Terms 2 and 3. We wish her all the best during her time away.

On a brighter note, I am thrilled to welcome Courtney Edwards, Jessie Ransley, and Aileen Scerri to our team. They will be joining us and filling in for the upcoming terms, bringing fresh perspectives and energy to our school.

Attached to this newsletter, you will find an updated contact list reflecting these changes. Additionally, you will also find the Term Planner for Term 2, outlining the exciting activities and events we have planned.

As we head into the Easter break, I want to wish everyone a safe, enjoyable, and restful holiday. Thank you for your ongoing support and collaboration. Here's to an exciting and successful Term Two ahead!

Mary-Ellen Pilason, Principal

IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	EVENT
27 March	Good Standing Activity – Disco & Snacks
28 March	Last day Term 1
29 March	Good Friday
1 April	Easter Monday
15 April	Students Return Term 2
25 April	Anzac Day Public Holiday

CONTACT US

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Office Hours - 8am to 4pm

EGESC Contact Information Term 2, 2024

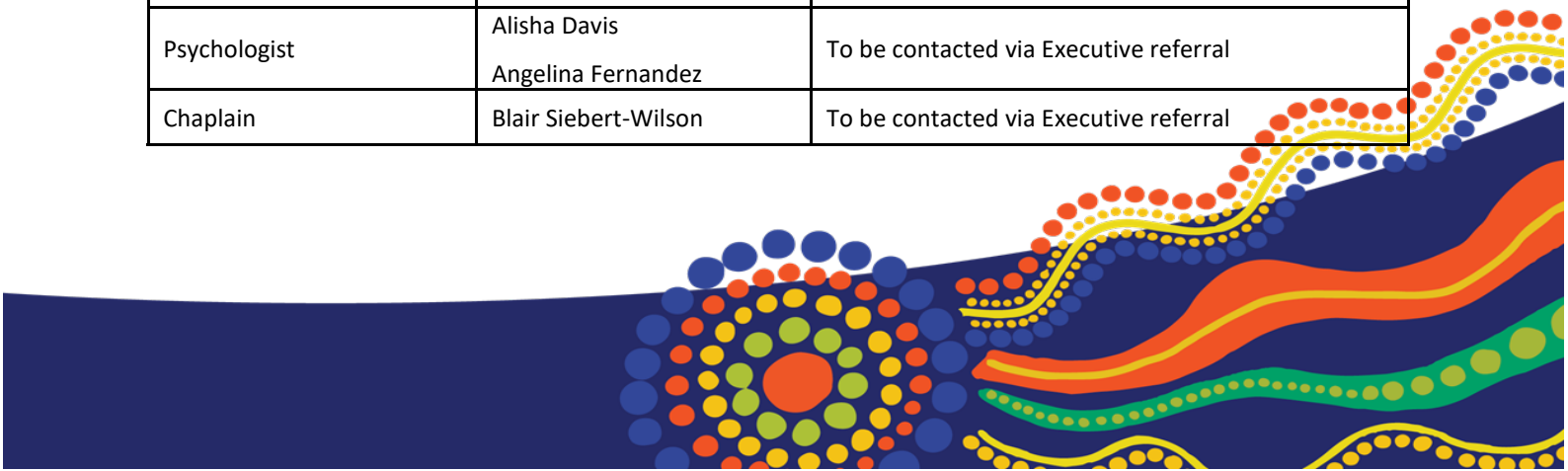
To assist you in reaching the right person for your enquiries please find the updated contacts list for families.

- Day-to-day matters regarding your child's education and well-being—Classroom Teachers
- Workplace Learning—Rosana Dos-Santos or Denise Waterman
- School-related enquiries, general questions, administrative matters, or appointments—Jess Thompson.
- General questions, administrative matters, or appointments related to Senior Campus—Denise Waterman.

Additionally, our executive team is readily available should you require any additional assistance or information. We are here to support you and ensure that your experience with our school is positive and productive.

Class	Teacher	Teacher Email	Education Assistants
ES 1	Rebecca Atha	rebecca.atha@education.wa.edu.au	Courtney Edwards Cherie Harris Nicole Rumble
ES 2	Rebekah Normington Melissa Mortley (Th)	Rebekah.Normington@education.wa.edu.au	Nea Prisk Aileen Scerri
ES 3	Julia Allen	julia.allen@education.wa.edu.au	Nicky Pretorius Tammy Briggs
ES 4	Leechelle Hammat	leechelle.hammat@education.wa.edu.au	Raelene Edwards Jessy Ransley
ES 5	Megan O'Brien	megan.obrien@education.wa.edu.au	Rachel Griffiths Martha Simbina
ES 6	Corrine Taurima Isabel Passarelli	corrine.taurima-isaako@education.wa.edu.au isabel.passarelli@education.wa.edu.au	Roslyn Tela/ Calein Herrod Nancy Hu

Role	Staff Name	Staff Contact
Absentees Mobile 0437 050 441		
Middle School Admin 9092 0000	Jess Thompson	jessica.thompson3@education.wa.edu.au
Senior School Admin 9092 3110	Denise Waterman	denise.waterman@education.wa.edu.au
Acting Principal	Daniel McNaughton	daniel.mcnaughton@education.wa.edu.au
Acting Deputy Principal	Corrine Taurima- Isaako	corrine.taurima-isaako@education.wa.edu.au
Senior Leader	Corrine Taurima- Isaako	corrine.taurima-isaako@education.wa.edu.au
Workplace Learning Co-ordinator	Rosana Dos-Santos	rosana.dafonsecadossantos@education.wa.edu.au
Specialist Teacher Home Economics	Isabel Passarelli	isabel.passarelli@education.wa.edu.au
Psychologist	Alisha Davis Angelina Fernandez	To be contacted via Executive referral
Chaplain	Blair Siebert-Wilson	To be contacted via Executive referral



HIGHLIGHTS

Harmony Day Celebrations 2024



We had a busy week wearing orange , blue, purple and odd socks as we celebrated and bought awareness to Harmony day, World Down Syndrome day, Autism and Epilepsy awareness day. We enjoyed sharing lunch from different cultures and participating in various activities together.

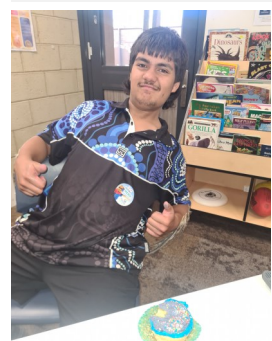
We value the support from staff, students and families who help make these days a success.

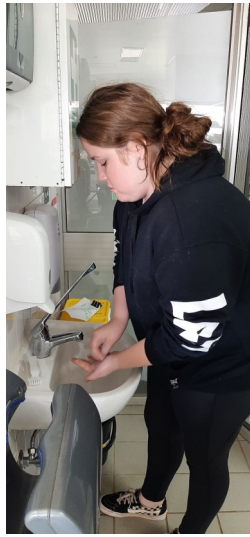


Epilepsy and Autism Awareness day



Year 12 Transition Community Tour Part 1





Year 12 students spend very little time in the classroom. As they are preparing for life beyond Year 12 we attend TAFE and Work Place Learning. We have so many up and coming careers in development. Community service support workers, property care, cooks becoming chefs, creative artists learning to be hairdressers and early childhood teachers in training. We work in our garden and are eager to work with Mr Jason Dimer on new murals.

We are excited to kick our Precious Plastics Workshop **up a gear** and are seeking **donations of plastic lids** that we will recycle into bowls, combs and other creative products. Drop your lids off to EGESC today!



2024 Term Dates:

Term 2: April 15 to June 06 Term 3: July 15 to Sep 20

Term 4: Oct 7 to Dec 12

Community



EASTER WEEKEND FUN

SAT 30TH MAR TILL MON 1 APR 2024 10AM-3PM

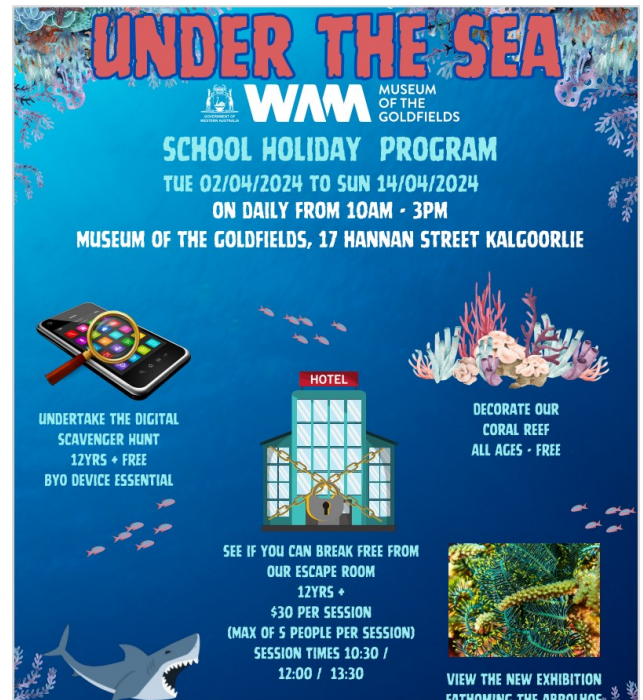
MUSEUM OF THE GOLDFIELDS
17 HANNAN STREET, KALGOORLIE

FREE

We're doing Easter a little differently this year. Join our Easter trail each day of the Easter Long weekend!

Embark on an adventure like no other, discovering the diverse ways Easter is celebrated worldwide.

Finish the trail to receive a small bag of chocolate eggs!
(while stocks last)



UNDER THE SEA

MUSEUM OF THE GOLDFIELDS

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

TUE 02/04/2024 TO SUN 14/04/2024
ON DAILY FROM 10AM - 3PM

MUSEUM OF THE GOLDFIELDS, 17 HANNAN STREET KALGOORLIE

UNDERTAKE THE DIGITAL SCAVENGER HUNT
12YRS + FREE
BYO DEVICE ESSENTIAL

DECORATE OUR CORAL REEF
ALL AGES - FREE

SEE IF YOU CAN BREAK FREE FROM OUR ESCAPE ROOM
12YRS +
\$30 PER SESSION
(MAX OF 5 PEOPLE PER SESSION)
SESSION TIMES 10:30 / 12:00 / 13:30

VIEW THE NEW EXHIBITION
EXAMINING THE ABOLISH

Good Standing and Attendance

Notification of absence is a school and department requirement and also information informs one of the **Pillars of GOOD STANDING** 1. Regular ATTENDANCE 2. Wearing UNIFORM with pride 3. Being kind and RESPECTFUL and 4. Always trying in LEARNING. Either email to easterngoldfields.esc@education.wa.edu.au, call 9092 0000 or text 0437 050 441 with a REASON and DATES your child's absent from school.

Keep updated on school events and information by visiting our school website easterngoldfieldsesc.wa.edu.au and Facebook page

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