

# JAMES COOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

## MODULE 3 NEWSLETTER

### TERM 3 2019



July 2019

Dear Parents,

We welcome all students back to another busy term in Module3.

#### **INQUIRY LEARNING**

Inquiry Learning for Term 3 is based on design and technology. The children will undertake a project where they will need to create a marble run. This will develop their critical thinking skills, knowledge and understanding of force and motion. The students will research and design a marble run and present the project to the class at the conclusion of the unit.

#### **SCHOOL MUSICAL**

This year our Musical is called 'Once Upon a.....Where?' We will be conducting rehearsals each week until the performance on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September. Dance lessons will take place with Lauryn Jordan again this year as well as rehearsals during Music lessons and in the classrooms. The Musical is a large part of the term three curriculum and we are looking forward to seeing the growth in confidence, teamwork and performance skills that come with this event. We hope to see you all at the performance to celebrate all the children's hard work.



#### **HOMEWORK PROGRAM**

Students will continue to receive Homework on Monday (starting in week 2) and are expected to have this completed and returned by Friday each week. They are asked to complete personal reading on at least three nights per week.

#### **PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE**

The Premier's Reading Challenge will continue this term. Students need to read 15 Challenge books that are available from the library. Students who complete the Challenge will receive a certificate of achievement signed by the Victorian Premier. The Premier's Reading Challenge will end on 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.

#### **SCHOOL DISCO**

The annual Disco will be held on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August. The Year 5/6 School leaders have been busily organising activities which promises to be a fun-filled evening for all students.



#### **SEMESTER 2 ANTICIPATED COSTS TO PARENTS**

To assist families with budgeting for school costs, these are the events planned for the remainder of 2019 for students in Years 3 and 4:

Musical Levy	\$16
District Athletics (some students)	\$12 (approximate)
Term 4 Swimming	\$90

#### **The Module 3 Team:**

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