



Heatherhill Highlights

HEATHERHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday 19th December,

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents/Guardians,

YEAR SIX GRADUATION

On Tuesday, December 16, the year six students graduated from primary school. The students confidently shared their experiences, the friendships they forged, and the memories they carry from their time at Heatherhill Primary School with their family, friends, and special guests. We wish all our students the best for a bright future. Shine like the star you are!

We extend our thanks to our distinguished guest, the Honourable Eden Foster, for joining the Heatherhill Primary School community and presenting an award to Victoria. Ms Harris presented Noah with the Clare O'Neil award, which he received at a formal ceremony last week.

We also want to thank Ms Lap and Mrs Kristoffersen, as well as Ms Zhu, for their efforts in preparing the students and organising the celebration. A special thanks to the staff members who attended and assisted both the teachers and students.

We appreciate the families' trust in us with their children's education. To those families who are leaving us, we wish you all the best in your future endeavours.

2026 CAPTAINS

SCHOOL CAPTAINS	Joanee Pickering Ali Keifer
VICE CAPTAINS	Davita Ung Gohar Khattak
HOUSE CAPTAINS	Nikunsh Goyal Sufang Heng
VICE CAPTAINS	Elina Le Christian Gramaglia
HOUSE CAPTAINS	Sally Nguyen
VICE CAPTAINS	Fateh Singh Anshaa Aziz Evie Dinos
HOUSE CAPTAINS	Kanwar Singh Mia Tran Jennifer Seng
VICE CAPTAINS	Pauline Hom
HOUSE CAPTAINS	Liam Tran Krystal Mose
VICE CAPTAINS	Emily Nhian Richie Sorn

STAFF 2026

In 2025, we bid farewell to Mr Stephen Zeitlhofer and Mrs Jane Gunstone, appreciating their contributions and wishing them every success for the future. A big thank you to Julie Christine and Helen Bourke for teaching MSC and MSA in term four.

CLASSES	TEACHERS
JSA	Tiffany Ngov
JSB	Phani Cherukumilli
JSC	Sara Yang
JSD	Natalie Sullivan
MSA	Andrew Lyon
MSB	Ben Keen
MSC	Antoinette Boot
SSA	Krystina Kristoffersen
SSB	Zoe Zhu
SSC	Travis Hay
Visual Arts	Sonia Mazzeo
Italian	Maria Zaban
PE	Jason Cech
STEM	Su-Phin Teh & Emily Choo
Classroom support	Debra Kingstone
Literacy and numeracy support	Jasmine Roth Su-Phin Teh Emily Choo
Educational support staff	Sheryl Thomas Lillian Dang Ratna Kampli Genevieve Boribon Jonathan Carmody Vicky Wang Lia Tiara
Speech Pathologist	Chiara Prabhu
Occupational Therapist	Helena Ng
Office Administration	Business Manager – Cindy Zhou Enrolment Officer – Jan Xydias Front of House – Jan Xydias Executive Assistant – Louise McLelland

Heatherhill Primary School wishes everyone a safe and happy festive season. Students will return on Wednesday, January 29.

Amanda McLean

The 2025 Middle School Arty Italian Club

During this semester, as part of an extension program, the students in 'The 2025 Middle School Arty Italian Club' have been rehearsing the Italian song 'Andiamo in Italia!' (Let's Go to Italy!) for a video clip production.

The students in this club are Darren, Alyssa, Tara, Nina, Fateh, Alaney, Raz, Kimhun and Gifta. These talented and dedicated performers have been meeting with Ms Zaban during their lunch breaks on Mondays, to learn the song and the dance movements. In 2026, the video clip will be shared with the Heatherhill Primary School community during the Italian class lessons and at an assembly presentation.

The song is about a group of friends who visit Italy for a holiday. The friends visit several famous and historical Italian tourist attractions. These attractions include Rome's Colosseum, Venice the Floating City, The Leaning Tower of Pisa and Sicily's active Mount Etna volcano.



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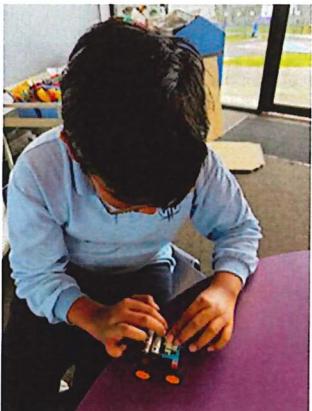
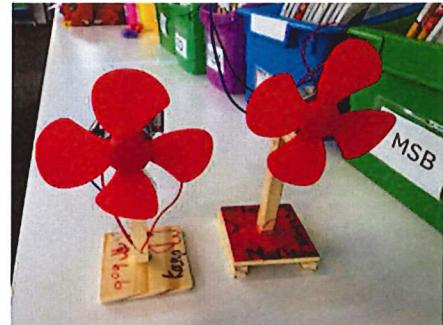
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STEM Club

Throughout the year, students from Years 3 to 6 came together weekly in the STEM Club to explore hands-on projects, including building solar-powered fans and cars, coding animal adaptations, and designing 3D keychains. In every activity, students applied their collaboration and problem-solving skills to plan, test, and refine their creations. Their enthusiasm and pride in their work were inspiring, and it was particularly exciting to see so many girls actively participating and thriving in STEM activities.



IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 19th December 2025	Last Day of School for 2025 School finishes at 1.30pm
Thursday 29th January 2026	First Day of School Term 1 2026



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SUMMER RAFFLE WINNERS

Dave JSB
Pauline MSA
Gifta MSB

Sukhmani SSB
Nikunsh SSC
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INDOOR SPORTS SPRINGVALE

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM age 5-12

8:00-4:30

APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

- Multi-sports (soccer, cricket, tennis, dodgeball, basketball...)
- Inflatables
- Bumper cars
- Arts n' Crafts
- Face painting
- Science
- Laser tag
- Bubble soccer
- Nerf

oshc OUTDOOR SCHOOL HOLIDAY CARE

AFTER SCHOOL CARE 3:30-6:30

- Multi-sports (soccer, badminton, tennis, dodgeball, basketball, pickleball, golf...)
- Science
- Arts n' Crafts
- Tutoring
- Mini-games
- Sports Training
- Homework Assistance

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AWARDS

Congratulations to the children who have received Awards

Perseverance

Alyssa H	MSC
Alysha K	JSD
Ezekiel L	JSC

Getting Along

Faithya M	SSA
Charles W	SSB
Charles S	SSA
Lisa B	MSC

Organisation

Mia T	SSC
Davita U	SSC

Confidence

Halima Y	JSA
Angeline H	MSA
Vioneta D	MSC

Resilience

Gursahib J	SSB
Tara N	MSC

Respect

Kayla N	JSC
Mega J	SSB

Doing Your Best

Oscar P	JSB
Stefan H	JSC
Syazwan M	JSC
Aiden V	JSC
Vankiesha K	SSC
Reinjella P	SSC
Yusuf U	SSA
Liam T	SSA
Rovella R	SSA
Aaron S	SSA
Jebediah I	SSA
Henry V	SSA

Trust

Koko H	MSB
Irsyad I	SSC