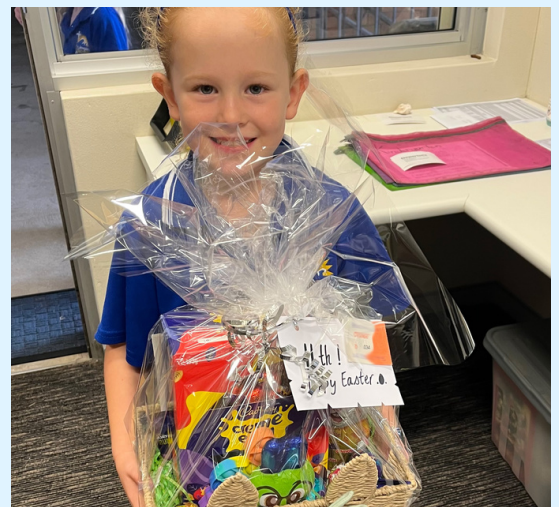


# ST JOSEPH'S NEWS



## This Week at Joeys

Can you believe it's the end of Term 1? I hope you all have a lovely break and stay safe and healthy.

The Easter Raffle was drawn yesterday and everyone was thrilled to take part! Thanks to Year 4 Mums Sal & Shea for their organisation and our generous sponsors! Check out the pics of the winners.

An update on Kerrie Andrews: She is recovering well and has even reported she is getting bored! She'll join us again in Term 2.

*Virginia O'Connell*

Principal

## Religious Education: Holy Week

CCD Broken Bay has a wonderful resource for families to use over Easter. This booklet is full of craft, baking, music and articles that can be used over the whole season. In a special way the activities in this booklet will bring the true meaning of Easter into your home.

You can also find out Mass times for our Parish here.



# Recent News



## Congrats Isaac!

Congratulations to Issac C from Year 6 on his selection to the Polding touch team to play in the NSW all schools tournament.

We are so proud of your hard work!

## Upcoming Key Dates

### TERM 2

Tues 26th - First day of Term 2 (students return)

- Mrs Outred will be on long service leave for the first 2 weeks. Mrs Paul will be acting Principal.

- Maeve, our school hygienist, will continue her role keeping our school clean!

### MAY -

May 4th - Northern Beaches Cross Country carnival (for those who qualified)

May 5th - Mother's Day breakfast in the hall and playground, followed by Mass in the church at 9.30am.

More details to come

## Our All-Season Uniform!

The new uniform is for all seasons, no changeover is required - just layer up as the weather gets colder!

Check out our gorgeous Kindy student Amelia in the new girls style shirt! It's now ready to order.



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# Things to Know



**Mufti Day –  
Fri April 8**

It's Mufti Day tomorrow! Year 6 are fundraising so everyone gets the chance to wear relaxed clothes. Please donate a gold coin via QKR only. Thank you!

## Nationally Consistent Collection of Data

What is The Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD)? It takes place every year and the Catholic Schools Broken Bay have asked for this information to be shared with our school community. [Here is a factsheet for the NCCD](#), which applies to school students with a disability.

## Are you our next Canteen Helper?



We hope so! We're desperately looking for Canteen volunteers!

- It only takes a few hours (not the entire day)
- You're not on your own - you'll have someone to help you
- You don't need to be able to cook!
- We welcome Mums, Dads, Grandparents and friends too!

[Find out what dates are available and how to sign up](#) or email Nicole:

[nicolegleadow@gmail.com](mailto:nicolegleadow@gmail.com)

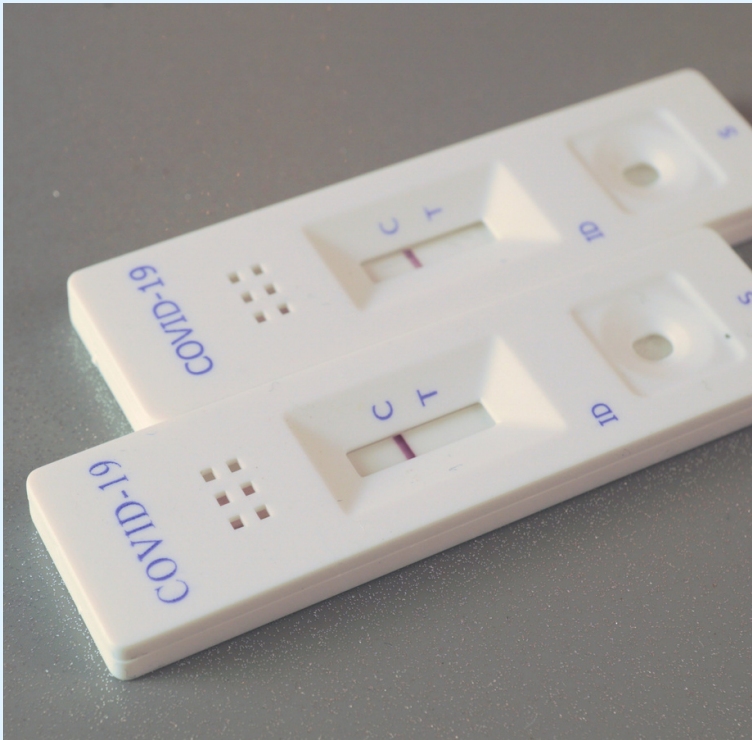
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# COVID-19 Info



## The Latest on RATs

Schools will now align with the community and do 'symptomatic testing'.

Students and staff can use their previously supplied allocation of RATs at their discretion, such as if they are experiencing COVID-19 symptoms.

If a student has even mild COVID-19 symptoms, they must get tested with a RAT or PCR (nose and throat swab) test.

They must isolate until they receive a negative test result, in line with health protocols.

## Learning at Home

If your child has to stay at home as a close contact you can access the NESA digital learning modules appropriate to their grade for 'self paced learning' at home. Your child's teacher will be in contact with you via email if this is the case. [More info can be found here.](#)

## COVID Advice

The NSW Government has specific advice for families with children at school. This is consistently being updated. [Find out more.](#)