



Term 2 Week 2

Welcome back Everyone!

ANZAC Day

Thank you to all those students who participated in the ANZAC Day march and commemorative service Tuesday last week. Our students represented HCS well with pride and dignity. An extra special thank you to all students who spoke or played with the band and to Mrs Bartholomew and Ms Cowled for their organisation.

Staffing Changes

Late last term and this term have seen a few necessary staff changes due to staff taking extended leave.

- Katie Maher is on leave until the end of the year and her classes are being covered by current staff.
- Jim Laurich is on leave for Term 2 and part of Term 3. Mrs Malone has returned to HCS to cover Mr Laurich's classes.
- Rebecca Fitzgerald is on leave until the end of Term 3, with Rebecca Taylor covering her role in the library.
- While Ayisha Johnson is on maternity leave Year 3 will have Mrs Julie Storrier on a Thursday & Friday

- Bodene Colas has just moved to Hillston and joined our teaching staff. With the current teacher shortage crisis, we are very lucky to have all these leave positions filled by such wonderful staff.

Extra Curricular Opportunities

This week some of our Stage 5 secondary students have the chance to participate in a Trade Readiness Program. Thank you to Mrs Waters for the organisation of what is a golden opportunity for our students to gain important skills needed for the work place.

Towards the end of this week we also have 6 students participating in Sydney at a state level for swimming: Jordan, Natasha, Noah, Jessie and Lachlan. We wish them all a personal best time in the pool.

Don't forget our Athletics Carnival Friday next week, the 12th May. So far this year it is one carnival win each for our Sporting Houses, I think it is all going to come down participation points this time round.

See you all at the carnival

Ms Ryan

Mark, Andrew, Amrutha and Mia participating in the Trade Readiness Program

Upcoming Dates

May 3—May 5
CHS Swimming Carnival
Homebush

May 9th
P & C Meeting

May 10– 11
Mothers Day Stall
Lunch Time

May 12th
Whole School Athletics
Carnival

May 15—May 19
ACMF Visit



Hillston Central School acknowledges the Wiradjuri people who are the traditional custodians of the lands on which our school is located. We pay our respects to Elders, past, present, and emerging. We extend our respects to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island students enrolled in our school. Hillston Central School is committed to honouring Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' unique cultural and spiritual relationships to the land, waters and seas.

Hillston Central School Student use of Digital Devices

Phone Free School for students K-12

As of Term 1 2023 handheld technologies ie mobile phones & watches must not be used by Hillston Central School students while on school grounds. For the purpose of this policy, a mobile phone is a device with access to a cellular (telecommunication) system, with or without a physical connection to a network.

HCS acknowledges that parents may wish students to be in possession of mobile phones for reasons relating to their safety when travelling to and from school or for medical reasons.

Students who choose to bring mobile phones to school must have them switched off and securely stored during school hours. The school has lockers available for hire for students in these situations. The student must take full responsibility for their devices. The school or staff will not be responsible for their loss, theft or damage. Students who bring them to school do so at their own risk.

Exceptions

- students with a health condition documented in the Student Health Support Plan. managing students offsite, this is at the discretion of the excursion coordinating teacher.

Breaches of this policy:

If a student interacts with a device or staff observe a device being used during school time:

1st offence = device handed in to office, collect at home time and student up a Level in our behaviour system.

2nd offence = hand in to office and parent contacted for a meeting with Executive to collect device and student up a Level in our behaviour system.

Persistent misuse of devices in school may result in further consequences for students such as revoking the privilege of bringing digital devices onto school property or other appropriate measure as determined by the Executive in line with the school's discipline policy.

Other disciplinary action will be taken in cases where students have bullied, threatened or harassed other students or staff via a digital device or where the device has been used to take photographs or display inappropriate material. In cases where it is confirmed or reasonably suspected that a criminal offence has taken place, the matter will be handed over to the police.

Parent Responsibility

If a parent or caregiver needs to contact a student at school as a result of an emergency, they are required to call the school's main office on (02) 6967 2277 and a message will be sent immediately to the student. If a student needs to make emergency contact with anyone they are to do so through the school's main office.

SCHOOL NEWS



POSITIVE REWARD SYSTEM



Or 1 x
PRINCIPAL ASSEMBLY
Term Winner



3 x



3 x



Includes \$20 VOUCHER

2 x



3 x



Includes \$50 VOUCHER

STAGE 6

ONLY

6 x



Includes \$20 VOUCHER

SCHOOL NEWS

UNIFORM – WINTER YEARS K-6

Hillston Central School School Uniform

PRIMARY BOYS



WINTER
Term 2 and Term 3



Unisex Long/Short Sleeved Sky Blue Polo or
Sky Blue Long/Short Sleeved button-up Shirt
- Lowes



Navy Blocker Pants
worn with Sky Blue
long sleeved Polo or
Sky Blue long sleeved
button-up shirt
- Lowes



Boys
White Socks



HATS - Cap, Bucket / Wide Brim / Flat Brim
- Available At HCS Office



ALL BLACK SCHOOL SHOE
All Black boots, Black Lace up or Velcro
tab black shoes



Unisex Navy Softshell Jacket
- Lowes

PRIMARY GIRLS



WINTER
Term 2 and Term 3



Winter Pinafore
or
Navy Pants
option



Unisex Long/Short Sleeved Sky Blue Polo or
Sky Blue Long/Short Sleeved button-up Shirt
- Lowes



Girls
White Socks OR
Navy Tights



HATS - Cap, Bucket / Wide Brim / Flat Brim
- Available At HCS Office



ALL BLACK SCHOOL SHOE
All Black boots, Black Lace up or Velcro
tab black shoes



Unisex Zip Front Fleece
Pullover - Lowes

SCHOOL NEWS

UNIFORM – WINTER YEARS 7-12

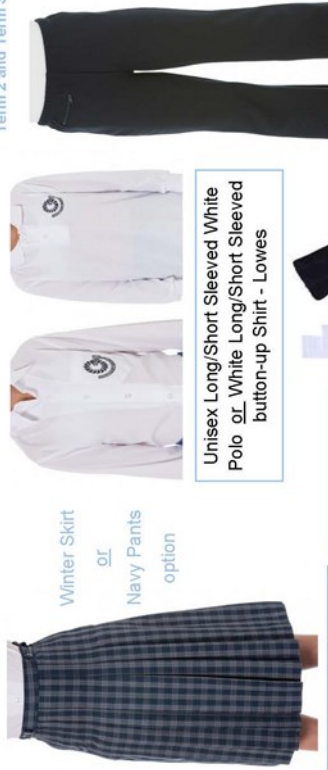
Hillston Central School School Uniform

SECONDARY GIRLS



WINTER

Term 2 and Term 3



Winter Skirt
or
Navy Pants
option

Unisex Long/Short Sleeved White
Polo or White Long/Short Sleeved
button-up Shirt - Lowes



Girls
White Socks OR
Navy Tights

Winter Long Tartan Skirt
- Lowes

Girls Navy Dress
Pants worn with White
long sleeved Polo or
White long sleeved
button-up shirt
- Lowes



ALL BLACK SCHOOL SHOE
All Black boots, Black Lace up or Velcro
tab black shoes



HATS - Cap, Bucket / Wide Brim / Flat Brim
- Available At HCS Office



Unisex Navy Softshell Jacket
- Lowes



Unisex Woollen Pullover
- Lowes



Unisex Zip Front Fleecy
Pullover - Lowes

Hillston Central School School Uniform

SECONDARY BOYS



WINTER

Term 2 and Term 3



Unisex Long/Short Sleeved White Polo or
White Long/Short Sleeved button-up Shirt
- Lowes

Navy Blocker Pants
- Lowes

Navy College Dress Pants
- Lowes



ALL BLACK SCHOOL SHOE
All Black boots, Black Lace up or Velcro
tab black shoes



Boys
White Socks



HATS - Cap, Bucket /Wide Brim/ Flat Brim
- Available At HCS Office



Unisex Navy Softshell Jacket
- Lowes



Unisex Woollen Pullover
- Lowes



Unisex Zip Front Fleecy
Pullover - Lowes

UPDATED CANTEEN PRICE LIST



Salad Tubs

e GARDEN SALAD	\$5.00
salad leaves, carrot, cucumber, cheese, tomato	
e ADD HAM/ FRESH CHICKEN /TUNA	\$6.50
e ROAST PUMPKIN SALAD	\$5.00
salad leaves, pumpkin, cucumber, onion	
e GREEK SALAD	\$6.00
salad leaves, tomato, cucumber, onion, olives	
ADD FETTA	\$6.50
e SC CHICKEN GARDEN SALAD	\$7.50
sweet chilli tenders, salad leaves, carrot, cucumber, cheese, tomato	

Sandwiches, Wraps Rolls

All sandwiches on grain bread unless you specified.

Gluten Free bread available,

Other filling options available on request.

e SALAD SANDWICH (NO MEAT)	\$3.50
e SALAD ROLL (NO MEAT)	\$4.50
e SALAD WRAP (NO MEAT)	\$4.00
e HAM SALAD SANDWICH	\$4.50
e HAM SALAD ROLL	\$5.50
e HAM SALAD WRAP	\$5.00
e CHICKEN (FRESH) SALAD SANDWICH	\$4.50
e CHICKEN (FRESH) SALAD ROLL	\$5.50
e CHICKEN (FRESH) SALAD WRAP	\$5.00
e SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN WRAP	SMALL \$4.50 LARGE \$7.00
e HAM & CHEESE SANDWICH	\$3.00
e HAM & CHEESE ROLL	\$4.00
e HAM & CHEESE WRAP	\$3.50
e HAM, CHEESE, TOMATO SANDWICH	\$3.00
e HAM, CHEESE, TOMATO ROLL	\$4.00
e HAM, CHEESE, TOMATO WRAP	\$3.50
e CHEESE, TOMATO SANDWICH	\$3.00
e CHEESE, TOMATO ROLL	\$4.00
e CHEESE, TOMATO WRAP	\$3.50
e CHEESE SANDWICH	\$2.00
e CHEESE ROLL	\$3.00
e CHEESE WRAP	\$2.50
e VEGEMITE SANDWICH	\$2.00
e JAM SANDWICH	\$2.00
e TUNA & SALAD SANDWICH	\$4.50
e TUNA & SALAD ROLL	\$5.00
e TUNA & SALAD WRAP	\$4.00

e EVERY DAY CHOICE
o OCCASIONAL CHOICE

UPDATED CANTEEN PRICE LIST



Toasties - Sandwiches

e HAM,CHEESE, TOMATO TOASTIE	\$4.50
e HAM & CHEESE TOASTIE	\$4.00
e CHEESE TOASTIE	\$3.00

Toasties - Turkish Bread

e #1 HAM,CHEESE ON TURKISH	\$5.50
e #2 CHICKEN,ROCKET,C.G CAPSICUM,AIOLI	\$7.00
e #3 HAM, CHEESE, SEMI DRIED TOMATOES	\$6.50
e #4 CHICKEN,CHEESE, MAYO, ONION	\$7.00
e #5 TURKEY,CRANBERRY,ROCKET,CHEESE	\$7.00

Burgers / Hot Foods

e BEEFBURGER	\$6.00
homemade beef pattie,lettuce,cheese,tomato,beetroot, sauce	
O CHICKEN BURGER	\$8.00
schnitzel breast,lettuce,cheese,mayo	
O CHICKEN & BACON BURGER as above add bacon	\$10.00
e VEGGIE BURGER	\$5.00
veggie pattie,lettuce,cheese,tomato,BBQ sauce	
e CHICKEN & GRAVY ROLL	\$4.50
O SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN TENDER	\$1.50
O CHICKEN CRACKLES (6)	\$3.60
O PIZZA SINGLE Cheese & Ham or Hawaiian	\$3.00
O SWEET POTATO WEDGES	\$4.00
O PIE LITE'N UP	175 GRAMS \$5.00
O SAUSAGE ROLL LITE'N UP	120 GRAMS \$3.80
O VEGETABLE PASTIE	165 GRAMS \$4.60
O TOMATO SAUCE	30 CENTS
O SPINACH & RICOTTA ROLL	140 GRAMS \$4.00
O NOODLE CUP Chicken or Beef	\$3.00

e MINI VEGEMITE ROLL (SMALL)	60 CENTS
O HOT BREAD (CHEESE & BACON)	\$1.80
e ASSORTED SEASONAL FRUIT	FROM 60 CENTS
O HEALTHY FRUIT MUFFIN	\$1.50
e SNACK PACK	\$3.00
e POPCORN HOMEMADE	80 CENTS
e FRUIT SALAD	SMALL \$2.00 LG \$4.00
e ADD YOGHURT	SMALL \$2.50 LG \$4.50
e ADD YOGHURT & MUESLI	SMALL \$3.00 LG \$5.00
e RAISIN TOAST 1 SLICE	60 CENTS
O GRAINWAVES 28 GRAMS	\$1.60
O CHIPS 28 GRAMS	\$1.60

Snack Foods

	rice crackers,carrot,celery, sweet chilli philly
	80 CENTS
	SMALL \$2.00 LG \$4.00
	SMALL \$2.50 LG \$4.50
	SMALL \$3.00 LG \$5.00
	60 CENTS
	\$1.60 Sour Cream & Chives
	\$1.60 Plain

Cold Drinks / Icy Poles

e JUICE POP TOP 100% JUICE 250 ML	\$2.20	orange, apple, apple & blackcurrant
e MILK - PLAIN 300 ML	\$2.00	
e MILK - FLAVOURED 98.5% Fat Free 300ML	\$3.00	chocolate or strawberry
e CHILL J 100% Sparkling Fruit Juice 250ml	\$2.40	grape,raspberry,watermelon,orange
e UP N GO LIQUID BREAKFAST	\$3.50	
e WATER 600 ML	\$2.00	
e BERRI FRUIT JUICE QUELCH / TNT ICY POLE	60 CENTS	

SCHOOL NEWS

Primary Dismissal Time

Primary School finishes at 2:50pm, please pick up children promptly from Moore St. Students who do not travel by bus are required to leave school grounds at 2:50pm. If for any reason you require your child to stay behind until 3:25pm, please contact the Front Office.

If your child travels by bus to and from school they will remain on Slab (play area near basketball courts and sandpit area closest to Moore St.) for supervised play until the bus collects them at 3:25pm.



School Bus

School buses collect HCS students from Moore St at about 3:25 each afternoon.



Please note that if your child is going to be taking a different bus to their usual route, they must have a letter from you for the driver. Bus drivers will not allow children onto different routes without a parent/carer letter. This also applies if your child does not usually take the bus and is going home on the bus with a friend.

Students should be aware of and comply with bus rules.

Parents are encouraged to communicate directly with your bus driver or the company with any concerns about bus travel.

SCHOOL HOURS

Primary: 8:55am-2:50pm

Secondary: 8:55am-3:25pm

Students are welcome onsite following the morning bell at 8:30am.



School Hats

School hats are available from our Front Office for \$20 each. We have a variety of styles and sizes including bucket, wide-brim, caps and flat brim.



Absences and Attendances

In New South Wales, 'compulsory school-age' means that all children from six years of age are legally required to be enrolled at and attending school until they complete Year 10, and until they turn 17 years of age.

Parents or carers are responsible for making sure that their children comply with these legal requirements. Schools support parents by monitoring student attendance and helping to address attendance issues when they emerge.

Regular attendance at school is essential to assist students to maximise their potential. Should your child be absent from school, please ensure a note is sent with your child to their class teacher (Primary), Year Advisor (Secondary) or front office on return to school, giving reason for absence. Alternatively, you can call the front office at the school to explain the absence or submit a notification on the Skoolbag app or the Sentral Portal. If your child is away for a few days you should try to bring a Doctor's Certificate.

If your child is to be absent for 4 days or more please see the office to obtain an "Application for Exemption" form prior to your departure date. If the absence is for 3 weeks or more parent/guardians must have an interview with the Principal. Parents/Guardian must complete the appropriate forms from the Department of Education and provide a letter explaining the reason for absence.

Arriving Late or Leaving Early – If arriving late students must present at the office. Students are not permitted to leave the school grounds during school hours without written permission or they are collected from the front office by their parents/carer. On the rare occasion that leaving early is necessary, a note signed by a parent/carer indicating reason for early departure should be handed in to the office by 9am.

Administration Office hours: 8.30am – 3.30pm Monday – Friday.

AEROSOLS

A reminder that aerosol sprays including deodorant and insect repellents are not permitted at our school.



SCHOOL NEWS

NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight
M T W T F
M T W T F

=

4 weeks



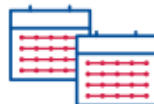
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Over **1** year missed

1 day per week
M T W T F
M T W T F

=

8 weeks



=

Over **2.5** years missed

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HEALTHYEATING
ACTIVE LIVING



Hillston Central P & C Association

CHAIRBAG SALE

RRP **\$25**

4 Year Warranty Australian Made

5 COLOURS AVAILABLE
Purple, Green, Red, Royal Blue

AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE AT THE SCHOOL CANTEEN/FRONT OFFICE

COMMUNITY NEWS

Murrumbidgee Local Health District: FREE Dental Visits HILLSTON monthly

For enquiries or to make a dental appointment call our FREE number:
1800 450 046

Monday to Friday 8:00am – 4:15pm (excluding public holidays)

How will our Dental Services help you?

FREE general and preventive dental care is available at NSW Public Dental Clinics
for:

All children under 18 years of age.

Adults who hold any of the following current Centrelink concession cards:

Pensioner Concession Card

Commonwealth Seniors Healthcare

Health Care Card

Anyone listed on your card is also eligible for free public oral health care.

All patients must be eligible for Medicare and should have a valid Medicare card.

For Medicare information call **13 32 54**.



CLEANERS WANTED

Applicants need to be available to work
Monday to Friday between the hours
5:00am-7:00pm.

- Split shifts: 5:00am-9:00am and
2:00pm-7:00pm
- Day shift available from 11:00am-3:00pm

careers@jossgroup.com.au
www.jossgroup.com.au



Nutrition Snippet

AUTUMN FRUIT AND VEG



Try these recipes

- ♦ Stewed apples and sultanas
- ♦ Zucchini and cheese arancini
- ♦ Eggplant tagine

For these recipes and more visit:

healthylunchbox.com.au



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Healthy Lunch Box