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Dear Parents / Caregivers

Welcome to Term 2! We hope you all had a safe and happy break.

In response to parent and student feedback, this term we will be trialing some changes to Stage 2 homework.

### **Spelling**

Spelling will now take place on a weekly basis. Students will receive their words on a Monday and are required to practice these for homework each day using the Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check method in their homework books. Spelling homework will be due on Friday and students will also be tested each Friday.

### **Mathematics**

Mathematics homework will continue to be provided on a Monday and is due on Friday.

### **Home Reading**

Home reading will remain the same – it is expected that all students are reading aloud at home each day. Students are required to bring their home reading book to school every day.

### **Homework Grid**

We will not be using the homework grid this term. Instead, students will be given a project that will support learning in our Geography unit. Further information will be provided in coming weeks.

Week One is a short week, Week 2 sees Year 4 students attending Brewongle Camp and Week 3 has Year 3 students completing NAPLAN assessments. Spelling and Mathematics homework will therefore commence in Week 4.

Please check with your son or daughter if they require a top up of any school supplies. The most important items are always lead pencils, an eraser, a ruler and a glue stick. Please also ensure that your child/s personal items (including clothing) are clearly labelled with their name/s. Class donations of tissues and paper towel rolls are always gratefully accepted.

We are looking forward to another successful term of engagement and learning.

Yours sincerely,

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