



Weekly Update

2026 Term 2 - This Week Week 2

Monday 27 April

- 2027 Programs of Excellence Applications OPEN (ACE, Arts, FEX, AQX)

Tuesday 28 April

- Student Performance Interviews – Secondary Campus
- Years 11 & 12 Film Excursion
- Year 11 RSA
- Junior Secondary Parade
- Sunshine Coast Futsal
- Primary Campus School Tour

Wednesday 29 April

- Sunshine Coast Futsal
- Tangalooma Excursion – International Students Only

Thursday 30 April

- Year 9 Poetry in Action (P1 & P2)
- Sunshine Coast Futsal
- Tangalooma Excursion – International Students Only
- Prep Information Session for 2027

Friday 1 May

- Parade – Primary Campus
- Tangalooma Excursion – International Students Only

Week 3

Monday 4 May

- Public Holiday – College CLOSED

Tuesday 5 May

- Senior Secondary Parade
- Year 11 - RGA

Wednesday 6 May

- Primary Campus Mother's Day Stall

Thursday 7 May

- Years 9 & 10 – Japanese Immersion Day
- Year 10 Immunisations – Round 1
- Year 10 Legal Studies Excursion
- Young Academics Program – 3.30pm (Science)
- Primary Campus Mother's Day Stall

Friday 8 May

- Parade – Primary Campus
- Year 10 NAPLAN Science Trials (Selected students only)
- First Nations Year 10 – 12 Engagement Opportunity

Saturday 9 May

- Interact Conference

Translation Service

If you or someone you know requires assistance to translate these materials, please call 1800 512 451 and ask for an interpreter.

Helpful Information

College Facebook

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Secondary Staff Contact List

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Primary Staff Contact List

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School TV Link

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This Week's Highlights

CDC Sunshine Coast School Bus Service Changes for Term 2 2026

Please be advised that there have been changes to CDC School Bus Services starting Monday 27 April. Please see the attached communication from CDC and the following link for further information. [CDC School Bus Service Changes](#).

Programs of Excellence

Our Programs of Excellence (POEs) for 2027 are now OPEN. These include:

- Academic Curriculum Extension (ACE)
- Football Excellence
- Aquatics Excellence
- ARTs Excellence (Dance or Drama)

Application forms can be found on our [website](#) or at the secondary campus office.

Student Performance Interviews (Secondary) – Tuesday 28 April

To give parents an opportunity to discuss their child's progress, we will be holding student performance interviews for Years 7 to 12 from 3.15pm to 7.00pm on Tuesday 28 April on the Secondary Campus. If you are yet to book appointments and would like to attend, please contact the main office. Student performance interviews provide an opportunity for students, parents and staff to connect and maximise learning outcomes for students.

Cambodia Service Trip – Donations Requested

In the final week of Term Two, 33 students and 9 staff will be travelling to Cambodia to volunteer within Growing Cambodia Schools. We are currently seeking donations to support the small communities we will be visiting. Items we are collecting include:

- Pencil cases filled with pencils, rubbers and colouring pencils
- Boys' and girls' underwear for young children
- Sporting equipment & Medical supplies

High School students can bring their donations to the Secondary Office at any time. Primary students may hand in donations early or wait until Donation Day Parade on Friday 5 June. Every little bit truly helps, and we thank our community for their ongoing generosity and support.

Become a Homestay Family!

Our college will be welcoming new international students (short-term stay and long-term stay) in Term 3 2026, and we are seeking homestay families. Short-term students will visit for 2 weeks. Long-term stay students range from 3 – 12 months in duration. Hosting is a wonderful experience that broadens our understanding of our global community and enriches our lives. Benefits include:

- Cultural exchange - Gaining an expanded worldview for you and your children. Learn about different cultures and traditions.
- Pride in our country - Seeing your surroundings with a fresh perspective.
- Home away from home – Creating a safe and nurturing environment for your student which provides them with security and care whilst away from their loved ones.
- Friendship & Connection - Gaining an international network of friends and lifelong friendships.
- Financial reward - Host families will receive \$382 per week per student to assist with the cost of hosting.

If you are interested in hosting, please email Cassie Hanley – International Student Homestay Coordinator InternationalStudents@kawanawaterssc.eq.edu.au or call 5436 9388.

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