



KINGSWOOD SOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOL
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Newsletter

DATE: Friday 4th April 2025
 TERM 1 WEEK 10

BELL TIMES

8:53AM - SCHOOL STARTS
 11:00AM - LUNCH
 1:25PM - RECESS
 2:45PM - SCHOOL ENDS

Our school celebrates learning every day and our mission statement is,

“A school dedicated to providing inclusive quality learning environments, and a school culture that promotes high expectation and success for all.”

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Term 1

Week 11

Monday
 -School ANZAC Ceremony

Tuesday
 -ANZAC Ceremony
 Penrith Paceway
 -Parent/Teacher Interviews

Wednesday
 -Parent/Teacher Interviews
 -School Assembly

Thursday
 -K-2 Soccer & 2/3S

Friday
 -Easter Hat Parade

Term 2

Week 1

Monday
 -Staff Development Day

Tuesday
 -Staff Development Day

Wednesday
 -Students Return to School

Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a busy Blue Week this week. Lots of fun and learning has been happening, and we finished the week with Cross Country. Next week is just as jam packed. On Monday we have our school ANZAC Ceremony, and Tuesday and Wednesday Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held here at school. Our Year 6 students are participating in the ANZAC Ceremony at the Paceway on Tuesday, and the Easter Hat Parade will be on Friday.

Our last Term 1 whole school assembly will be next Wednesday. Included in this newsletter will be the students who received awards last week, and the students who will be receiving awards at next weeks assembly. A SENTRAL notice has gone home to parents to alert you to the changes.

Beginning next term there will be two Staff Development days at the beginning of Term 2. These have been included in the Term 2 Calendar which has been placed in this newsletter.

As we approach the end of the term, we want to take a moment to celebrate the hard work and dedication our students have shown throughout the past weeks. With school holidays just around the corner, it's important to keep the momentum going! Encouraging great attendance in these final days ensures that students are fully prepared to finish strong. Let's keep our students engaged and excited about learning as we head into the break.

Thank you for your continued support in helping them make the most of their school experience and I wish you all the best for the upcoming school holidays.

Regards
 Ms Martin



ANZAC Ceremony

On Monday 7th April 2024 at 1:50pm the students of Kingswood South Public School will be participating in a ceremony to recognise and commemorate ANZAC Day.

Donations of flowers or greenery with long stems would be most appreciated as each class will be making a wreath or floral tribute. The SRC members from each class will place the flowers beneath the Australian flag during the ceremony. Any rosemary donated will be broken into small sprigs and distributed amongst staff and students to pin to their collars / lapels. At the end of the day all floral tributes will be donated to local nursing homes.

Parents and community members are welcome to attend and pay their respects. The front gate will be opened at 1:45pm to allow parents and carers entry into the school grounds for the service.



Student Attendance Congratulations

At the end of this term, we will be sending out Attendance Awards to students who have been at school for 90% and above for Term 1. This is a new initiative to congratulate our students for their continued attendance throughout the term. Congratulations to all our students as we have seen improved attendance rates across all our classes.

Easter Hat Parade

The end of term Easter Hat Parade will be held on Friday the 11th of April 2025. This will be in the morning and parents and carers are invited to attend this event. The Kingswood South P&C currently have a Krispy Kreme Donut Fundraiser which is concluding on this day.



KINGSWOOD SOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOL

P&C NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING P&C FUNDRAISERS



UPCOMING

APRIL

8th Yr 5 & 6 Anzac Service

8th—9th Parent Teacher Interviews

9th Whole School Assembly

10th K-2 & 2/3S Soccer

11th Easter Hat Parade

11th Last Day Term 1

28th Staff Development Day

29th Staff Development Day

30th First Day of Term 2

MAY

6th Mother's Day Stall

9th Mother's Day Raffle Drawn

14th Whole School Assembly

SCHOOL CANTEEN

NOW OPEN
WEDNESDAY,
THURSDAY &
FRIDAY ONLY

P&C UNIFORM SHOP

UNIFORM SHOP OPEN
TUESDAY &
THURSDAY
2:00PM—2:30PM

*Alternately you can make
An order through the office.*

P&C COMMITTEE MEMBERS
PRESIDENT: NATALIE KINGDOM
VICE PRESIDENT: LISA DEKOSTER
VICE PRESIDENT: GEMMA RHOOK
TREASURER: WHITNEY WILLCOCKS
SECRETARY: RENEE COOPER

A NOTE FROM THE P&C PRESIDENT

We had an amazing response to our Krispy Kreme Easter Fundraiser, thankyou!

All pre-orders can be collected near the 50th Anniversary Garden after the Easter Hat Parade on Friday 11th April.

Easter Raffle tickets have now been sent home and need to be returned to the school office by 3pm Thursday 10th April.

We have some great prizes so far with vouchers from Featherdale Sydney Wildlife Park, Panthers Aqua Golf, Bunnings as well as food and activity hampers.

We are accepting donations for our Easter Raffle and these can be left at the school office, thankyou for your support.

A special thankyou to Lorraine Hunt for your donations.

The raffle will be drawn on Friday 11th April at the Easter Hat Parade.

Our next P&C Meeting will be on Wednesday 7th May 2025 at 6.30pm in the school library. This is a chance to come and meet and have a chat to Parents/Carers/Staff and find out what is happening at the school and children are welcome too.

I hope to see you there!

UNIFORM UPDATE

I am excited to share with you that we have a new school bag available from the Uniform Shop and I have attached a flyer with information on price and benefits.

**The Uniform Shop will continue to be open on
Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2pm—2.30pm this year.**

Thankyou so much to all those that have donated uniform items that you no longer need, we really appreciate it.

All second hand items are free and available to collect from the Uniform Shop. A friendly reminder that all students now need to be wearing the Blue Polo Shirts.

Thankyou for your co-operation.

NEXT MEETING : WEDNESDAY 7TH MAY 2025 AT 6:30PM

National Young Leaders Day

On Tuesday, March 25th, 2025, we had an exciting trip to Sydney for the National Young Leaders Day Conference! At the conference, we discovered the importance of leadership and teamwork.

We arrived in the city early and found our seats at the International Conference Centre, joining around 80 other schools. We had a blast learning cool dance moves, meeting leaders from different schools, and even enjoying some delicious ice cream after lunch!

The main goal of the day was to develop our leadership skills. We were inspired by amazing speakers including Thomas Duncan Watt, Catherine Laga'aia, Emma McKeon, and Anthony 'Harries' Carroll. They shared many quotes and valuable advice with us. Here are some of the inspiring messages we heard:

- "Every master was once a disaster." - Thomas Duncan Watt
- "Failure isn't a bad thing; you learn from it." - Emma McKeon
- "You don't need to be the prime minister to be a leader." - Catherine Laga'aia

We learned that anyone can be a leader simply by setting a good example!

A big thank you to Ms Martin and Ms Quinlan for organising this wonderful day for us!

Thank you,
Jasmine, Nash, Isaac T, Isaac B, Olivia and Savannah.

Term 1 Events Calendar

(Please be aware that some events may be changed or added. It will be updated every newsletter.)

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11 April	7 th School ANZAC Ceremony	8 th ANZAC Ceremony Penrith Paceway Parent Teacher Interviews	9 th Whole School Assembly Parent Teacher Interviews	10 th K-2 and 2/3S Soccer	11 th Easter Hat Parade Last Day of School

Term 2 Events Calendar

(Please be aware that some events may be changed or added. It will be updated every newsletter.)

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 April/May	28 th Staff Development Day	29 th Staff Development Day	30 th Students Return	1 st	2 nd
2 May	4 th	5 th Mother's Day Stall	6 th	7 th	8 th
3 May	12 th	13 th School Photos	14 th Whole School Assembly	15 th	16 th
4 May	19 th Mobile Eyes	20 th Mobile Eyes	21 st Mobile Eyes Zone Cross Country	22 nd Mobile Eyes	23 rd

Congratulations to our Award Winners!

NEXT WEEK'S ASSEMBLY AWARDS WEEK 11

Term 1, Week 11 - K-6 Merit Awards

KP	Samuel C Luis I	KJ	Hazel P Eli M
K/10	Austin M Ariyah S	1/2B	Savannah F Nyla R
1/2C	Aksel B Harry H	2/3S	Jackson K Sanaan M
3/4H	Delilah F Kai R	3/4F	Heath W Isaiah L
4/5QR	Rafa T Anahera AN	5/6T	Tanya V Jazmin C
5/6G	Rueben P Yochan V	Buru	Liam M
Bugari	Hudson B	Wirriga	Anakin W
Mariyang	Miranda G Rory S		

Term 1, Week 11 - K-6 Maths Giant Awards

KP	Riyana P	KJ	Daisy M
K/10	Mason F	1/2B	Oscar Y
1/2C	Bentley H	2/3S	Shanav D
3/4H	Lilly A	3/4F	Hannan S
4/5QR	Ayden D	5/6T	Callan B
5/6G	Kayleah H	Buru	Parker M
Bugari	Seth G	Wirriga	Leo D
Mariyang	Mitchell N		

Term 1, Week 11 - K-6 Bronze Awards

KP	Kobe R Harrison M Jaxon K	KJ	Hudson B Afra E
K/1O	Chase B Ruby S	1/2B	Sophia B Neevan D Anna S
1/2C	Edwin K Hunter S Leo B Tevita L Vincent M	2/3S	Caitlyn M Reva K Orestes K
3/4H	Veerpratap R Isabella T Oakley W Joseph P Lochan T	3/4F	Lily G Amelia K
4/5QR	Nishchal MS Simone R Namisha D Ibrahim S Bodhi W	5/6T	Ariah K Emily F Havanah U Logan L Sophie W Brigh V
5/6G	Sofia Y Marley B Jaiden P Savannah B Elvin K Charlotte M	Buru	Melina T
Bugari	-	Wirriga	Ava G
Mariyang	Isaac T		

Term 1, Week 11 – K-6 Aussie of the Month Nominees

KP	Ariana V	KJ	Fox M
K/1O	Brooklyn W	1/2B	Zara RM
1/2C	Annie DK	2/3S	Faith H
3/4H	Paige R	3/4F	Myra C
4/5QR	Joshua K	5/6T	Deeksha P
5/6G	Noah L	Buru	-
Bugari	-	Wirriga	-
Mariyang	-		



Congratulations to our Award Winners!

LAST WEEK'S ASSEMBLY AWARDS WEEK 9

Term 1, Week 9 - K-6 Merit Awards

KP	Jaxon K Anahera TP	KJ	Xander C Reyan T
K/1O	Chase B Ebony S	1/2B	Amarly B Edward M
1/2C	Anastasia D Kansi H	2/3S	Isabel F Hunter E
3/4H	Ryan B Ellie K	3/4F	Chase F Haley L
4/5QR	Braxton O Abel R	5/6T	Lily N Jacob H
5/6G	Zachery H Mackenzie W	Buru	Oliver T
Bugari	Max H	Wirriga	Ava H
Mariyang	Mitchell N		

Term 1, Week 9 - K-6 Maths Giant Awards

KP	Luis I	KJ	Jahzaye F
K/1O	Samman R	1/2B	Connor E
1/2C	Tevita L	2/3S	Stacey CM
3/4H	Jackson G	3/4F	Jai S
4/5QR	Aariz K	5/6T	Jacob M
5/6G	Mia P	Buru	Melina T
Bugari	Hudson B	Wirriga	Anakin W
Mariyang	Isaac T		

Term 1, Week 9 – K-6 Writer of the Month Awards

KJ	Kaya M	2/3S	Charlotte M
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Term 1, Week 9 - K-6 Bronze Awards

KP	Kade RM Tilly V Ariana V	KJ	Braxton O Dominic M
K/10	Antonio G Madeline H	1/2B	King AN Slater N
1/2C	Evie S Maia R Syon G Avani D Bardan S	2/3S	Eli N Blake C Irie N Sherry S
3/4H	Chanelle D Tayler M Isabelle P Jaxton F	3/4F	Tyler L Ajay G Amelia K Roshan T
4/5QR	Zelda H Aurora R Lillian K Nellish B Dionne T	5/6T	Nalah S Christiano M Deeksha P Eloise S
5/6G	Ruby S Aleerya S Brayden H Navvya K	Buru	Leo S
Bugari	Seth G	Wirriga	Dhruva K
Mariyang	Karen W		

2025 Library Monitors

Lillian K - 4/5QR	Nalah S - 5/6T	Eloise S - 5/6T	Aleerya S - 5/6G
Keegan M - 5/6G	Drake F - Wirriga	Karen W - Mariyang	Mitchell N - Mariyang





Announcement to Schools

Our school is pleased to announce that we are now using an online lunch ordering system called Flexischools. Australia's #1 school ordering solution, Flexischools, operates in more than 1800 schools across Australia, enabling cashless ordering and payments for schools.

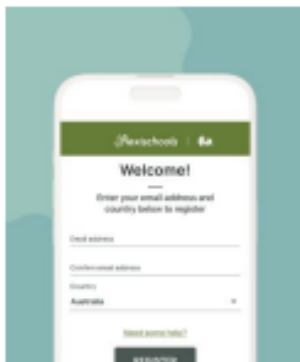
How to set up your Flexischools account

Simply [download the Flexischools App](#) from the Apple or Google stores and follow the prompts to create an account.

You can also signup through the Flexischools website flexischools.com.au

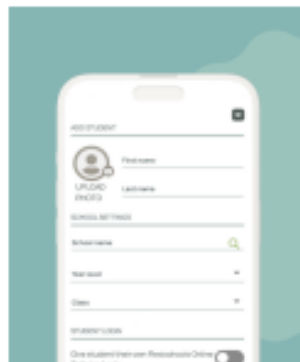


If you already have a Flexischools account you can simply add a new student to your existing account.



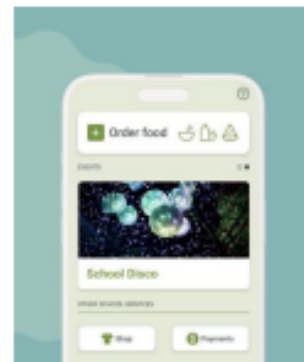
1. Download the app

The Flexischools app is the easiest way to place online lunch orders, buy school uniforms, and receive instant notifications from your school.



2. Register

- Open the Flexischools App and click 'Register'.
- Submit your email address to create an account.
- Go to your inbox and open the registration email from Flexischools.
- Click on the link and follow the registration process.



3. Log in to your Flexischools account and enter your child's details

- Select the 'Profile' icon on the navigation bar.
- Under 'Students', click 'Add new'.
- Enter your child's name, school, year level, and class.
- Click 'submit'.

How to order

- Click the 'Order Food' button at the top of the home page.
- Select which student you would like to place the order for.
- Choose which service, and date you would like to place the order for.
- Make your selections by adding items
- Click "View Order", then "Checkout & Pay"

Tip: Pay-as-you-go for each order, or top-up your Flexischools Wallet.

Student Login

Enter your child's email address so they can order their own lunch through their Flexischools account on their device. It's a great way for them to pick what they want, while you stay in control with daily spending limits and automatic top-ups. Simple and stress-free!

Cancelling your order

Orders can be cancelled through the Flexischools app prior to being sent to the canteen supplier each morning.

To cancel your order click on "Orders" in the Flexischools app and then click on the order you wish to cancel. If the order is still available to cancel, simply click on the cancel button. The full amount of your order will be refunded to your Flexischools Wallet.

If the order is not available to cancel, please contact your canteen supplier directly.

Fee & Charges

A 29c order fee is charged on every order placed through the Flexischools App. This fee is in addition to the cost of the canteen items and is charged at the time of purchase.

There is an additional surcharge for purchases or account top ups made by credit card, debit card or PayPal which is clearly detailed when you check out or add funds into your wallet. However, parents can top up their Flexischools wallet by Bank Transfer which incurs no surcharge. Click here to [view instructions](#).

Please visit our [Help & Support](#) section for additional information and tips.

Our Terms & Conditions can be found here: [Legal & Privacy](#)

Parent Support Line: 1300 361 769 (7am - 12pm, Mon-Fri AEDST)



Kingswood South Public School

STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE

Be Safe

Be a Learner

Be Respectful

UNIFORM ORDER REQUEST FORM

as at April 2025

Description	Size	Price	Size Required	Qty Required	Total	Office Use Only
Blue Short Sleeve Polo Shirt	4 – 2XL	30.00				
Blue Long Sleeve Polo Shirt	4 – 2XL	30.00				
Sports Shirt	4 – 2XL	30.00				
Sports Shorts	4 - L	15.00				
Microfibre Skort w Bike Shorts	4 - XL	30.00				
Culottes and Skirts	Limited	10.00				
Dress	4 – 12	50.00				
School Shorts	4 – 2XL	20.00				
Cargo Pants	4 - 16	27.00				
Cuffed Tracksuit Pants	4 - 16	25.00				
Jumper	4 – 2XL	25.00				
Bomber Jacket	4 – 2XL	35.00				
Microfibre Jacket	4 - XL	45.00				
Preschool Shirt	4 – 8	28.00				
School Hat	S M L	12.00				
School Bag		60.00				
TOTAL						

The Uniform Shop is open 2.00pm – 2.30pm on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

Orders will be ready for pickup once payment is received.

Orders can be left at the office **with payment** and uniforms will be sent home with your child.

Account Name: Kingswood South Public School P & C Special Purpose
BSB: 062589 **Account No:** 00913951 **Ref No:** (child's name and class)

Please tick method of payment: Cash [] POS [] Bank Transfer []

Child's Name and Class: _____

Parent's Name: _____ **Contact Number:** _____

Date Paid: _____ **Signed:** _____ **Receipt #:** _____

School Admin ONLY

Item removed by: _____ Date: _____



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- Waist strap and lumbar support

Colours available:



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PLAYER VACANCY

We are looking for players in our U10 and 11's.

Do you have a daughter or son turning 10 or 11 who would like to play soccer?

Are you looking to enrol your child in a team sport?

Send an inbox to our facebook page or call 0411 407 451 to enquire today.

Contact us:
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stmarysconventsc@gmail.com



HEALTHY SNACKS

Fresh Fruit – Seasonal	\$1.00
Strawberry or Watermelon Cup	\$2.00
Apple or Orange Cup	\$2.00
Grain Waves Sour Cream & Chives	\$1.50
Popcorn	\$1.00
Red Rock Deli Chips	\$1.50

LUNCH – SANDWICHES

Butter	\$1.00
Vegemite/Jam/Honey	\$2.00
Cheese	\$2.50
Chicken	\$3.50
Chicken & Salad	\$4.50
Ham	\$3.50
Ham & Salad	\$4.50
Salad	\$3.50
Toast (2 slices)	\$1.00

LUNCH – SALADS

Garden Salad	\$4.00
Cheese Salad	\$4.50
Chicken Salad	\$5.00
Ham Salad	\$5.00

DRINKS

Water - 250ml	\$1.50
Fruit Juice Popper	\$2.00
Chill J	\$2.50

LUNCH – HOT FOOD

Beef Lasagne	\$4.50
Twista Pasta	\$4.50
Mac & Cheese	\$4.50
Hotdog w Sauce	\$3.50
Cheese & Bacon Roll	\$3.00
Chicken Burger (Halal) with Lettuce & Mayo	\$6.00
Beef Burger with Lettuce and Tomato	\$6.00
Chicken Noodles	\$2.50
Chicken Tender Wrap	\$5.00
Chicken Nuggets (Halal)	\$0.50c
Sausage Roll	\$4.00
Meat Pie	\$4.00
Ham & Cheese Toastie	\$4.00
Sauce Satchets	\$0.30c

FROZEN TREATS

Quelch Stick	\$0.50c
Frozen Yoghurt Stick	\$1.00
Vanilla Ice-cream Tub	\$2.00
Twisted Healthy Treats	\$2.00
Water – 600ml	\$2.00
Chocolate Milk	\$2.00
Strawberry Milk	\$2.00

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Kids

**GARDENING
CLASSES**

at Flower Power

**11am
APRIL**

MONDAY THURSDAY

14 - 17

TUESDAY THURSDAY

22 - 24

ONE CLASS PER DAY!

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