



Monday 6 April

Hi everybody and welcome to our last newsletter for term one. To state that this term has been a long and difficult time would be a massive understatement.

I would like to say how impressed and grateful I have been for the wonderful support, patience and understanding the school has received from our community during this very testing period in our history. The staff at Westport have been working hard to ensure we have the right processes in place to continue online learning in the likely event online learning continues during term 2.

NSW Department of Education and Westport Public School have the students' health and well-being as our first priority and these unprecedented times are challenging for everyone. The Premier of NSW, Gladys Berejikilian advised "Parents are encouraged to keep their children at home and access their school's learning from home programs". We understand that these arrangements may cause disruption to normal routines and appreciate the support of families in assisting the school and the wider school community by continuing to keep students at home where possible. The staff at Westport have been working hard to ensure we have the right processes in place to continue online learning in the likely event online learning continues during term 2.

I hope you have a safe and happy Easter.

Tony Johnston
Principal

Coming Events for Term 1

Thursday 9 April	Last Day of School Term 1
Tuesday 28 April	First day of School Term 2

Term 1 Assembly Timetable

Kindergarten – Year 2	Year 3 – Year 6
All assemblies cancelled	

Mr Johnston says hello

<https://westport-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/content/doe/sws/schools/w/westport-p/www/news/2020/4/hello-from-westport-.html>

Mrs Fraser reads us a story

Macca the Alpaca by Matt Cosgrove. It can be found on our website: <https://westport-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/news/2020/4/storytime-with-mrs-fraser.html> or on youtube: <https://youtu.be/1yCF87nKfws>

Positive Behaviour for Learning

This week's PBL focus is to be respectful in all settings while focusing on how to relax and quiet your mind.