Picnic Point High School



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General Information Guide 2021

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PRINCIPAL WELCOME

Picnic Point High School is a comprehensive co-educational secondary school established in 1962.

Picnic Point High School promotes an inclusive, collaborative and reflective learning environment based on the common values of Respect, Responsibility and Participation. Students and staff are encouraged to use enquiry based learning and explicit teaching, with a focus on literacy and numeracy, to build the strong foundations needed to meet the complexities of the modern world. Every student and every teacher in our school is known, valued and cared for as they pursue excellence in all aspects of school life.

Our school prides itself on ensuring that all students are provided with the opportunity to learn and grow as they develop a sense of self and school culture. The wider school community forms an integral part of our learning environment and the school works with all stakeholders to ensure that learning is inclusive, nurturing and tailored to meet individual learning needs. The school has a highly active and engaged Parents and Citizens Association who raise funds to support school programs. Student voice and achievement is supported through student leadership programs, debating, school musicals, sport, wellbeing initiatives and mentoring partnerships with local schools.

Project based and inquiry based learning in Stage 4, 5 and 6 is integral to providing opportunities for students to grow and thrive as they navigate the social, emotional and intellectual landscape.

Picnic Point High School offers a comprehensive and diverse curriculum, including four Vocational and Education Training framework courses; Construction, Entertainment, Hospitality and Sport Coaching in Years 11 and 12, while still maintaining a strong, nurturing wellbeing program focused on close contact with students and their parents.

Our facilities and resources include:

Specialised Classrooms	21st Century Learning
 6 refurbished science laboratories; a commercial kitchen; a specialised dance room; a specialised drama room; a music practice room; 4 computer rooms; a learning centre for individual student assistance; an international sized sporting gymnasium; school hall; a weights/fitness centre. 	 connected classroom technology enabling video conferencing; interactive whiteboards; 21st Century learning space (Library Mezzanine); an ICT learning space (Library Mezzanine); tablets in library, science, special education, visual arts faculties; chromebooks in the library and special education; laptops with specialized software in the music faculty; an afternoon tutorial program staffed by teachers;
Accessibility	Facilities
 elevator access to all blocks in the school; ramp access to all ground floor spaces; a 25-seater school bus; secure school with automated gate access. 	 outdoor Café; 'My Place' Gazebo – a product of the Year 7, 2018 PBL; a commercial coffee machine for VET Hospitality (Food & Beverage) and Food Technology; outdoor basketball courts; an astroturf futsal court; an amphitheatre; air-conditioning to be installed in every classroom early in 2021.

2021 TERM DATES

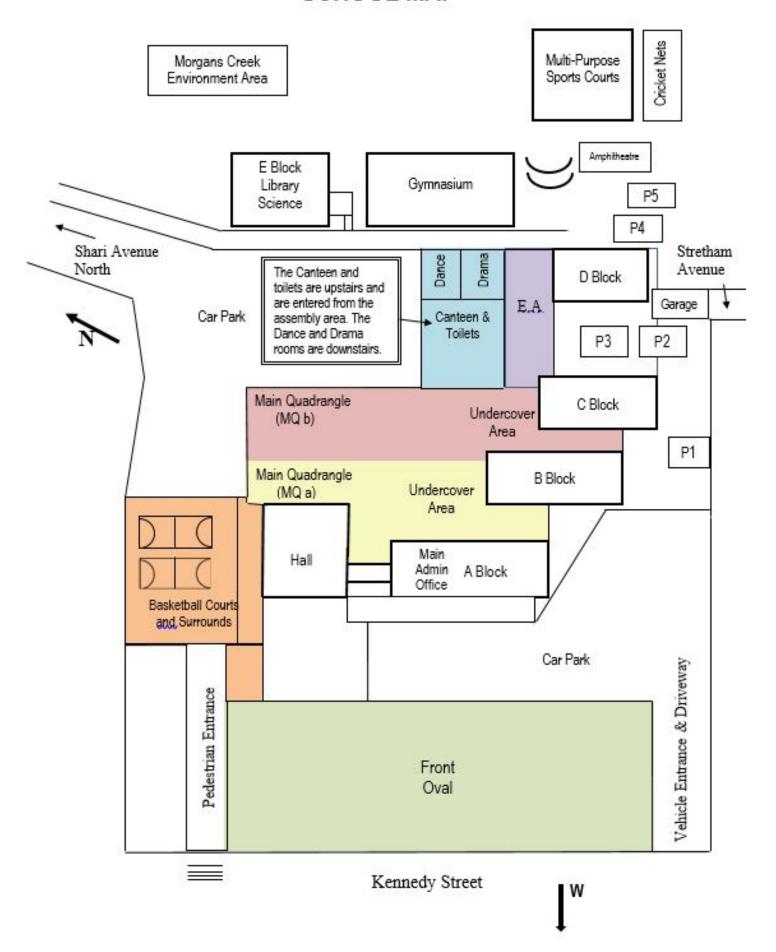
	First day	Wednesday 27 January	Staff only	
		Thursday 28 January	Staff only	
Term 1		Friday 29 January	Year 7, 11, 12	
		Monday 1 February	Whole school	
	Last day	Thursday 1 April		
	First day	Monday 19 April	Staff only	
Term 2		Tuesday 20 April	Whole school	
	Last day	Friday 25 June		
	First day	Monday 12 July	Staff only	
Term 3		Tuesday 13 July	Whole school	
	Last day	Friday 17 September		
	First day	Monday 5 October	Whole school	
Term 4	Last day (students)	Thursday 16 December		
	Last day (staff)	Friday 17 December		

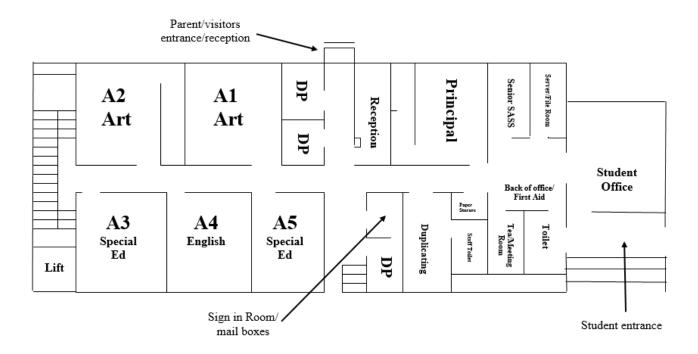
2021 BELL TIMES

The times given are the start of each lesson or break

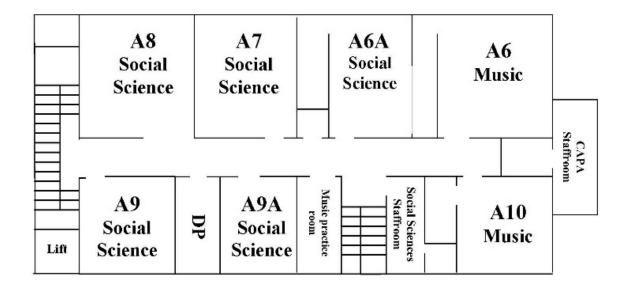
Period	Mon, Wed, Fri	Tuesday	Thursday
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Assembly	8:45-8:56	8:45-8.56	8:45-8:56
1	8:56-9:58	8:56-9:58	8:56-9:49
2	9:58-11:00	9:58-11:00	9:49-10:42
Recess	11:00-11:20	11:00-11:20	10:42-11:02
3	11:20-12:22	11:20-12:22	11:02-11:55
4	12:22-1:24		11:55-12:48
		School sport on	
Lunch	1:24-2:04	Tuesdays finishes at	12:48-1:28
		2:21	
5	2:04-3:06		1:28-2:21

SCHOOL MAP

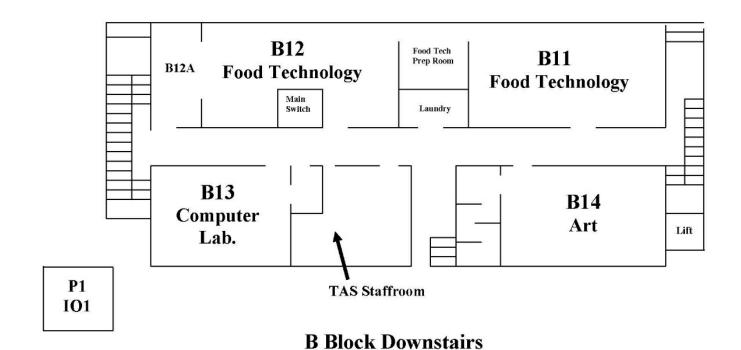


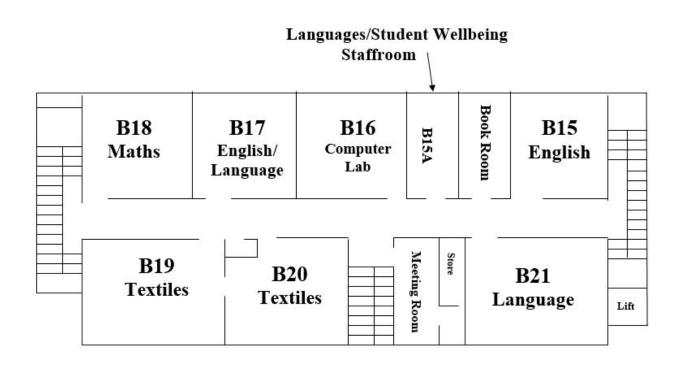


A Block Downstairs

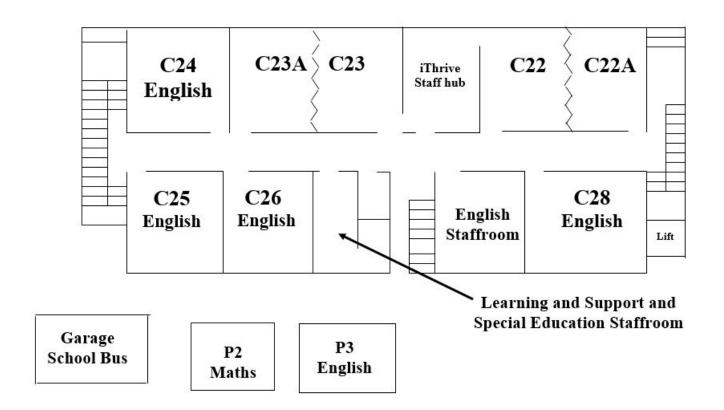


A Block Upstairs

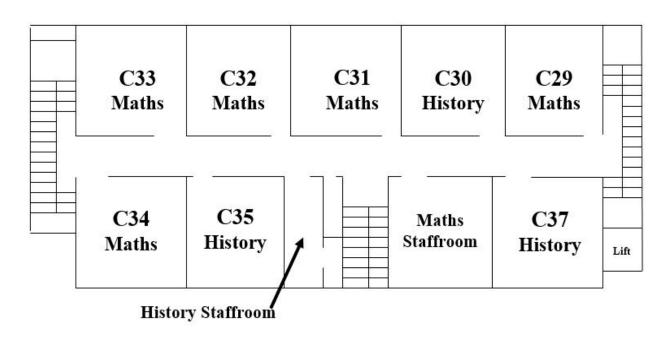




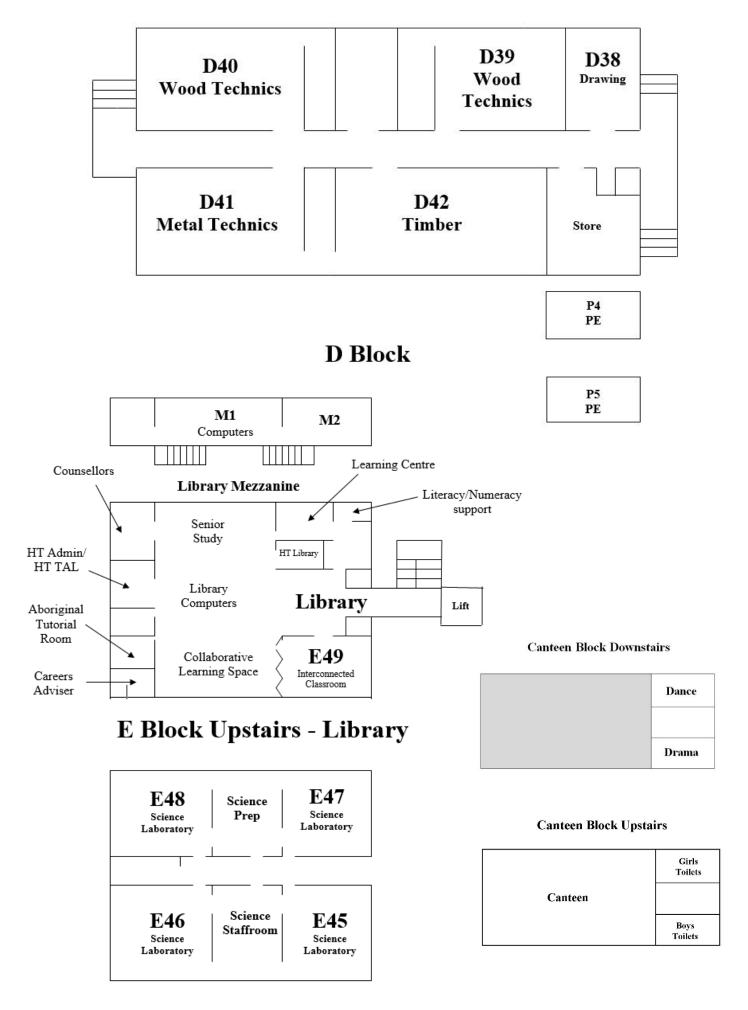
B Block Upstairs



C Block Downstairs



C Block Upstairs



E Block Downstairs - Science



Picnic Point High School Common Values

At Picnic Point High School, we strive for excellence by displaying:

Respect

We

- * Allow our teachers to teach
- * Allow others to learn
- * use appropriate language
- * Move and wait for class calmly
- * Value the contributions of others
- * Keep our school free of litter and graffiti
- * Ensure each other's safety

Responsibility

We

- * Follow instructions first time
- * Bring all necessary equipment
- * Carry our diary and a copy of our current timetable
- * Are safe with all equipment
- * Are active only in areas designated for that purpose
- * Are in the right place at the right time

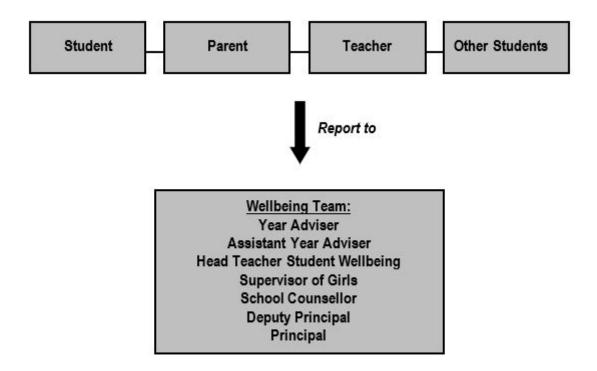
Participation

We

- * Wear correct school uniform
- * Are actively engaged in our learning
- * Complete all tasks to the best of our ability
- * Interact positively with others
- * use devices appropriately, when instructed by a teacher
- * Are positive Ambassadors for our school in the wider community

ANTI-BULLYING PLAN

How can bullying be reported?



When a bullying incident is reported...

- The incident will be investigated
- Appropriate consequences and counselling will be implemented
- If the bullying continues after intervention then a warning for suspension or suspension from school may result
- A mediation may be conducted by the Year Adviser, Head Teacher Student Wellbeing, School Counsellor or the Deputy Principal
- Parents of both parties may be contacted
- The incident will be recorded on Millennium

STUDENT RECOGNITION SYSTEM

The student merit system is based on awarding merit points to students who demonstrate positive behaviour at school.

Merit awards will be issued to students under the following criteria:

MERIT AWARDS: (3 Point Value) A.

Academic Achievement: Any student who has achieved first, second or third place in a test,

assessment task or other assignment.

Academic Improvement: Any student judged by teachers as having shown an increased level of

academic commitment and/or performance, for example, general class

work, assessment tasks.

POSITIVE POINTS: В.

> **In-School Service:** Any student who has provided a service to the school, for example, assisting

> > a teacher, tidying up of a learning environment etc.

times experience difficulties in managing their behaviour.

Recognition of

Any student who has demonstrated behaviour above what is normally and **Appropriate Behaviour** reasonably expected. This category is also useful for those students who at

School Representation Any student who participates in extra curricular activities, for example,

debating, Peer Support, knockout sporting teams, SRC, Prefects etc.

Student of the Month

Certificate (5 Points)

Awarded each month to one student from each year group at Morning

Assemblies.

Other worthy situations not covered in any of the above guidelines and as deemed appropriate by staff.

C. **REWARDS:**

- Four Reward Days are offered each year at the end of each term. Rewards Days may include a barbecue at school or an incursion.
- Certificates for Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum levels of achievement are issued at the end of the year to students who have finished the year at that level.
- 3. Interim rewards including canteen vouchers may also be used.

D. NEGATIVE POINTS: (Generally of 1 point value at each stage of intervention)

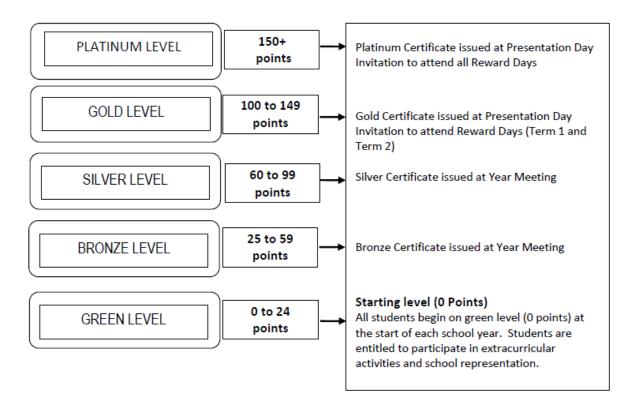
An example of a negative point would be a classroom misdemeanour. If the issue is serious the classroom teacher will impose an action (such as a detention) and a negative point will be issued. If the issue is subsequently resolved at this point, the student has lost a point. However, if the student fails to fulfil the required consequence, a Head Teacher referral results in a further point loss. If still not resolved at this stage, referral to the Deputy Principal will result in a third point loss.

- All students begin on green level (0 points) at the start of each year.
- Students will move up and down through the levels as they accrue or lose points.
- Students issued a Warning for Suspension (-1 point), Short Suspension (-10 points) or Long Suspension (-10 points) are not allowed to represent the school or attend excursions and will be placed on Orange then Yellow monitoring cards by the Deputy Principals. Any student who is suspended or is on a monitoring card during the organisation of a Rewards Day is ineligible to attend that particular Rewards Day.

Teacher and Student Accountability for the Collection of Points and Merit Certificates

- Each student carries a 'Points Passport' in their diary which is presented to their teacher when they are awarded positive points. Teachers will record and sign against these points on the card.
- Merit certificates and completed passports are collected and recorded by the Assistant Year Adviser. It
 is the students' responsibility to submit these merit certificates and completed passports to their
 Assistant Year Adviser and have them counted by any relevant cut off dates for Rewards Days.
- Merit certificates do not carry over to the following term. They are only valid for the current term.
- Incomplete passports do carry over to the following year.
- Students on positive levels will have their names printed and displayed on their Year Adviser's noticeboard.

E. REWARD SYSTEM SCALE



ROLE OF THE HEAD TEACHER STUDENT WELLBEING

- Being available to counsel and provide guidance to all students with needs relating to learning and personal issues.
- Liaising with the School Executive, School Counsellors, Careers Adviser, the Home School Liaison Officer and other key personnel with student wellbeing roles.
- Leading and supervising the personnel and resources of the school's Wellbeing Team.
- Liaising with teachers and providing feedback regarding student wellbeing issues as deemed appropriate.
- Assisting Year Advisers, Principal and Deputy Principals with parent/carer, teacher and student interviews.
- Consulting with and being a consultant to teachers and students regarding aspects of students' behaviour and wellbeing.
- Communicating with teachers and parents/carers regarding wellbeing, health and behaviour of students.
- Facilitating the implementation of wellbeing programs, for example, personal development, school attendance and anti-bullying education.
- Assisting in the formulation and review of the school wellbeing programs.
- Co-ordinating the organisation of school wellbeing programs.
- Liaising and networking with community welfare agencies including Department of Communities and Justice, headspace, Family Referral Service, the School Liaison Police.
- Identifying students with wellbeing and behaviour needs and liaising with staff to develop appropriate strategies for classroom management.
- Facilitating and organising professional learning opportunities for staff.
- Organising information meetings for parents.

ROLE OF THE YEAR ADVISER

The roles and responsibilities undertaken by the Year Adviser focus on the student and how to support and monitor their wellbeing. The Year Adviser is supported by the Assistant Year Adviser. Specific roles and responsibilities of the Year Adviser include:

- Being approachable and extending to students trust and confidentiality.
- Promoting happiness, cooperation and a sense of identity with the school.
- Ensuring students are familiar with basic school procedures e.g. leaving early, arriving late, sick and first aid procedures.
- Mediating peer relations to promote positive group relationships.
- Assisting and supporting new students during their enrolment.
- Monitoring attendance patterns and liaising with the student, parents, Deputy Principal and the Head Teacher Student Wellbeing.
- Providing feedback on the Semester 1 and Semester 2 reports based on the criteria of transition, academic progress, commitment to learning and school culture.
- Consulting with the School Counsellor, the Head Teacher Student Wellbeing, the Deputy Principal and other outside agencies in making appropriate referrals regarding students when necessary.
- Organising progress reports.
- Liaising with the Head Teacher of Learning and Support regarding students with Personalised Learning and Support Plans.
- Organising study skills and other wellbeing programs.

ROLE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF GIRLS

The Supervisor of Girls is a female school teacher appointed to advise female school students and to promote their wellbeing and interests in high school.

The specific roles of the Supervisor of Girls include:

- Interviewing and counselling female students
- Advising the Principal, Deputy Principals and Head Teacher Wellbeing of any specific female student concerns
- Liaising with the School Counsellor for support when required
- Referring students to the School Counsellor for counselling or specialised assistance
- Liaising with school staff when relevant and appropriate
- Following consultation with the Principal or the Deputy Principal, contacting parents to discuss students' emotional and social concerns
- Maintaining records of information regarding individual female students
- Keeping records of interviews
- Organising the implementation of specific initiatives for girls within the school
- Co-ordinating the school immunisation program and other medical support programs
- Being a contact person for female students who become unwell while at school.

The Supervisor of Girls should not be involved in implementing disciplinary measures as this could act as a barrier to promoting or maintaining a trusting relationship with a student. Acquiring the student's confidence and trust is fundamental to ensure all students are successfully supported.

ROLE OF THE SCHOOL COUNSELLOR

The role of the School Counsellor is to support the social, emotional and educational needs and overall wellbeing of students. The School Counsellor also collaborates with parents and teachers to support students' wellbeing. School Counsellors can also assist to identify and address difficulties that affect student learning, assess student learning and behaviour, assist parents in making informed decisions about their child's education and provide counselling to students.

Students can self-refer to the school counsellor or be referred by staff or parents. Students are encouraged to self-refer by either filling in the referral form in the folder attached to the counsellor's office door in the library or completing the online referral form on the school's website. Students can also speak to the counsellor to make an appointment. Appointments can also be made on behalf of a student by the Year Adviser, Head Teacher Student Wellbeing, Deputy Principal or Principal.

ROLE OF THE STUDENT LEADERSHIP GROUP

The Student Leadership Program offers students the opportunity to develop leadership skills and enhance their ability to effectively lead others. The Student Leadership Program enables interested students to participate in a series of workshops which focus on the practical development of their leadership skills. These workshops, which occur in Terms 1 and 3, are compulsory for the SRC and Prefects and are offered to any students in Years 7 to 11 who are interested in developing their leadership skills. A variety of modules are presented at these leadership workshops, tailored to the students' current roles and responsibilities, future interests, age and skill level. Students who successfully complete these workshops and show a commitment to developing their own leadership skills will be invited to apply to attend the Student Leadership Camp in Term 3. It is compulsory for Year 11 students who wish to be nominated for Prefect to participate in the Leadership Program in the previous year (Year 10).

ROLE OF THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

The Picnic Point High School Student Representative Council's purpose is to establish a foundation and platform that supports the whole school community. The SRC provides leadership opportunities to students in all year groups, generating a culture of aspiration and modelling quality student leadership for all. The SRC class comprises of 26 students from Years 7 to 10. The SRC has an equal representation from male and female students, with a majority of student representatives drawn from Stage 5. The SRC are selected by the SRC Coordinator and Student Leadership Coordinator. All students who participate in the Student Leadership Program are eligible to be invited to join the SRC each year. Students are selected based on their experiences and reflections of their leadership experience, as well as their future goals for the school community. The SRC collaborate with the community, in consultation with the Principal, and develop ownership over the process of goal attainment and personal development.

PURPOSE OF THE SCHOOL DIARY

Students are expected to have the Picnic Point High Diary with them at all times. The diary has the following purposes:

- Homework record for students
- Assessment task or assignment planning for students
- Record of toilet passes during the day
- Messages from staff to parents and parents to staff
- School timetable
- Early leave permission
- Each student will carry a 'Points Passport' in their diary which they need to present to their teacher when they are awarded positive points.

Students and families have the responsibility to ensure that the diary's communication purposes enable a greater knowledge of what students are doing each day at school. Students are expected to keep their diaries in good condition.

GENERAL PROCEDURES

Absences from Parents/carers can report student absences either by phone or email prior to, or on the day of the absence. school All absences from school must be explained by the parent/carer. Parents who provide their mobile phone number will receive an SMS message on the day of absence and may respond via text message. Phones which do not accept SMS from a private number will not be able to receive an SMS message from the school. Notes can be given to the roll call teacher on the student's return to school. Accident insurance The NSW Department of Education does not provide, nor has it ever provided, accident or medical insurance for students enrolled in government schools. The for students department is insured so that it can meet the financial impact of any legal liabilities arising from its activities. Parents have the option of taking out private health coverage for their children. This is usually limited to the reimbursement of medical expenses and will not generally provide the breadth of cover provided by a specific student accident insurance policy. The Ambulance Cover Scheme provides assurance that if a student enrolled at a school has an accident or falls ill whilst at school or on an organised school excursion or activity, and requires the ambulance service, the cost will be met through the scheme. Assembly / Roll Call Outdoor assembly is 8:45am on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Students to assemble in roll call classes in alphabetical order. Indoor roll call is 8:45am every Wednesday and Friday or on rainy days. **Banned items** Banned items (by the school) will be immediately confiscated. Items may be collected from the student office by the student after school. In the case of repeat offences, the parent/carer will be required to collect the item from reception. Students are not permitted to use cameras or laser pointers inside the school grounds. Aerosol cans are not permitted. **Bicycles** Bicycles are brought to school at the student's own risk. The school takes no responsibility for supervision of bicycles or parts of bicycles. Bicycles must not be ridden in the school grounds. Bicycle racks are provided beside the canteen. Bikes should be locked to the racks. All bike riders must leave and enter from the Shari Avenue entrance. Do not enter or leave through the Kennedy Street gates. The law states that if you ride a bicycle you must wear an approved helmet. Skateboards, roller blades and scooters are not to be brought to school. Information about the School Opal Card can be found at **Bus and Train** https://transportnsw.info/tickets-opal/ticket-eligibility-concessions/child-**Passes** student-concessions/primary-secondary-school More information can be found in the General Information Guide. Canteen • The canteen opens for recess and lunch. Lunch orders can be written on the bags provided and dropped into the mail box outside the student office with the money inside the bag. Flexischools is now available for online ordering. Student ID cards can also be used for cashless purchases.

Child Protection	Students can disclose information to any teacher but it will be reported to the Principal and other agencies.
Communication with parents/carers	 Picnic Point High School uses School Bytes to communicate with parents/carers. Statements of account, fee reminders and correspondence are sent via email. Please ensure that you notify the school if you change your email address.
Digital Devices	The Digital Devices Procedure is located on the Picnic Point High School website: https://picnicpt-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/rules-and-policies/bringing-your-own-digital-device-to-school.html
Driving into the school grounds	 Student pick up and drop off should be outside the school grounds. Parents should avoid driving onto the school premises wherever possible. Where a parent has to drive into the school grounds, i.e. to collect a sick/injured student, the maximum speed limit within the school is 10km/h.
Early Departures from School	 To get an Early Leaver's Pass students must bring a note from a parent/carer stating: Student's name and roll class Date and time leave pass is required Reason for departing early Contact phone number The note must be signed by a parent/carer. The note should be handed to the Deputy Principal before school. The student's diary is stamped by the student office to indicate time of departure. The student collects their Early Leaver's Pass from the student office before they leave the school grounds. In some cases early departure notes will be withheld until verification by the parent/carer can be established.
Exams and Assessments	The school's policy on all related matters will be issued to all students.
Flexi cards for senior students	 Senior flexi passes will be issued to senior students where appropriate. When arriving at school after normal school start time the card should be shown at the student office. Flexi starts will not count as being late to school. Students leaving with a flexi pass before normal school ends, must sign out through the student office. Flexi cards are only issued with parent/carer permission.
Harassment including bullying or discrimination	Report any incidents of discrimination, whether racist or otherwise. Inform the Year Adviser of harassment or bullying immediately.
Injury or Illness (minor) at school	 Report to the student office. A trained First Aid staff member will assess the injury. Parent/Carer may be contacted. An accident form may be filled out in certain circumstances (available from the office). No student will be sent home without parent/carer permission.

Injury or Illness Student will be assisted by First Aid personnel (teachers and/or SASS staff) and a decision made to call an ambulance, if deemed necessary, and a parent/carer. (serious) at school An ambulance will be called immediately in cases judged life-threatening or very serious. Lateness to class Students will have to make up time with their classroom teacher if they arrive after the second (4 minute) bell for Period 3 and Period 5. Student lateness is recorded on Millennium. Lateness If late during roll call, students to proceed to late roll call area where student names will be recorded. to school If late after roll call, students to proceed to the student office to be recorded and receive a late slip. This late slip needs to be signed by the Deputy Principal. Parents/carers must provide notes to explain lateness. Persistent lateness will be followed up. If a late bus or train results in a number of students arriving late, they should report to the Deputy Principal or the student office. These students will be granted automatic entry to class once their names have been recorded on the school rolls. Library borrowing Students may borrow up to 6 books at a time, for 3 weeks. To borrow a book, see one of the Library Staff. Bringing your library card with you is recommended. It is possible to re-borrow and reserve books. The cost of any library books that are not returned or have been lost will be added to a student's fees. Online books and audio books: students can use their devices to access ebooks and audiobooks throughout library subscription at https://picnicpoinths.eplatform.co/ Lockers are available for hire. \$20 is to be paid to the student office. Students Lockers will need to supply their own lock. Lockers are located throughout the school. The office collects lost property. Lost property **Mobile phones** Mobile phones are not permitted to be used in class unless explicitly permitted to do so by the teacher. All digital devices including smart watches should be placed on silent and phones should remain in school bags. If permitted to be used in class, the mobile phone must be on the table and visible at all times and should never be used to record any part of the lesson unless directed by the teacher. Students can only use their phones at recess and lunch on the playground in a responsible manner, except on Technology Free Tuesday (TFT). Technology Free Tuesday (TFT) is one day each week when students are asked to leave the technology at home. If it is necessary to have a phone at school on Tuesday, it must be kept in school bags and on silent during school hours. Students from Year 8 will complete office duty in Term 1. Year 7 students are **Office Duty** rostered from Term 2. Students should bring school work to complete when on office duty. Office Hours The school office is open from 8.15am to 3.30pm. Payment can be made through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year group or by cash/Eftpos/credit card, by visiting the school office in person between 8.30am and 2pm.

Out of Class	Any student out of class for any reason must have their diary signed by their teacher. Failure may mean that the matter is treated as fractional truancy.
Photocopying for students	Students may photocopy material or print from the computers or external storage devices in the library at a minimal charge per copy.
Prohibited items	 Prohibited items include firearms, weapons, drugs and other dangerous items. Prohibited items will be immediately confiscated. The police will be notified. Suspension from school will result.
School Counsellor	 Students can visit the School Counsellor and make an appointment (before school, during recess or during lunch) or ask their Year Adviser, Head Teacher Student Wellbeing or Deputy Principal to make an appointment on their behalf. Students may also complete the referral form on the school website: https://picnicpt-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/supporting-our-students/student-health-and-safety/school-counsellor-referral-form.html
School Detention	 School detention is conducted on Thursday afternoon from 2:20pm to 3:20pm. Students may be placed on detention for: serious misdemeanours continued fractional truancy persistent failure to comply with faculty requirements A letter will be given to the student, giving at least twenty-four hours warning of the detention. The return slip is to be signed by the parent and returned to the Deputy Principal. Students who do not attend the After School Detention will be given a recess and lunch detention from the Deputy Principal the following day and will be required to attend the After School Detention the following week.
School Monitoring	 Students will be placed on school monitoring for the following reasons: behaviour monitoring non-completion of faculty monitoring parent/carer request warning for suspension returning from suspension truancy Deputy Principal Monitoring is imposed for two weeks, but may be extended. If a student is placed on Deputy Principal Monitoring they are not permitted to attend school excursions or represent the school in extra-curricular activities. Where instructed, students' mobile phones will be submitted to the student office. Students on DP monitoring must remain at the top of the main quad for recess and lunch.

School Uniform	 Student uniforms are checked during assembly and morning roll call. Students who do not comply with the school's uniform expectations will not be permitted to spend their recess and lunch breaks in the playground. Instead, they will be required to have recess and lunch inside under the supervision of staff. Students will be allowed to the canteen and toilets in the last 5 minutes of recess and 10 minutes of lunch. Students persistently out of uniform will receive a letter home and may be placed on after school detention. Students wearing unsafe footwear will not be permitted to move throughout the school. Parents will be contacted by a Deputy Principal. Families experiencing difficulties in providing uniforms for their children can be assisted by the school. These matters should be referred to the School Administration Manager.
Senior Study Periods (Years 11 and 12)	 Students must go to the library for all senior study periods. During senior study periods all students are expected to undertake meaningful work. Students must not interrupt other students' work and must comply with the instructions of the librarian. When the library is closed, alternate areas will be arranged for the senior study periods.
Staff Rooms	Students wishing to see teachers in their staff room should always knock and wait at the door until they are invited to enter. No student should enter a staff room or office without the invitation of a teacher.
Students who become unwell at school	 If students become unwell at school, they will go to the student office and will be referred to a Deputy Principal. The office staff will then contact the parent/carer. Students should not text/phone home and arrange to be picked up without permission.
Textbooks	 Any textbooks that are borrowed from school must be returned at the end of the course or when signing out of Picnic Point High School. The cost of any textbooks that are not returned or have been lost will be added to a student's fees.
Timetable	 Students should go to the student office, the Year Adviser or Deputy Principal if they have lost their timetable. Parents can log into the Millennium Parent Portal and print a copy of the timetable.
Toilet - recess and lunch	 Students must use the toilets during recess or lunch breaks. The canteen toilets will be locked during lesson time. Students are not to loiter in the toilets. Students must have written permission from their teacher to go to the toilet in the student office during lesson time. This will be recorded in their diary and mobile phone submitted to class teacher.
Visitors	 All visitors to the school must visit reception for every visit, to sign in, receive an orientation to the school and a visitor's badge. Visitors should sign out at the end of their visit.

ATTENDANCE

Parents and Carers are responsible for ensuring their children attend school. The school has a number of procedures for checking the attendance of students and informing parents or carers. Below is a summary of the process:

- 1. At 8:45am on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday each morning there is a full school assembly. Students sit in roll call classes and are supervised by their roll call teachers. On Wednesday, rolls are marked in roll call rooms.
- 2. Rolls are marked electronically during assemblies by teachers.
- 3. Teachers electronically mark their class rolls every lesson.

Parents are notified via SMS messaging if their child is absent or late to school. Parents can then verify their child's absence by the following methods:

- 1. SMS reply
- 2. Phone call to the office
- 3. Note to be given to their child's roll call teacher upon return to school
- 4. If the school is not notified by any of the above, the absence is classified as unexplained
- 5. If the absence is not explained, the Year Adviser may contact the parents. In cases of a large number of absences, the Home School Liaison Officer may be notified and interviews may be conducted during school time with the Head Teacher Student Wellbeing

It is essential that students attend school on time. The Head Teacher Lateness will issue an After School Detention and contact the parent/carer if a student is late on three occasions without explanation. A common cause of poor or unsatisfactory school progress is regular absences. Absences due to illness are inevitable; however, absences from school for activities such as shopping, minding small children or family outings are not acceptable. Dental and medical appointments should be arranged outside of school hours, (including Tuesday afternoon sport) so that the student's learning is not interrupted.

For those students receiving Austudy and Abstudy, Centrelink completes term checks of all attendance records. If a student has more than five unexplained absences per term, the monetary assistance to the student may discontinue.

Note: Students **must not, under any circumstances,** leave the school grounds once they have entered without the permission of the Principal or Deputy Principal. If permission is granted an official 'School Leave Pass for Partial Absence' will be issued.

Attendance at all school events and functions, such as the Swimming and Athletics Carnivals, is compulsory.

HOMEWORK PROCEDURE

PURPOSES OF HOMEWORK

Homework is a valuable part of schooling and is most beneficial when it:

- allows for practising, extending and consolidating work done in class
- provides training for students in planning and organising time
- develops a range of skills in identifying and using information resources, skills of inquiry and independent study
- establishes habits of study, concentration and self-discipline which will serve students for the rest of their lives
- strengthens home-school links and reaffirms the role of parents and Carers as partners in education
- provides parents and Carers with insights into what is being taught in the classroom and their child's progress
- encourages students to take responsibility for their homework, supported by their parents or Carers
- includes feedback and follow-up regularly to students

TYPES OF HOMEWORK

The amount of time that students are expected to spend on homework will depend upon the age, ability, home environment, extracurricular activities of students, family and cultural obligations. It is important that students of all ages have opportunities for free time and leisure and physical activities outside of school.

The three main types of homework are:

Practice exercises – providing students with the opportunities to apply new knowledge, or review, revise and reinforce newly acquired skills, including:

- consolidation exercises e.g. maths, including memorising of tables, formula, spelling words
- practising for mastery e.g. reinforcing mathematical processes, writing in an extended response structure
- revising information about a current topic
- practising words or phrases learnt in a language other than English
- reading for pleasure

Preparatory homework – providing opportunities for students to gain background information on a unit of study so that they are better prepared for future lessons, including:

- background reading
- reading e.g. English text for class discussion
- studying for tests and examinations

Extension assignments – encouraging students to pursue knowledge individually and imaginatively, including:

- writing e.g. a book review
- making or designing something e.g. an art work
- investigations e.g. science, social science
- researching e.g. history, local news
- information and retrieval skills using current technology
- monitoring e.g. advertising in particular newspapers

REFERENCING PROCEDURE

How to construct a referencing list, bibliography and cite references in research assignments

Picnic Point High School has chosen the **APA Referencing** style as the preferred method of referencing sources for all assessment tasks.

Use and acknowledgement of sources

When preparing an assignment, a student should have utilised a number of books, articles and other resources including electronic sources on the topic. Your teacher will ask you to either include a reference list or a bibliography.

Reference lists

A reference list contains *only* the references specifically cited in your assignment. By including a reference list at the end of your assignment it means that the source has been used directly.

At the end of the assignment you must include a separate page titled *References*. The references will be listed I alphabetical order of the authors of the different sources used.

Bibliography

A bibliography contains the list of all works used in your assignment. These works do not need to be specifically referenced in your assignment if they are not used, however need to be listed in the bibliography.

At the end of the assignment you must include a separate page titled *Bibliography*

Use the scaffold following as a guide to correctly reference.

Type of	Checklist	Example
reference		
Book (one author)	*The author's or editor's name *The year the book was published *The title of the book *The city where the book was published *The name of the publisher	Adair, J. (1988). Effective time management: How to save time and spend it wisely. London: Pan Books.
Book (two or more authors)	*The author's or editor's name (or names) *The year the book was published *The title of the book *The city where the book was published *The name of the publisher	McCarthy, P. & Hatcher, C. (1996). Speaking persuasively: Making the most of your presentations. Sydney: Allen and Unwin.
Website (author available)	*Author/editor or compiler *Year of the most recent version *Title *When it was viewed: Day, Month, Year *URL either full location details or just the main site details	Young, C. (2001). English Heritage position statement on the Valletta Convention. Retrieved August 24, 2001, from http://www.archaeol.freeuk.com/EHPostionStatement.h tm
Website (no author found)	*Year of the most recent version *Title *When it was viewed: Day, Month, Year *URL either full location details or just the main site details	(2001). New child vaccine gets funding boost. Retrieved March 13, 2012, from http://news.ninemsn.com.au/health/story
Journal Article	*Author *Year *Title of article *Title of the journal and volume number in italics *Pages containing the whole article	One author Watt, H. M. G. (2002). Exploring adolescent personal and social gender stereotypes about maths. Change: Transformations in Education, 5, 39-54 With multiple authors Ainscow, M., Hargreaves, D. H., & Hopkins, D. (1995). Mapping the process of change in schools: The development of six new research techniques. Evaluation and Research in Education, 9, 75-90.

CITATIONS

A citation is used to note where you researched your point from in the assignment. In the APA system, short citations in the form (author, date of publication, page reference) are included in the text of your assignment. In the *Reference list*, all the citations which occur in the text of your assignment *must* have full publication details printed.

For example if you refer to an idea by Adair on pages 4 and 5 of Effective time management: How to save time and spend it wisely it would look like:

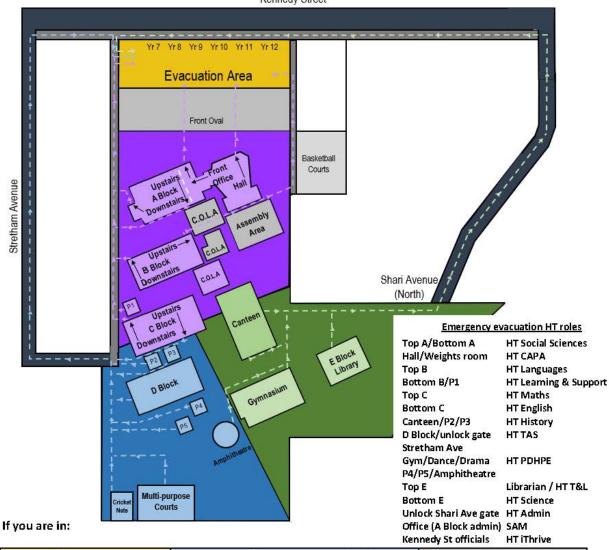
To be an effective manager you need to possess skills such as strong time management to ensure your team is working efficiently (Adair, 1988, pp. 4-5).

Use
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pp. for multiple pages
chap. for chapter
para. for paragraph

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Emergency Evacuation Map

Kennedy Street



Move to the FRONT OVAL via the SIDE WALKWAYS	Move to the FRONT OVAL via the STRETHAM AVENUE	Move to the FRONT OVAL via the SHARI AVENUE
A Block	C Block upstairs	E Block
B Block	D Block	Gymnasium
C Block downstairs	Room P2	Drama Room
Hall	Room P3	Dance Room
Basketball courts	Room P4	Canteen
Room P1	Room P5	Canteen toilets
Assembly area	Playground between C and D Blocks	Amphitheatre
Front car park	Cricket nets	*
Front oval	Multi-purpose courts	

NB: all staff should wear Hi-Vis where available

CONTINUOUSLY RINGING BELL = EVACUATION

FIVE SHORT BELLS = LOCKDOWN

THREE LONG BELLS = ALL CLEAR & ASSEMBLY

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EMERGENCY EVACUATION PROCEDURES

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CON	TINUOUS RINGING OF THE BELLS - AN EMERGENCY EVACUATION IS REQUIRED
DURING CLASS	Students to pack bags and leave the room with bag under the direction of the teacher.
TIME	If a student is out of the room for any reason, the teacher will pack his/her bag and take it with them.
	Move directly to the exit as shown on the Emergency Evacuation Map and walk to the Front Oval as
	per instructions.
	PE Classes or other classes outside must immediately go to the front oval using the appropriate exit.
	Do not go back to the classroom or PE change room for personal belongings.
	Students to report to their roll call area, sit in alphabetical order and adhere to staffinstructions.
DURING	Students must move to the front oval under teacher instruction.
RECESS OR LUNCH	Follow the path shown on the Evacuation Map for the zone they are located in at the time.
OFFSITE	Students are to move under the direction of staff to Picnic Point Public School located in Prince Street,
LOCATION (if necessary)	Picnic Point.
STAFF ROLES	Teachers NB: LIFTS MAY NOT BE OPERATIONAL
	Teachers lead their class to the Front Oval as per the path shown on the Evacuation Map. Roll Call classes should be between the goal post closest to the road and the boundary fence. Year 7 should be closest to the driveway, and Year 12 closest to the Basketball end of the oval.
	Teachers not on class at the time to assist with supervision of students at exit points.
	Roll Call Teachers receive and return rolls from/to the Year Adviser or mark rolls electronically. Ensure
	rolls are marked in the correct date column of the Emergency Roll and supervise students until ALL CLEAR.
	Report any missing students to the Year Adviser.
	Year Advisers / Assistant Year Advisers
	• Reinforce Roll Marking Instructions to staff. For each student, mark an 'a' for absent or a dot for present in the same column of the evacuation date.
	Report any missing students to the Deputy Principal in charge of the year.
	Head Teachers
	Check classrooms/blocks/areas as per assigned Head Teacher role on the Evacuation Map.
	Assist with supervision of year groups at the Front Oval evacuation area.
	Confirm attendance of Faculty Staff and report to the HT Administration.
	HT Administration to check attendance of all teaching staff (casual and permanent) and report to the
	Principal.
	Office Administration Staff
	• Select driveway and pedestrian gate to "hold open", take Medical Kit, Daily Org, Sign On sheets, Witches Hats yellow vests for Senior Exec. and Emergency Rolls printed from Millennium to the front oval.
	SAM to confirm with Canteen Manager/Cleaners, the attendance of all additional staff.
	SAM to check attendance of all non-teaching staff and any visitors onsite and report to the Principal.
	Deputy Principal
	Setup Portable PA system + extension cord on front oval (PA located in the office of DP nearest entry doors).
	Unlock pedestrian gate padlock.
	Assist in organisation of Year Groups on the Front Oval, distribute Hi-Vis to Executive staff if possible.
	Report Student Attendance to the Principal.
	Principal
	Contact the appropriate emergency services if required.
	Inform Safety and Security, Director and other services as required.
	Liaise with DPs, SAM and HT Administration re: attendance of staff and students.
PREFECT ROLES	Report to the Prefect Coordinator to have Prefect Roll marked.
	Hand out Rolls to each Year Adviser.
	All Staff and students to remain on oval until ALL CLEAR has been actioned by the Principal.

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Lock Down - Lock Up Procedure

A lock down - lock up will be signalled by five (5) short bell rings.

If possible, the "page all" system will be used, to provide further information about the situation, to school based phones located in staffrooms and offices.

> A. If the emergency occurs during class time:

- 1. Students remain in the classroom.
- 2. Class teacher to ensure students move to the front/back of the room, away from doors and windows. Close blinds and lock doors where possible, students and teacher to **remain quiet in the room until further notice**.
- 3. Where possible, Head Teacher supervising each building (level) to lock external doors to building.
- 4. P.E. classes at the front of the school to go to the hall. P.E. classes at the back of the school are to go to the gymnasium. **Supervising teachers follow step 2 above.**
- 5. Any classes under the covered area are to go to the hall. Supervising teachers follow step 2 above.
- Ensure student attendance is marked on the class roll.

Administration staff should lock all available doors, windows and shutters. All staff should move to an area away from external visibility, remain quiet until **ALL CLEAR** announced/signalled by Principal or Deputy Principal.

All staff and students not on class should report immediately to the nearest faculty staffroom/office/library, identify themselves, and enter the room. All windows and doors should be locked and blinds closed until further notice, where possible text/email other staff in your faculty to let them know you/others are in a different area. Remain quiet until **ALL CLEAR** announced/signalled by Principal or Deputy Principal.

> B. If the emergency occurs during recess or lunch:

- 1. Staff and students proceed immediately to the next period, Period 3 if it is recess or Period 5 if it is lunch. **Supervising teachers follow step 2A above.**
- 2. P.E. classes to go to the gymnasium. Supervising teachers follow step 2A above.
- 3. Ensure student attendance is marked on the class roll.

Administration staff should lock all available doors, windows and shutters. All staff should move to an area away from external visibility, remain quiet until **ALL CLEAR** announced/signalled by Principal or Deputy Principal.

All staff and students not on class should report immediately to the nearest faculty staffroom/office/library, identify themselves, and enter the room. All windows and doors should be locked and blinds closed until further notice, where possible text/email other staff in your faculty to let them know you/others are in a different area. Remain quiet until **ALL CLEAR** announced/signalled by Principal or Deputy Principal.

Do not leave the room or unlock any door or window until the Principal or one of the Deputy Principals announces that it is safe to do so, and ALL CLEAR has been announced or signalled.

ALL CLEAR will be 3 long bells followed by an assembly in the quad, in the case of bad weather, the assembly will be held in the hall.

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SPORT ORGANISATION

At Picnic Point High School there is a wide variety of sporting pursuits in which students may become involved.

Year 7 Sport

Year 7 participate as a group for Terms 1, 2 and 3. Payment for Year 7 sports will be included in the annual fees.

- Terms 1, 2 and 3 Rotational school sport
- Term 4 Will follow traditional sport with the rest of the school

Students may trial for Grade Sport in Terms 1, 2, 3 and 4. The schedule and sports will vary from term to term.

School Sport

Sport in Years 8 – 11 follows the traditional Grade and Recreational structure. Sport has three seasons this year. This may involve travel to compete against other local schools if undertaking Grade sport or travel to local venues if doing Recreational sport. Students must wear their Sports Uniform to school each Tuesday. Sport begins at 1pm and concludes at 2:21pm.

Sports selections occur each term. The procedure is as follows:

- 1. Grade selections will occur before recreational sports.
- 2. Grade trials will occur as required at the beginning of each sports season.
- 3. All students will receive information stating the sport choices available as well as the date of registration and payment.
- 4. On the day of registration, students will nominate for their chosen sport.
- 5. Students must pay and bring in permission notes in the allocated time period.
- 6. If a student does not pay for their chosen sport then they will need to be moved into a non-payment sport.
- 7. Registration for recreation sports will be conducted on a first in basis.
- 8. Any student who knows they will be absent on registration day must see the Sports Organiser prior to the date set. Other than this situation, registration cannot be done prior to the allotted registration time (that includes by phone).

Attendance at Sport

Attendance at sport is compulsory. Sport is a part of all Board of Studies requirements (including the Higher School Certificate). Families must avoid making medical appointments during school hours. If parents require their child to leave school early then your child must:

- 1. Bring a note with an explanation and present it to the Deputy Principal before school.
- 2. The absence and reason will be recorded in the school attendance system.
- 3. Any student who does not attend sport without permission will have a truancy placed on their school record and they will be given a sports detention.

Any student who receives a pass-out from school must not attend any sports venue on that day or be seen loitering near any venue.

• We provide non-sport for students who are unable to participate due to injury or illness. A doctor's certificate may be required. Continual absence will result in Official Warning Letters being sent.

Non-Sport

Non-Sport is for students who are unable to participate in sport because of illness or injury. Students attending should provide a note outlining the illness or injury where possible. Students who attend non-sport should bring suitable school work to complete during this time. This time will be quiet study time. Non-sport is from 1pm until 2:21pm.

Zone and Knockout Sport

There are many other sporting events in which students may become involved:

- The annual swimming, athletics and cross country carnivals
- State Knockout competitions covering a variety of sports including: Baseball, Rugby League, Water Polo, Cricket, Touch Football, Basketball, Netball and Soccer teams.

The School Opal card

The School Opal card gives eligible students free or discounted travel between home and school using metro, train, bus, ferry and light rail services you nominate in your application.

Who can apply?

To be eligible for a School Opal card, students may need to live a minimum distance from their school:

Years K-2 (Infants)

There is no minimum distance.

Years 3-6 (Primary)

More than 1.6km straight line distance or at least 2.3km walking.

Years 7-12 (Secondary)

More than 2.0km straight line distance or at least 2.9km walking.



If you live too close to be eligible for free travel, you may still qualify for a School Term Bus Pass, which offers travel on buses between home and school at a discounted rate for the whole school term.

Who needs to apply

A new application is only required if the student has not had a School Opal card before.

If the student already has a School Opal card and is changing schools, campuses or home address, you will need to update their Opal card for the new school year before mid-December at apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts

How to apply

Applications for next year open at the start of Term 4 this year.

Step 1

Once the new school has confirmed your child's enrolment, complete the application at apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts

Step 2

The school endorses your application.

Step 3

Once Transport for NSW has approved the application, a School Opal card will be sent to the address provided on the application.



A parent or guardian must apply for students 15 years and under. Students 16 years and over can apply for themselves.



Better together

The School Opal card is only for travel to and from school. So it's a good idea to get a Child/Youth Opal card for travel after hours, on weekends or during school holidays.

Child/Youth Opal card benefits

- · Concession fares across the Opal network
- Half-price travel after eight paid journeys each week*
- \$1 transfer discount for every transfer between modes (metro/train, ferry, bus or light rail) as part of one journey within 60 minutes from the last tap off†
- Set auto top up and link it to your credit or debit card so there's always enough value on the card to travel.

Find out more at **transportnsw.info/opal** or pick one up from an Opal retailer. To find a retailer in your area visit **transportnsw.info/opal-retailers**



Secondary students aged 16 and over can travel with a Child/Youth Opal card when carrying a NSW/ACT Senior Secondary Student Concession Card, available from school offices.

- * Excluding Sydney Airport station access fee
- † The Opal Transfer Discount doesn't apply when transferring between light rail and Sydney Ferries.

Privacy

For information on how we handle personal information please refer to the Opal Privacy Policy at transportnsw.info/tickets-opal/opal/opal-privacy-policy and the School Pass Terms apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/#/termsAndConditions







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Picnic Point High School (Panania)

T: (02) 9772 1700

Effective 3rd December 2018

Route Number	Departure Time	MORNING Route Description
S124	07:30	From Padstow, cnr Gibson & Bryant via Gibson (L) Cahors, Memorial (L) Howard (Padstow Station) (R) Faraday (L) Alma (R) Chamberlain (L) Clancy (R) Dilke (R) Villiers (L) Henry Lawson (R) The River (L) Ferndale (L) Kennedy to shcool (07:53)
S162	07:40	<u>From UWS Milperra</u> via Bullecourt (L) Henry Lawson (R) Pozieres (R) Raleigh (R) Henry Lawson (L) Maclaurin (L) Broe (L) Forrest, Lehn (L) Lucas, Tower (R) The River (R) Ferndale (L) Kennedy to school (08:05)
S125	08:00	<u>From Padstow Heights</u> via (R) Dilke (R) Villiers (L) Roma (L) Playford (L) Dilke (L) Clancy (R) Chamberlain (L) Alma (R) Faraday (L) Padstow (L) Howard (R) Uranus (L) Hydrae (R) Mars (L) The River (R) Ferndale (L) Kennedy to school (08:17)
924	08:02	From East Hills cnr Childs & Park via Park (L) Maclaurin (East Hills Station 08:07) (L) Broe (L) Forrest, Lehn (R) Lucas (L) Henry Lawson (L) Freda (L) Lambeth (L) Tower (R) Anderson Panania Station (8:20) (R) Weston (R) Hinemoa (L) Tower (R) Eastern (L) Ferndale (set down) (08:26)
M92	08:07	Connecting bus from Bankstown via (R) Restwell (R) Macauley (L) Chapel, Gibson (L) Cahors to Padstow Station (08:21) – transfer to Route S132
S166	08:05	From Bankstown Station (South Tce) via (R) Restwell (R) Macauley (L) Chapel (R) Canterbury (L) The River (R) Ferndale (L) Kennedy to school (08:27)
923	08:05	From Picnic Point Boatshed via Carinya (L) Henry Lawson (R) Picnic Point (L) Lawler (R) Lambeth (L) Tower (R) Anderson (Panania Station 08:18) (R) Weston (R) Hinemoa (L) Tower (R) Picnic Point (L) Burns, Kennedy (08:27)
S132	08:25	<u>From Padstow Station</u> NightRide stop (Howard Ave) via Howard (R) Uranus (L) The River (R) Ferndale (L) Kennedy to school (08:40)

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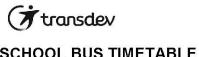
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Picnic Point High School (Panania)

T: (02) 9772 1700

Effective 3rd December 2018

Route	Departure	AFTERNOON Route Description	
Number	Time	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	
S121	15:15	<u>To Padstow Heights</u> via (L) Prince (R) The River (L) Henry Lawson (R) Dilke (R) Villiers (L)	
		Roma (L) Playford (L) Dilke (L) Clancy (R) Chamberlain (L) Alma (R) Faraday to Doyle	
S127	15:15	To St Lukes (join bus opposite school) via (R) Ferndale (L) The River (L) Beaconsfield (L)	
		Victoria (R) Bransgrove to Polo	
S147	15:15	To Milperra via (R) Burns (R) Picnic Point (L) Tower (R) Park (R) Maclaurin (R) Henry Lawson	
		(L) Pozieres (R) Raleigh (R) Newland (L) Amiens (R) Henry Lawson (L) Bullecourt	
	15:15	<u>To Milperra</u> (join bus opposite school) via (R) Ferndale (L) The River (R) Uranus (L) Howard	
S164		(L) Doyle, Beaconsfield (R) Horsley (L) Bullecourt (L) Dernancourt (R) Hermies (L) Henry	
		Lawson (R) Pozieres (R) Raleigh (R) Newland (R) Amiens (L) Pozieres (L) Henry Lawson	
S168	15:15	<u>To Padstow</u> (First stop Padstow Station) (15:24) then via Howard (L) Memorial, Cahors (R)	
3100		Gibson to Turvey	
923	15:17	To Bankstown Station (join bus opposite school) via Route 923 via The River Rd and	
923		Revesby Station (15:23) then to Bankstown Station	
923	15:24	To Picnic Point Boatshed via (R) Burns (R) Picnic Point (L) Tower to Panania Station (15:24),	
923		then via Picnic Point Rd (L) Henry Lawson (R) Carinya to Picnic Point Boatshed	
	15:30	<u>To Padstow Heights</u> (join bus opposite school) via Kennedy (R) Ferndale (R) The River (L)	
S119		Henry Lawson (R) Dilke (R) Villiers (L) Roma (L) Playford (L) Dilke (L) Clancy (R) Chamberlain	
		(L) Alma (R) Faraday (L) Doyle to School Pde	

Route	Departure	AFTERNOON Route Description	
Number	Time	Tuesday, Thursday	
923	14:22	<u>To Bankstown Station</u> (join bus opposite school) via Route 923 via The River Road and	
		Revesby Station (14:28) then to Bankstown Station (14:45)	
923	14:26	To Picnic Point Boatshed via (R) Burns (R) Picnic Point (L) Tower to Panania Station (15:35)	
S119	14:30	To Padstow Heights (Thursdays only) via Kennedy (L) Prince (R) The River (L) Henry Lawson	
		(L) Clancy St (R) Chamberlain (L) Alma (R) Faraday (L) Doyle to School Pde	
S164	14:30	<u>To Milperra</u> (join bus opposite school) via (R) Ferndale (L) The River (R) Uranus (L) Howard	
		(L) Doyle, Beaconsfield (R) Horsley (L) Bullecourt (L) Dernancourt (R) Hermies (L) Henry	
		Lawson (R) Pozieres (R) Raleigh (R) Newland (R) Amiens (L) Pozieres (L) Henry Lawson	
S168	14:30	To Padstow (First stop Padstow Station) (14:42) then via Howard (L) Memorial, Cahors (R)	
3108		Gibson to Turvey	
S121	14:35	To Padstow Heights via (L) Prince (R) The River (L) Henry Lawson (R) Dilke (R) Villiers (L)	
2121		Roma (L) Playford (L) Dilke (L) Clancy (R) Chamberlain (L) Alma (R) Faraday to Doyle	
S147	15:15	To Milperra via (R) Burns (R) Picnic Point (L) Tower (R) Park (R) Maclaurin (R) Henry Lawson	
3147		(L) Pozieres (R) Raleigh (R) Newland (L) Amiens (R) Henry Lawson (L) Bullecourt	

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Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 7 – 2021

A. FEES	\$
Brainstorm (wellbeing presentation)	7.00
Technology Mandatory (TAS) (including blue apron \$10.50)	90.50
Japanese – Obento Deluxe: Workbook (for use in Years 7 and 8)	37.00
Mathspace (online mathematics program)	12.50
Music	50.00
Year 7 Compulsory Sport	30.00
Year 7 Swim School (Term 1)	30.00
School Diary	12.00
Total (A)	\$269.00
B. GENERAL SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$
Textbooks	
Resources	
Computer Network usage	
Sport equipment	
Total (B)	\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT	\$
Total (C)	\$20.00
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C)	\$384.00

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 7 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.

Year 7 Contribution and Subject Specific Fees Schedule 2021

Your contribution plays a vital part in supporting your child's education. Collective community responsibility is the way to ensure that the school you have chosen for your children continues to fulfil your expectations. School contributions and subject specific fees payable for 2021 are as follows:

Fees: These fees are vital and they cover the purchase of consumable materials in Technology Mandatory, the use of teaching materials used in Music and the cost of external programs for compulsory sport. In addition, they cover the cost for:

- Brainstorm (wellbeing presentation): a compulsory Student Wellbeing presentation for all Year
 7 students;
- Japanese Obento Deluxe workbook (for use in Year 7 and Year 8);
- Mathspace: an online mathematics program;
- Swim School: a compulsory program for all Year 7 student, and
- **School Diary:** a valuable resource for recording the following:
 - School timetable;
 - Homework record for students;
 - Assessment task or assignment planning for students;
 - o Communication between staff and parents/carers, and
 - Each student will carry a 'Points Passport' in their diary which they need to present to their teacher when they are awarded positive points.

The General School Contribution: This contribution provides essential funds for the purchase of text books, resources, computer network usage, sporting equipment and materials to support the education of all our students. By paying this contribution, we are able to provide the best education for our children.

The P&C Education Enhancement Contribution: This contribution enables the P&C to fund major projects in the school, e.g. developing ICT learning spaces, covered outdoor learning areas etc. The other major source of P&C funds comes from the P&C run canteen.

Excursions (including camps and sport): Payment for excursions/camps/transport for sport are <u>not</u> included in these fees. Permission letters with payment details will be sent home with students, prior to the excursion/camp/sport event, and will be available on our website.

Any families who are experiencing financial difficulty should contact our School Administrative Manager, Chris Millar, to discuss payment options.

Thank you for your valuable support for the programs we offer at Picnic Point High School.



PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 8 – 2021

A. SUBJECT FEES	\$
Brainstorm (wellbeing presentation)	7.00
Technology Mandatory (TAS)	80.00
Mathspace	12.50
Music Visual Arts	20.00 45.00
School Diary	12.00
Total (A)	 \$176.50
New students to PPHS Year 8: additional payment Japanese – Obento Deluxe workbook	37.00
B. GENERAL SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$
Textbooks Resources Computer Network usage Sport equipment	
Total (B)	\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT	\$
Total (C)	\$20.00
D. ADDITIONAL ITEMS	\$
Locker Hire (per year) (Students to supply their own lock) Apron for TAS – white/blue (price per apron) Maths Scientific Calculator (Casio FX82AU Plus Mark 2)	20.00 10.50 22.00
Total (D)	\$
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C+D)	\$

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 8 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.



PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 9 – 2021

A. SUBJECT FEES	\$
Brainstorm (wellbeing presentation) Food Technology Industrial Technology (Metal) Industrial Technology (Timber) Information Software Technology Obento Supreme Workbook (Years 9 and 10) \$37.00	7.00 120.00 75.00 75.00 30.00
Japanese Education Perfect Online Subscription \$30.00 Music Visual Arts School Diary	50.00 80.00 12.00
Total (A)	\$
B. GENERAL SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$
Textbooks Resources Computer Network usage Sport equipment	
Total (B)	\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT	\$
Total (C)	\$20.00
D. ADDITIONAL ITEMS	\$
Locker Hire (per year) (Students to supply their own lock) Maths Scientific Calculator (Casio FX82AU Plus Mark 2)	20.00 22.00
Total (D)	\$
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C+D)	\$

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 9 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.



PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 10 – 2021

A. SUBJECT FEES	\$
Food Technology Industrial Technology (Metal) Industrial Technology (Timber) Information Software Technology Japanese (Education Perfect Online Subscription \$30.00) Music Visual Arts School Diary	120.00 75.00 75.00 30.00 30.00 50.00 80.00 12.00
Total (A)	\$
New students to PPHS Year 10: additional payment Japanese – Obento Supreme Workbook	37.00
B. GENERAL SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$
Textbooks Resources Computer Network usage Sport equipment	
Total (B)	\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT	\$
Total (C)	\$20.00
D. ADDITIONAL ITEMS	\$
Locker Hire (per year) (Students to supply their own lock) Maths Scientific Calculator (Casio FX82AU Plus Mark 2)	 20.00 22.00
Total (D)	\$
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C+D)	\$

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 10 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.



PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 11 – 2021

A. SUBJECT FEES		\$
Food Technology Industrial Technology (Timber) Music 1 Photography, Video & Digital Imaging VET Construction (** including shirt and \$30 for White Card) VET Entertainment (* including shirt and \$30 for White Card) VET Hospitality (including apron) VET Sport Coaching (including shirt and first aid certificate course) Visual Arts School Diary		140.00 80.00 50.00 100.00 130.00 80.00 140.00 100.00 70.00 12.00
Total (A) B. GENERAL SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$	\$
Textbooks Resources Computer Network usage Sport equipment Total (B)		\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT		\$
Total (C)		\$20.00
D. ADDITIONAL ITEMS		\$
Locker Hire (per year) (Students to supply their own lock) School Tie Maths Scientific Calculator (Casio FX82AU Plus Mark 2) Total (D)	 	20.00 25.00 22.00
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C+D)	\$	

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 11 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.

^{*}If your child is studying both VET Construction and VET Entertainment, the \$30 White Card payment is only payable once.

^{**} If your child has completed the White Card course at school in Year 10, the fee for VET Construction and/or VET Entertainment will be less \$30 for the White Card.



PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Statement of School Fees and Contributions Year 12 – 2021

A. SUBJECT FEES			\$
Engineering Studies Food Technology Industrial Technology (Till Japanese Continuers Music 1 Photography, Video & Dig VET Construction VET Entertainment VET Hospitality	workbook Education Perfect Online Subscription - OPTIONAL		10.00 60.00 50.00 28.00 30.00 50.00 100.00 40.00 100.00
VET Sport Coaching Visual Arts School Diary	(Students are responsible for the Body of Works supplies)	_ _ _	25.00 30.00 12.00
Total (A)		\$	
B. GENERAL SCHOO	L CONTRIBUTIONS		\$
Textbooks Resources Computer Network usage Sport equipment	е		
Total (B)			\$95.00
C. P&C EDUCATION I	ENHANCEMENT		\$
Total (C)			\$20.00
D. ADDITIONAL ITEM	s		\$
School Tie	tudents to supply their own lock) or (Casio FX82AU Plus Mark 2)		20.00 25.00 22.00
TOTAL PAYABLE (A+B+C+D)		\$	

Payment can be made:

- 1. through parent online payments (POP) using credit or debit card via the school website, stating your child's name and Year 12 2021;
- 2. by cash/Eftpos/credit card, in person, at the school office between 8.30am and 2pm

Please note:

The preferred methods for payment are listed above. We appreciate that not all parents and carers may have access to the internet. If you are unable to pay using one of the preferred methods, please contact the school on 9772 1700 to arrange for an alternative form of payment.

Year 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 Contribution and Subject Specific Fees Schedule 2021

Your contribution plays a vital part in supporting your child's education. Collective community responsibility is the way to ensure that the school you have chosen for your children continues to fulfil your expectations. School contributions and subject specific fees payable for 2021 are as follows:

- 1. **Brainstorm (wellbeing presentation)**: a compulsory student wellbeing presentation for all students in Years 8 9.
- 2. **Subject specific fees**: These fees are vital and they cover the purchase of consumable materials in subjects such as Visual Arts, Photography, Music, Dance, Drama, Japanese, Food Technology, Industrial Technology, and VET courses, i.e. Construction, Entertainment Industry and Hospitality.
- 3. **Mathspace** (Year 8 only) an online mathematics program.
- 4. **The General School Contribution**: This contribution provides essential funds for the purchase of text books, resources, computer network usage, sporting equipment and materials to support the education of all our students. By paying this contribution, we are able to provide the best education for our children.
- 5. **The P&C Education Enhancement contribution**: This contribution enables the P&C to fund major projects in the school, e.g. developing ICT learning spaces, covered outdoor learning areas, and more recently, the outdoor Café. The other major source of P&C funds comes from the P&C operated canteen.

Payment can be made via the school website through parent online payment (POP), stating your child's name and Year or by visiting the school between 8:30am and 2.00pm and paying by credit card. Receipts are issued for all fees and contributions paid.

Any families who are experiencing financial difficulty should contact our School Administrative Manager, Chris Millar, to discuss payment options.

Thank you for your valuable support for the programs we offer at Picnic Point High School.

EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL YEARS

LARGE FELT TIPPED PENS ARE NOT TO BE BROUGHT TO SCHOOL ALL STUDENTS WILL BE ISSUED WITH A PICNIC POINT HIGH SCHOOL DIARY

Year 7 and 8T 2	2021	
General Requirements:	 Blue, black and red p Pencils (B) Sharpener Eraser Glue stick Ruler (30cm) Scissors Coloured pencils or t 	 Headphones/Earphones 4 whiteboard markers Highlighters Display folder A4 ruled writing pad Laptop and protective case
Additional require	ments for specific subjec	ts:
САРА	Music	Display folder (A4)A pair of earphones or headphones
English		Exercise book (A4) 96 pagesPocket dictionary
History		Exercise book (A4) 192 pages
Languages	Japanese	Exercise book (A4) 96 pages
Mathematics		 Exercise book (grid preferred) (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II 2nd Edition
PE	PD/Health/PE	Exercise book (A4) 128 pages
Science		 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Calculator (NESA approved)
Social Sciences	Geography	Exercise book (A4) 48 pages
TAS	Technology Mandatory	 Display folder (A4) – clear view Apron (blue) – included in fees and will be provided when lessons commence

Support Unit students for All Years:

Teachers will provide parents with information regarding the purchase of a class specific equipment pack

Year 8 2021				
General Requirements	 Blue, black and red p Pencils (B) Sharpener Eraser Glue stick 	 Scissors Coloured pencils or textas Correction tape (n.b. liquid paper is banned in Science) 		
Additional require	ments for specific subject	ts:		
CAPA	Music Visual Arts	 Display folder (A4) A pair of earphones or headphones Pencils – 2B, 4B and 6B Sketchbook – spiral bound with PVC cover (A4) 120 pages 		
English		 Display folder (A4) Exercise book (A4) 250 pages Pocket dictionary 		
History		Exercise book (A4) 240 pages		
Languages	Japanese	Exercise book – 96 pages		
Mathematics		 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Textbook clipcase Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II or equivalent (NESA approved) 		
PE	PD/Health/PE	Exercise book (A4) 128 pages		
Science		Exercise book (A4) 240 pages NESA approved calculator 30 cm ruler		
Social Sciences	Geography	A4 exercise book – 96 pages		
TAS	Technology Mandatory	 Display folder (A4) – clear view Apron (white) Apron (blue) 		

Please note: 8T students will be involved in a pilot project and should follow the supplies list for Year 7 and 8T 2021 (previous page). Students in 8T will be provided a laptop on loan from our school library.

Year 9 2021				
General Requirements	 Blue, black and red Pencils (B) Sharpener Eraser Glue stick Ruler 	 Scissors Coloured pencils or textas Correction tape (n.b. liquid paper is banned in Science) Scientific calculator 		
Additional require	ments for specific subjec	cts:		
САРА	Music Visual Arts	 Display folder (A4) Pencils – 2B, 4B and 6B Sketchbook – spiral bound with PVC cover (A3) 		
English		 Exercise book (A4) 250 pages Pocket dictionary Folder (plastic sleeves) 		
History	History Psychology	Exercise book (A4) 240 pages (for each subject)		
Languages	Japanese	Exercise book (A4) 96 pages		
Mathematics		 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Textbook clipcase Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II or equivalent (NESA approved) 		
PE	PD/Health/PE PASS	Exercise book (A4) 128 pages		
Science	FAGG	 Exercise book (A4) 200 pages Exercise book (A4) 240 pages NESA approved calculator 		
Social Sciences	Commerce Geography	Exercise book (A4) 96 pages (for each subject)		
	Food Technology	 Ring binder (A4) with paper Plastic sleeves Display book (A4) - clear view Apron (white) 		
	Graphics Technology	Display folder (A3)Pacer pencil (clutch)Compass		
TAS	Industrial Technology Metal	Apron (blue)		
	Industrial Technology Timber	 Display booklet Pencil Apron (blue) 		
	Information and Software Technology	 Ring binder (A4) with paper Plastic sleeves Display book (A4) – clear view 		

Year 10 2021					
General Requirements	 Blue, black and red p Pencils (B) Sharpener Eraser Glue stick Ruler 	 Scissors Coloured pencils or textas Correction tape (n.b. liquid paper is banned in Science) Scientific calculator 			
Additional require	ments for specific subject	s:			
САРА	Music Visual Arts	 Display folder Pencils – 2B, 4B and 6B Sketchbook – spiral bound with PVC cover (A3) Stretched canvas (to be advised by the teacher when needed) 			
English		 Exercise book (A4) 250 pages Pocket dictionary Folder (plastic sleeves) 			
History	History History elective Psychology	Exercise book (A4) 240 pages			
Languages	Japanese	Exercise book – 96 pages			
Mathematics	All courses	 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Textbook clipcase Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II or equivalent (NESA approved) 			
PD/Health/PF • Evergise book (A4) 128 pages					
PE	PASS	Exercise book (A4) 200 pages			
Science		 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages NESA approved calculator 			
Social Sciences	Commerce Geography	Exercise book (A4) 96 pages (for each subject)			
	Food Technology	 Ring binder (A4) with paper Plastic sleeves Display book – clear view Apron (white) 			
	Graphics Technology	Display folder (A3)Pacer pencil (clutch)Compass			
TAS	Industrial Technology Metal	Apron (blue)			
	Industrial Technology Timber	 Display booklet Pencil Apron (blue) 			
	Information and Software Technology	 Ring binder (A4) with paper Plastic sleeves Display book – clear view 			

Year 11 2021		
General Requirements	 Blue, black and red p Pencils (B) Sharpener Eraser Glue stick Ruler 	 Scissors Highlighters A4 ring folders Correction tape (n.b. liquid paper is banned in Science)
Additional require	ments for specific subject	is:
	Music 1	Display folder (A4)
CAPA	Photography, Video and Digital Imaging	 Sketch book (A4) Display folder – plastic inserts 8GB USB and 8GB memory card (minimum)
	VET Entertainment	Paper – loose leaf (A4) Display folder
	Visual Arts	 Pencils – 2B, 4B and 6B Sketchbook – spiral bound with PVC cover (A3)
English	All courses	 Paper – lined (A4) – loose leaf Plastic sleeves
History	History (all courses) Society and Culture	Paper – loose leaf (A4)Plastic sleeves
Mathematics	All courses	 Exercise book (A4) 240 pages Ruler (30cm) Textbook clipcase Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II or equivalent (NESA approved)
	Community and Family Studies	Writing book (A4) 200 pagesRing folder (A4)
PE	PD/Health/PE	Paper – lined (A4)Writing book (A4) 200 pages
	SLR VET Sport Coaching	Exercise book (A4) 120 pagesWriting book (A4) 120 pages
Science	Biology Chemistry Investigating Science Physics	 Exercise book (A4) or ring binder and paper (A4) – loose leaf Display folders x 5 Compass and protractor NESA approved calculator
	Business Studies	 Paper – loose leaf (A4) Plastic sleeves Board approved calculator
	Economics	 Paper – loose leaf (A4) Plastic sleeves Board approved calculator
Social Sciences	Geography	 Paper – loose leaf (A4) Coloured pencils Plastic sleeves Geometry set and ruler Board approved calculator
	Legal Studies	Paper – loose leaf (A4)Plastic sleeves
	Food Technology	Apron (white)
	Industrial Technology Timber	PencilsApron (blue)
TAS	VET Construction	Apron (blue) Pencil
	VET Hospitality	Apron (white)Food container

Year 12 2021		
	Blue, black and red p	ens • Scissors
	 Pencils (B) 	 Highlighters
General	 Sharpener 	 A4 ring folders
Requirements	Eraser	 Correction tape (n.b. liquid paper is banned in
	Glue stick	Science)
	 Ruler 	,
Additional require	ments for specific subject	ts:
	Music 1	Display folder (A4)
	Photography, Video and	Sketch book (A4)
	Digital Imaging	Display folder – plastic inserts
		8GB USB and 8GB memory card (minimum)
CAPA	VET Entertainment	Display folder
		• Pencils – 2B, 4B and 6B
	\/iaal Anta	A3 Sketch book – spiral bound with PVC cover
	Visual Arts	Loose leaf folder
		Supply practical materials for Body of Work
Facilials	All courses	Paper – lined (A4) – loose leaf
English	All courses	Plastic sleeves
Ulater:	History (all courses)	Paper – loose leaf (A4)
History	Society and Culture	Plastic sleeves
Languages	Japanese Continuers	Exercise book (A4) 128 pages
		Exercise book (A4) 240 pages
M. d	All	• Ruler (30cm)
Mathematics	All courses	Textbook clipcase
		Calculator: CASIO fx-82AU PLUS II or equivalent (NESA approved)
	Community and Family	Writing book (A4) 200 pages
	Studies	Ring folder (A4)
		Paper – lined (A4)
PE	PD/Health/PE	Writing book (A4) 200 pages
	SLR	Exercise book (A4) 120 pages
	VET Sport Coaching	Writing book (A4) 120 pages
	Biology	Exercise book (A4) or ring binder and paper (A4) – loose leaf
	Chemistry	Display folders x 5
Science	Investigating Science	Compass and protractor
	Physics	NESA approved calculator
	i i i juici	Paper – loose leaf (A4)
		4 x ring binder folders (A4)
	Business Studies	Plastic sleeves
		Board approved calculator
		A4 paper – loose leaf
Social Sciences		Coloured pencils
	Geography	Plastic sleeves
	3 -	Geometry set and ruler
		Board approved calculator
	1 101 "	Paper – loose leaf (A4)
	Legal Studies	Plastic sleeves
	Franka andrew Ote Per	Ring binder (A4)
	Engineering Studies	Display book
	Food Technology	Apron (white)
	Industrial Technology	Paper (A4) – loose leaf
	Multimedia	Display book
TAS	Industrial Technology	Pencils
	Timber	Apron (blue)
	VET Complementing	Apron (blue)
	VET Construction	Pencil
	VET Hospitality	Apron (white)
	VET Hospitality	Food container

PARENT ASSISTANCE

Parents and Citizens Association (P&C)

The P&C is much more than just a fund raising committee; members of the P&C are involved in many aspects of the school:

- Canteen volunteers
- Scribes for examinations
- Interviewing panels for staff placements
- Selection panels for Year 7 enrolments
- Various committees e.g. Canteen, site, uniform, performing arts and social
- Annual Report writing
- Textbook covering as required

Picnic Point High School P&C meetings are usually held on <u>3rd Monday of each month at 6:30pm in A Block</u> and all are welcome. This is an opportunity to ask questions, find out what's going on at the school, get to know how things run, offer suggestions and get to know other parents.

There is no obligation to be involved with any committees or take a position on the P&C.

If you have any questions please ring the school and they will put you in touch with a member of the P&C executive. We look forward to seeing you and encourage you to be part of your school community.

Parent Volunteer Roster

Each year the school compiles a database of parents who are willing to assist the school and the students in a wide variety of ways e.g. reader / writer for examinations, sports umpire/coaches, working bees, library etc.

If you can assist in any way, please complete the 'Parent Volunteer' form that will be in the Orientation Day pack. All help is greatly appreciated.

PPHS Canteen Menu

SNACKS	Price	SALADS & SUSHI	Price	DRINKS	Price
Seasonal Fruit	\$1.00	Sushi Maki Roll (Tuna, Vege or Teriyaki Chicken)	\$3.50	Flavoured Milk (300ml)	\$2.00
Fruit Salad	\$3.00	Rice Paper Roll (Vegetable or Chicken)	\$3.50	Flavoured Milk (500ml)	\$3.50
Yoghurt	\$2.00	Salad Box (Lettuce, Tomato, Carrot, Beetroot, Cucumber)	\$4.00	Ice Break (500ml)	\$3.50
Vege Sticks and Hummus Dip	\$2.50	Greek Salad	\$4.00	Up & Go	\$2.00
Grainwaves – Sour Cream	\$1.50	Chicken / Tuna / Ham Salads	\$5.00		
Breadsticks – Plain or Pizza	\$3.00			Fruit Juice – Orange / Apple / Blackcurrant / Mang	o \$2.50
Red Rock Chips – Sea Salt	\$1.50	HOT FOOD			
Mamee Noodle Snacks – BBQ/Chicken	\$1.00	Macaroni & Cheese Pasta (Gluten-free available)	\$3.50	Water (600ml)	\$1.50
Mamee Rice Sticks – Cheese/Chicken	\$1.00	Twista Pasta Bolognese *	\$3.50	PUMP Water (750ml)	\$3.00
Bread Roll (plain or with sauce)	\$1.00	Lasagne *	\$3.50	Mt Franklin Flavoured Water	\$2.00
		Chicken Wedges* (3 Pack)	\$2.00		
		Gluten Free Chicken Nuggets (5 Pack)	\$2.00	Glee (sparkling 99% fruit juice)	\$2.00
SANDWICHES		Meatballs (6 pack) *	\$2.00	Sugar Free Soft Drinks	\$2.00
Vegemite	\$2.00	Hash Brown	\$1.00	Waterfords Lite Sparkling Mineral Water	\$3.00
Cheese	\$2.50	Spinach and Ricotta Roll / Sausage Roll	\$3.00		
Chicken and Avocado	\$4.00	Garlic Bread / Grilled Cheese Sub	\$1.00	Hot Chocolate	\$2.00
Tuna	\$3.50	Oregano Lebanese Pizza	\$3.00		
Roast Chicken and Lettuce	\$4.00	Cheese Pide	\$4.50	ICE CREAMS	
Ham, Cheese and Tomato	\$4.00	Spinach & Cheese Pide	\$4.50	Quelch Sticks	\$0.50
Egg (Plain or Curried) and Lettuce	\$3.50	Meat Lebanese Pizza *	\$4.50	Juicies	\$1.00
Salad (Lettuce, Tomato, Carrot, Cucumber, Beetroot)	\$4.00	Meat & Cheese Lebanese Pizza *	\$5.00	Moosies - chocolate	\$1.00
		Sausage (Sujuk) & Cheese Lebanese Pizza *	\$5.00	Juicy Cups	\$1.00
BREAKFAST (BEFORE SCHOOL)		Chicken Fried Rice *	\$4.50	Vanilla Ice Cream Tub / Gelato Tub	\$2.00
Oven Baked Cheese Bread	\$1.00	Butter Chicken & Rice * (Gluten-free)	\$5.00		
Oven Baked Cheese & Bacon Bread	\$1.50	Thai Chicken Curry & Rice *	\$5.00	Order online using the Flexischools app, or	or place
Hash Brown	\$1.00	Chicken Burger * with Lettuce & Mayo	\$3.50	your order bag and money in the boxes o	
Hot Chocolate	\$2.00	Vege Burger with Lettuce, Tomato & Mayo	\$3.50	the student office doors by the end of rec	
		Captain's Special (wedges & hash brown on roll, sweet chilli	\$4.00	You can pay for purchases using your stud	
		sauce, mayo & lettuce) Royal Roubaie Burger (chicken burger with cheese, tomato,	\$5.00	card. Load money onto your Flexischools	
		cucumber, beetroot, lettuce & mayo and sweet chilli sauce)	,	and enter your student barcode number i relevant field. Then just scan your card w	
		Vampire Burger (same as Royal Roubaie but with garlic	\$5.00	buying items at the canteen.	icii
		buttered bun)			

Canteen Prices Term 1 2021 v.3

· We do not accept credit or debit cards. We still

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Picnic Point High School is a fully uniformed school and all students are expected to be in school uniform each day. Wearing the School Uniform helps students feel part of a purposeful social group. They are entitled through wearing the uniform to display pride in the school, its achievements and what it represents. The wearing of the uniform encourages a sense of unity and pride in co-operative endeavour.

Uniforms are available from Lowes, Bankstown and also Panania Uniforms & Embroidery, 34 Anderson Avenue, Panania.

School ties and blazers may be borrowed from the school for students to wear when representing the school at special events. Approved headwear must be white, grey or bottle green only.

Junior Girls All Seasons Uniform

Blouse: Lemon with school crest and green piping

Skirt: Bottle green and gold (to be worn at a modest length)
Shorts: Bottle green tailored (to be worn at a modest length)

Slacks: Bottle green tailored (no corduroy pants, cargos, tight jeans, track pants, tights or elasticated

ankles)

Tie: Bottle green with crest (optional)
Jacket: Green and gold school jacket
Pullover: Bottle green with school crest
Sloppy Joe: Bottle green with school crest
Socks: White, visible ankle style

Scarf: Plain white, grey or bottle green

Shoes: All black enclosed full leather shoes with black laces (no canvas, mesh, ballet, boat or Dunlop

Volley shoes)

Stockings: Black; may be worn with skirt or dress (no holes)

Junior Boys All Seasons Uniform

Shirt: Green with school crest (short or long sleeve)

Shorts: Grey gabardine or Beare and Ley grey blocker shorts or College shorts (see photographs of

correct and incorrect shorts on the following page)

Trousers: Beare and Ley grey blocker pants, Twill trousers or College trousers (no corduroy

pants, jeans, track pants or elasticated ankles)

Jacket: Green and gold school jacket
Pullover: Bottle green with school crest
Sloppy Joe: Bottle green with school crest
Tie: Bottle green with crest (optional)

Socks: White, visible ankle style

Shoes: All black enclosed full leather shoes with black laces (no canvas, mesh, ballet, boat or Dunlop

Volley shoes)

Belt: Black or grey - no studs

Senior Girls All Seasons Uniform

Blouse: White with school crest and green piping

Skirt: Bottle green and gold tartan (to be worn at a modest length)

Shorts: Grey tailored (to be worn at a modest length)

Slacks: Grey tailored (no corduroy pants, cargos, tight jeans, track pants, tights or elasticated ankles)

Jacket: Green and gold school jacket
Pullover: Bottle green with school crest
Sloppy Joe: Bottle green with school crest

Prefect Tie: Striped bottle green prefect tie with school crest

Socks: White, visible ankle style

Scarf: Plain white, grey or bottle green

Shoes: All black enclosed full leather shoes with black laces (no canvas, mesh, ballet, boat or Dunlop

Volley shoes)

Stockings: Black; to be worn with skirt (no holes)

Senior Boys All Seasons Uniform

Shirt: White with school crest

Shorts: Grey gabardine or Beare and Ley grey blocker shorts or College shorts (see photographs of

correct and incorrect shorts below)

Trousers: Beare and Ley grey blocker pants, Twill trousers or College trousers (no corduroy pants, jeans,

track pants or elasticated ankles). Trousers will be required for graduation (Year 12 boys)

Jacket: Green and gold school jacket
Pullover: Bottle green with school crest
Sloppy Joe: Bottle green with school crest
Tie: Bottle green with crest (optional)

Prefect Tie: Striped bottle green prefect tie with school crest

Socks: White, visible ankle style

Shoes: All black enclosed full leather shoes with black laces (no canvas, mesh, ballet, boat or Dunlop

Volley shoes)

Belt: Black or grey - no studs

Unisex Sports Uniform

Polo Top: Green and gold microfibre

Shorts: Bottle green knit shorts with emblem

Socks White, visible sports style

Shoes: White full leather joggers – must be lace up joggers that are majority white with white laces (no

canvas, mesh, boat, slip on or Dunlop Volley shoes)

Tracksuit: Bottle green and gold

Cap: Bottle green, grey or white (plain – no logos)

Notes:

1. When representing the school at Grade, Zone, Regional or State level, students MUST wear full sports uniform and/or school tracksuit.

2. It is compulsory for all students to wear the sport uniform during all PE lessons and for sport. If students have PE period 5 then they must be in complete sport uniform including the accepted school shoes to leave the school. Black leather shoes or white sport joggers.

SUN PROTECTION FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Students may wear any plain hat or cap coloured green, grey or white without logos. The school offers a plain grey cap for students to purchase from the front office.

SAFETY IN SOME SUBJECTS

Subjects like Industrial Technology, Food and Textiles Technology and Science have a safety requirement that students always wear fully enclosed lace up leather shoes. On sport days, students must bring the correct footwear for these subjects.



SCHOOL UNIFORM CODE

On many occasions the school community has reaffirmed that Picnic Point High School is a school at which students are expected to wear uniform. It is clear that the community expects all students to wear the correct school uniform.

Not only are students expected to wear the correct school uniform, they are also expected to wear it correctly. This applies equally to senior and junior students as well as males and females.

If out of uniform, students will spend recess and lunch indoors. This is to ensure that the safety of all students is maintained by:

- being able to recognise all students in the playground at all times as students belonging to our school, and
- avoiding injury through the wearing of inappropriate clothing/jewellery and footwear.

Families who are experiencing financial difficulties may approach the school confidentially and assistance will be provided. Please contact the Administrative Manager if you require assistance.

The school uniform code requires that:

- 1. Shirts must be worn in the following manner:
 - Collars turned down
 - Buttoned up and only the top button may be undone (for boys)
- 2. School jackets when worn, must have the collar turned down
- 3. The school tie is to be worn correctly with the top button of the shirt to be done up
- 4. Girls skirts, shorts and dresses must be worn at a respectful and modest length
- 5. Belts to be enclosed in the loops of the trousers or shorts. No part of the belt to hang down
- 6. Underwear must not be visible
- 7. Any shirt worn under the uniform is to be plain white
- 8. Jewellery must be kept to an absolute minimum anything which has the potential to cause injury to the wearer or any other student is unacceptable. Small, discrete earrings (nothing dangling) may be allowed.
- 9. No heavy make-up or dark lipstick
- 10. No coloured hair. Natural colouring may be permitted
- 11. The expectation is that all clothing is to be in a good condition without rips or tears

ACCEPTABLE SHOES

CORRECT SHOES:











These shoes are acceptable because they are all black enclosed full leather/suede shoes with black laces. (They are not canvas, mesh, ballet, boat or Dunlop Volley shoes)

UNACCEPTABLE SHOES

INCORRECT SHOES:





This shoe is not full leather (it has mesh)



This shoe is not totally black or totally leather



This shoe is not full leather, it is canvas



This is not a shoe, it is a boot

These shoes are unacceptable because they are not all black enclosed full leather shoes with black laces.

ACCEPTABLE SPORTS SHOES

CORRECT SHOES











These sports shoes are acceptable because they are full leather joggers with white laces and are a majority of white. (They are not canvas, mesh, boat, slip on or Dunlop Volley shoes)

UNACCEPTABLE SPORTS SHOES

INCORRECT SHOES





This sport shoe is made of canvas



This sport shoe has a mesh insert and is not majority white



This sport shoe is not complete leather



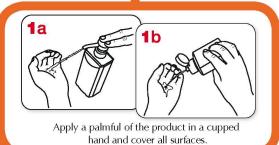
This sport shoe is not white and is a boot

How to handrub?

WITH ALCOHOL-BASED FORMULATION

How to handwash?

WITH SOAP AND WATER





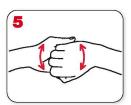


Wet hands with water

apply enough soap to cover all hand surfaces.



Rub hands palm to palm



backs of fingers to opposing palms with fingers interlocked



right palm over left dorsum with interlaced fingers and vice versa



rotational rubbing of left thumb clasped in right palm and vice versa



palm to palm with fingers interlaced



rotational rubbing, backwards and forwards with clasped fingers of right hand in left palm and vice versa



rinse hands with water



dry thoroughly with a single use towel



use towel to turn off faucet



20-30 sec





40-60 sec



...and your hands are safe.



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