



FREELING PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESCHOOL - 7

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HAPPY HAVEN IS CURRENTLY STILL ABLE TO OFFER Out of School Hours Care

OSHC Service hours (6:45 – 8:45am and 3:00 – 6:15pm)

Outside of these hours the mobile number is available for you to leave a voice message or send a text message regarding bookings/absences.

HAPPY HAVEN - FREELING SERVICE – DIRECT 0404 735 135

PLEASE REMEMBER STUDENTS ARE NOT TO BE ON SCHOOL GROUNDS BEFORE 8:30am

PLEASE STAY MINDFUL of the HEALTH and SAFETY of OUR SCHOOL & WIDER COMMUNITY

- IF YOUR CHILD IS UNWELL, DO NOT SEND THEM TO SCHOOL. PLEASE NOTIFY THE SCHOOL VIA **PHONE 8525 2045 OR SMS 0437 246 569**
- IF THEY ARRIVE AT SCHOOL OR BECOME UNWELL, WE WILL CONTACT YOU FOR THEM TO BE COLLECTED.
- PLEASE WASH OR SANITISE YOUR HANDS AND COVER YOUR COUGHS AND SNEEZES.
- MAINTAIN SOCIAL DISTANCING - 1.5 M BETWEEN ADULTS IN OR OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL GROUNDS.

COVID-19 UPDATE

Things have changed dramatically in the last few days for all of us in SA. We are working hard to try to keep you all updated as we are given information.

Monday and Tuesday are designated Pupil Free Days. Teachers will be at home preparing for online learning. There will be two staff members on site to supervise children of essential workers. OSHC will be open for before and after school hours care. We appreciate the support of families in keeping students home where there is an adult to care for them. This allows us to minimise the number of staff on site, and to support the purpose of the hard lockdown, which is to keep movement in the community to an absolute minimum.

It is possible that online learning will commence for children on Wednesday. You will receive communication from your child's teacher about this via seesaw as we receive advice and direction from SA Health and the Department for Education. Please make sure your children can access their Microsoft Teams accounts, which were set up back in term 1.

If you do not have access to devices at home and we are directed to move to at home learning, we will post home a learning pack for your child. Please communicate with your child's class teacher if you believe you will require hard copies of learning tasks.

The department have set up online learning for children of all ages. This is available on the Our Learning SA website, and can be accessed at any time. You may like to explore some of this learning over the next few days, and you may also choose to use these tasks to supplement the learning tasks that teachers will assign if children are learning from home.

<https://www.education.sa.gov.au/our-learning-sa>

DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER

**Friday 20th
SCHOOL CLOSURE**

**Monday 23rd
PUPIL FREE DAY**

**Tuesday 24th
PUPIL FREE DAY**

*(children of essential
workers ONLY
on these above days)*

DECEMBER

*Upcoming events in
December may change
based on the direction
from SA Health*

**Tuesday 1st
Kapunda High
Yr 7 Transition TBA
Governing Council
Mtg 7pm TBA**

**Wednesday 9th
End of Year Assembly
Yr 7 Graduation TBA**

**Friday 11th
Last Day of Term –
2.15pm Dismissal**

**Wednesday 16th
ASBESTOS REMOVAL
PLEASE STAY OFF
SCHOOL GROUNDS**



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

I know many families will have questions that we cannot answer at the moment. We are preparing alternative plans for year 7 graduation and the end of year assembly should restrictions prevent us from holding the events as initially planned.

Lunch orders are cancelled for the remainder of the year. Should we return to face to face learning before the end of the year, we will endeavour to reschedule sushi orders. If this is not possible, money will be refunded to families at the earliest possible moment.

As information continues to change frequently, please make sure you are regularly checking the school Facebook page and your seesaw accounts. These are the easiest avenues for us to maintain clear communication with families.

Stay safe, everyone!

The information cannot and should not be ignored.

Please continue to keep up-to-date with information by regularly checking Seesaw, the Freeling Primary School P-7 Facebook page and by reading the newsletter. Information is being updated regularly. Please accept the responsibility for keeping communication lines open and responding in the best interests of everyone's immediate and future health and safety.



DUE DATES

Fri 27th November
Year 7 Graduation \$

OVERDUE

School Fees \$
Preschool Fees \$

SCHOOL FEES / PRESCHOOL FEES

School fees are now OVERDUE and unless you have paid your fees in full or arranged and signed a part payment plan then the Bad Debt process has commenced the final stage. Any unpaid fees have now been referred on to the Department Bad Debts Service.

Preschool fees are OVERDUE - \$75 is due by week 4 of each term.

If you have received a statement and a letter indicating your fees are overdue please pay in full within 30 days. If you wish to discuss your overdue account further please phone the school asap.



As we near the end of the year, we are asking students and parents to have a check at home for any school resources, library books or readers and return them to school when school reopens, ready for our end of year stocktake.



Week 7
Tuesday 24th November

Sushi (CANCELLED)

School Lunches cancelled
until further notice

School Uniforms 2021

We will be placing an order for school uniforms before the end of the term. If you require uniform, please email your order to deb.meaney610@schools.sa.edu.au by **Friday 27th of November**