

LEURA PUBLIC SCHOOL

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2021 School Organisation

Dear parents/carers,

As we approach the end of the year, I realise many of you are thinking of what 2021 will bring for your child here at Leura PS. The staff have been working on our intended organisation so I am sharing some of this with you now. Please keep in mind that this is our current plan. If circumstances change over the holidays or into the start of next year, the plan may need to change. Also, I can appreciate that as parents you may have preferences for which teacher/s you would like for your child/children, however, I will not be accepting requests for particular teachers.

Our projected student enrolments are 230, which means we will form 10 classes. Our teaching staff will remain consistent, with a mix of permanent and temporary teachers.

The teachers allocated to each stage (at this point) are:

- Early Stage 1: Mrs. Simpson, and Mrs. Jinks
- Stage 1: Mrs. Aldred, Mrs. Field (AP) and Mrs. Hutchinson
- Stage 2: Mr. Atkinson (AP), Mrs. McGowan and Mrs. Rhodes
- Stage 3: Mrs. Rhodes, and Ms. Mc Mahon and Ms. Farrell

Our RFF and Support part-time roles (at this point) are:

- RFF Art: Ms. De CroosRFF Music: Mr. Connor
- Teacher Librarian: Mrs. Colton
- Learning & Support Teacher: Mrs. Pearce
- Executive RFF & Literacy Support: Mrs. Cooke, Mr. Pearce

We expect that we will have single stream classes with some composite classes during 2021, mainly as a result of the number of students in each grade and their range of needs.

We have had the privilege of working with a number of teachers during 2020 who will not be returning during 2021. I would like to thank Mr Angel, Mrs. Standen, Mr. Bartie and Mrs. Way for their service, time and teaching at Leura Public School. I would like to wish them all the best as they embark on new journeys in their career.

I hope you and your children will enjoy these final school days for 2020, as we have had a very disruptive and difficult year across the board. Please stay safe, enjoy the festive season and I look forward to a positive and fantastic 2021.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Yours sincerely,

May Ptolemy Principal