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Dates To Remember

**17th August @
9:30am is the next
tour of the school
for 2023 Reception
Children and their
Parents.**

**9th September is
the Whyalla Wide
School
Day.**



Dear Parents, Caregivers and Families,

On Wednesday I had the privilege of teaching in B4 when Mrs Saji was away. I was completely blown away by the progress our Reception and Year 1 students have made with their reading. They demonstrated an improved ability to decode words and manipulate sounds.

Our School Improvement Plan outlines our learning goals for the whole school, which is to improve student achievement in Literacy and Numeracy. The work done by all staff is to be commended and in particular the leadership of Mrs Kleinrahm as our Senior Leader in Literacy and Numeracy improvement as she has guided us on our journey.

Students in all classes spend the majority of their learning time before Big Lunch focused on Literacy. We are very fortunate this term, that we have Miss Hart to run intervention groups with our students throughout the day. This also highlights the importance of our students attending school each day, on time, to ensure they are able to make the most of the extra support.

It was very pleasing to see the number of students who had improved their attendance last term. Some students have made terrific gains and deserve a pat on the back. Special congratulations to Macee Brown who had 100% attendance last term. Well done Macee!

Our PARENT SURVEY will open this week. It is a great opportunity for you to share feedback on what is working well at Whyalla Stuart Primary School and provide suggestions on how we could make our school become even better.

If you did not receive an email or SMS with your unique survey link, please contact education.ParentSurvey@sa.gov.au and include our school name in your email.

The survey takes less than 10 minutes and will help us understand:

- what we're doing well
- where we can improve
- what's important to you.

Your answers will not identify you or your child. Only collated feedback will be provided to our school. Information collected will inform school improvement planning and activities at the school. The survey closes 5pm Sunday 28 August.

Yesterday was the first school tour for enrolments for 2023. It was great to see some of our existing parents with their younger children touring the school, as well as some new faces. We look forward to welcoming you to our school next year!

Jenny