



# Wyoming Public School

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## Welcome to 3B (Stage 2) with Mr Jack Buffon

Welcome back to a new year! I look forward to fostering a love of school and learning in your children. Here's what you need to know to prepare for Year 3:

MONDAY	<u>Creative and Performing Arts</u> (Drama, Visual Arts, Music, Dance) with Mrs Carter,
TUESDAY	<u>Library</u> (with Mrs Walton) please bring a book bag (an old Books in Homes bag is ideal),
WEDNESDAY	<u>Scripture</u> (odd weeks)

**Equipment** needs to be **labelled** and brought every day:

- lead pencils
- sharpener
- textas
- ruler – 30cm long; no bendy, metal, tape-measure or folding rulers please
- NO liquid paper (tape or brush)
- clipboard (for homework, use outside the classroom and for group work)
- Old shirt or t-shirt to protect uniform during Art lessons
- hat (for play, outdoor learning, fitness and sport)
- drink bottle
- scissors (not mini)
- eraser
- box of tissues for class
- glue sticks
- coloured pencils
- pencil case

**Home Reading** is expected to occur at least four days each week (Monday to Thursday). Home reading will be checked daily and students who read will accumulate class awards (see classroom Rewards System). If there are any complications with Home Reading, please send a note or contact me to discuss.

**Homework** is supplied weekly and includes spelling, literacy activities and maths revision. Home reading (and completing the log) is considered part of homework. Students need to return homework on Friday mornings.

**Absences:** It is a legal requirement that families explain a child's absence from school within one week of the absence. The free Wyoming Public School app has an option to message the school regarding absences, or you can send a note. Any leave (short or long term or partial i.e. part of a day) please provide a letter informing the school of your child's upcoming leave prior to period of absence. Late arrivals and early departures need to see office staff to be signed in/out.

**Medical:** If your child requires medication at school, contact the office to ensure your paperwork is current; this includes allergies, anaphylaxis and other health plans. **If your child is asthmatic, ensure the school has a copy of your child's Asthma Action Plan, as completed on the appropriate form by your doctor and that the reliever kept by the office is in date.**

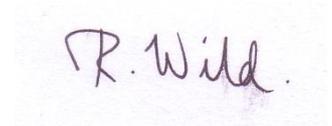
**Communication:** If you need to discuss your child with me, please phone (4325 2181) or email ([wyoing-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:wyoing-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)) the office who will forward your message to me.

**Birthdays:** If you choose to send a treat to share with classmates on your child's birthday, please ensure they are in sealed individual packages (such as a bulk bag of Fredo Frogs). This is due to COVID considerations; please do not send items you have packaged yourself. There are 22 students in the class.

**Class Reward System:** Attendance at the Principal Award Afternoon each Term requires 10 class awards. An easy way to achieve this reward is to do home reading (and log) every day. Class awards are given out for Home Reading (one class award for every 5 nights of reading log), completing assignments and presenting public speaking.

I look forward to developing a positive home/school partnership with you and having a fun year of learning with the students of 3B.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "R. Wild." The signature is written in a cursive style with a period at the end.

Jack Buffon  
**TEACHER**  
4 February 2021

Rebecca Wild  
**PRINCIPAL**