



17 DECEMBER  
2025

# HAWKER HEADLINES

## FROM DR ROBERTS

Our Graduation was and our Christmas Concerts this evening will be amazing!!

Every year, we are filled to beyond capacity. I know the events are beautifully organised by staff and competently executed by students. An enormous thank you to everyone involved in these brilliant annual events.

We congratulate and thank all parents, students and staff for their continued hard work, dedication, and achievements in all areas of school. On behalf of our Staff, both Mr Etheridge and I thank you, the school community for your continued involvement and care this year. We appreciate all those who implement our values and show respect, kindness and manners every day and help to make our school exceptional.

We hope to continue this into 2026 because, as our grasstree logo and motto says,

“Together We Grow”

I wish you all a joyful, holy and safe Christmas and holiday and look forward to a happy and productive 2026 beginning for students on Monday 2 February.



## SCHOOL PROCESSES

Most schools occasionally have multi-year level classes and our school is no exception. Teachers use their knowledge of all the students and the HPPS Guidelines to support their decisions that are always made in the best interests of the students. As every classroom has students with varying ranges of needs and abilities, students in multi-level classes are not disadvantaged in any way compared to those in a same year level class.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Students return to school on **Monday 2 February 2026**
- **Important dates for 2026 including swimming lessons and faction/interschool carnivals, can be found on page 7**

## SUN SAFETY

As the weather warms up, we want to make sure our students stay sun safe. Please remember to send your child to school with their hat and apply sunscreen before they arrive.

Thanks for your support in helping keep our students safe in the sun.



## SOCIAL MEDIA RESTRICTIONS



We have received a letter from the Minister for Education and Minister for Communications and Sport regarding the laws governing social media restrictions that come into effect on 10 December 2025.

As already mentioned in our last Hawker Headlines, to support parents and young people navigate this change, there are resources on the eSafety website [www.esafety.gov.au](http://www.esafety.gov.au)

Additionally, resources have been collaged into an information kit also accessible by scanning the attached QR code.



# GRADUATION 2025

Congratulations to our graduating class of 2025!



## GRADUATION 2025

For more photos of the Graduation, please see the album on the website:

<https://hawkerparkps.wa.edu.au/our-gallery/>

Password: HPPSPar3nt



## FINAL REMINDER – COMPASS PARENT PORTAL

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please remember to sign up to Compass. We will be using Compass School Manager as our Parent Portal from 2026.

Class lists will only be sent out via Compass in 2026.

If you are not signed up to Compass prior to Thursday 18 December, you will not receive notification of the class your student/s are in.

*Using our Parent Portal, currently, you will be able to:*

- Approve or enter upcoming or past absences for your child/ren
- View up-to-date class and school attendance information

*Using our Parent Portal, in the future, you will be able to:*

- Access your child's Student Progress and Semester Reports
  - Download, print and approve upcoming excursions
  - Pay school fees, charges and contributions
  - Update your registered email and mobile number (used for SMS alerts) details
  - Access information regarding upcoming events and news
- Accessing Compass

Compass is a web-based system that is accessible on any modern web browser or by using the 'Compass School Manager' app available for iOS or Android.

Your login details will be emailed to you directly by Compass. Please follow the link in the email directing you to the School Portal.

Please check your junk/spam folder if you have not received an email.

Upon the first login, you will be required to change your temporary password and confirm your email address and mobile phone number.

This is a transition period, and feedback is actively sought as we work out teething problems.

Please note we will be duplicating messages in both Connect and Compass until the end of the year.

Please do not hesitate to contact Admin if you require any further assistance.

Yours sincerely,  
Admin Team



# SCHOOL BOOK REQUIREMENT LISTS 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

The 2026 Student Requirements List are now available in the Connect Library.

If online ordering is not for you, you can also shop at your local Campion store:  
751 Marshall Road, Malaga.



## **Compass:**

For those that need assistance finding the Compass 'School documents' folder, please follow these steps:

In the Compass app

Click the 3 lines in the bottom right hand corner that says 'More'

Click the folder 'School documents'



## **Connect:**

For those that need assistance finding the Connect 'Library', please follow these steps:

In your Connect app follow these steps:

Click the Connect 'wheel', top left hand corner

Click 'Home'

Scroll down to 'My Spaces'

Go to 'Hawker Park Primary School - Parent Space'

Click the 3 lines top left corner

Click 'Library'

Click 'Student Requirement Lists 2026'



## THANK YOU FROM MRS KEEVIL

I would like to thank all our Hawker Park community for supporting the library and nurturing the children's interest in reading.

A HUGE thank you to those that support the Scholastic Book Club, and in particular Mrs Claire Jones.

With the last issue we made \$162.42 to spend on books for 2026, which we couldn't do without your help.

I would also like acknowledge Mrs Carol Coumbe for all the covering of my books over the past couple of years, which has been invaluable.

Wishing everyone a safe and relaxed break with lots of Happy Holiday Reading.

From,  
Mrs Keevil



## GREENWOOD DENTAL CLOSURE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Greenwood Dental Therapy is closed from 23rd December 2025 to February 2<sup>nd</sup> 2026.

During this time in an emergency only, please contact Warwick General Dental Clinic on 9447 8011.

Happy Holidays

Janet and Cath.

Dental Health Services  
Greenwood Dental Therapy Centre  
Greenwood Primary School | Merivale Way, Greenwood, Wa, 6024



19th December 2025 -  
30th January 2026

Full  
days vacation  
care from as little  
as \$10.34  
per day\*

## Greenwood Vacation Care Programme

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

### Tie Dye

Join us for Tie-Dye fun. Choose your favourite colours, and create a magical swirling masterpiece that's totally you.



Spin Art.  
Last Standing.  
Incursion \$15

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December**

### Squishies

Bring your imagination to life with a super-soft squishy you can paint, personalize, and squeeze to your heart's delight.



Pop It Fidget.  
Hungry Hippo Pass.  
Incursion \$10

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> December**

### Drip Keychain

Your pour, your way. These delightful designs combine a fun accessory with vibrant, fluid paint patterns.



Fork Bear.  
Big Bear are you Hungry?  
Incursion \$6

**From 24<sup>th</sup> Dec - 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan**

### Happy Holidays

Please note we will be taking a short break, returning refreshed for 2026.



admin@zigzagsoshc.com.au



Phone: (08) 6300 0090

or

SMS 0421 369 516

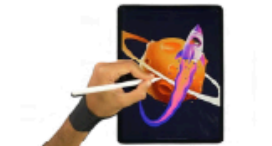


www.zigzagsoshc.com.au

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January**

### Digital Art

In a digital art workshop, use iPads to create space themed artwork inspired by Starry Night, with your digital masterpiece sent home.



Planet Stamping.  
Space Tag.  
Incursion \$18.50

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> January**

### Landsdale Farm

Explore friendly farm animals, hands-on activities, lush gardens, and wide-open spaces during a day at the farm.



Excursion \$34

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

### Mini Golf

Putt through the obstacles and score those shots with the miniature golf course with us all day today.



Golf Ball Monster.  
Hole Numbers.  
Incursion \$19.50

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> January**

### Sketch and Paint

Guided by local Artist Claire Wynne, take home your own masterpiece on canvas.



Pencil Topper.  
Circle Chase.  
Incursion \$19.50

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> January**

### Splash Party

Wear bathers and rashie for a splashtastic day cooling down with super fun water games.



Pirate Ship.  
Ship to Shore.

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> January**

### Butterfly House

Be hands on inside a butterfly house with beautiful butterflies. Learn about them, their features and adaptations and many more minibeasts.



Spinning Butterfly.  
Butterflies and Beetles.  
Incursion \$19.50

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> January**

### The Bubble Spectacular Show

Enter the bubbly-brilliant world of Dr Hubble as he presents The Bubble Spectacular - a bubble-riffic show at the Regal Theatre!



Excursion \$36

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> January**

### Ice Cream Truck

I scream, you scream, we all scream for ice cream when the ice cream truck comes today.



Ice Cream Painting.  
Ice Cream and Volcano's.  
Incursion \$8

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

### Corroboree for Life

Step into a world of rhythm, culture, and creativity with our traditional dance workshop. Inspire connection, confidence, and fun!



Weaving.  
Kangaroos and Crocodiles.  
Incursion \$21.50

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January**

### Beeswax Candles

Roll, shape, and decorate a beeswax candle using real beeswax. Fun, easy and smells like sunshine!



Flying Bee.  
Candles.  
Incursion \$4

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January**

### K-Pop Demon Hunters Disco

This high-energy celebration is filled with dazzling dance moves, electrifying music and themed games designed to feel like a true K-Pop warrior.



Watercolour Fans.  
Mugunghwa.  
Incursion \$21.50

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January**

### Bucket Dunk

Cool down with summer fun in a game of bucket dunk. Pack your bathers and rashie as you will get wet.



Dunk and Pull.  
Drip, Drip, Dunk.  
Incursion \$15

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January**

### Water Tag

It's laser tag - with water! Bring your bathers and rashie today.



Fish and Reel.  
Go Fish.  
Incursion \$9

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January**

### Dino's Alive

Come explore Dino's Alive in Perth. Walk among towering roaring dinosaurs, spot friendly raptors, and discover amazing prehistoric secrets.



Excursion \$32

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> January**

### Door Plaque

Enhance your bedroom entry with a custom door plaque! Personalise your entry plaque with unique designs or messages.



House Craft.  
Corners of the House.

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> January**

### Public Holiday



**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January**

### Vortex Obstacle Course

Race through the obstacle course featuring inflated obstacles, crawl tunnels, slide and more.



Chalk Painting.  
Fish in the Net.  
Incursion \$26

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January**

### Lights, Camera, Action!

Join us to see The SpongeBob Movie: Search for SquarePants [PG] whilst enjoying some popcorn at the movies.



Excursion \$26

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January**

### Foam Party

Slip and slide in the foam today. Don't forget your bathers, rashie and towel.



Marble Art.  
Silent Sponge.  
Incursion \$16

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January**

### Mega Water Balloon Launcher

Which targets can you reach with our mega water balloon launcher?



Catapult.  
Balance Racing.  
Incursion \$4

## Vacation Care Programme

Zig Zags OSHC programmes are engaging and inspired by our children and staff. Experiences are a combination of excursions, incursions and activities at our services. We offer developmental and creative activities that are fun packed and challenging appropriate to their age and maturity.

In addition to the planned incursions, excursions and activities the children have the choice of arts & crafts, painting, drawing, colouring, puzzles, board games, chess, dress up, role play drama, dance, sand pits, playgrounds, loose parts play and much, much more.

## Where are we located?

Located at Greenwood Primary School, 12 Merivale Way, Greenwood.

## Who can attend?

All school aged children from Kindergarten age and above, from any primary school (public or independent) are welcome to attend.

## Opening Times

6.30AM – 6.00PM Monday – Friday during School Holidays and School Development Days.

## What to bring?

Healthy afternoon tea and refreshments are supplied. Just bring your socks, closed in shoes (no thongs please), hat, water bottle and nut free morning tea and lunch. Please bring a rashie for any water play based days.

## Vacation Care Pricing

- \$103.34 per day
- Incursions and Excursion fees are in addition to the daily fee per child for the corresponding day.
- Government subsidies up to 90% may apply including the incursion/excursion pricing
- Please note there is a 2 week cancellation policy, however we are able to honour swaps within the same week, providing it doesn't affect our staffing.

**Book now online at [www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/vacation-care](http://www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/vacation-care)**

- 1** Login at [www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/vacation-care](http://www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/vacation-care)
- 2** Click on your name on the top righthand side of page
- 3** Select BookMe from dropdown menu
- 4** Ensure Calendar is set to your preferred service
- 5** Choose days and select Participate, Confirm Bookings and select the box next to Terms and Conditions.



If you are unable to book online please phone, email or visit any of our centres where we will be happy to help you.



[admin@zigzagsoshc.com.au](mailto:admin@zigzagsoshc.com.au)



0421 369 516



[www.zigzagsoshc.com.au](http://www.zigzagsoshc.com.au)

# IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2026



## TERM 1

### **Week 9**

30 Mar - Whole school photo day

## TERM 2

### **Week 2**

1 May - Interschool Cross Country

## TERM 3

### **Week 8**

8 Sept - Faction Jumps & throws

8 Sept - Faction Cross Country

10 Sept - Faction Carnival

### **Week 10**

22 Sept - Interschool Jumps & throws

## TERM 4

### **Week 2**

23 Oct - Interschool carnival

### **Week 3**

26 Oct - 30 Oct - Swimming lessons

### **Week 4**

2 Nov - 6 Nov - Swimming lessons



## TERM DATES 2026

### **Term 1: (9 WEEK TERM)**

Monday 2 February to Thursday 2 April

### **Term 2: (11 WEEK TERM)**

Monday 20 April to Friday 3 July

### **Term 3: (10 WEEK TERM)**

Monday 20 July to Friday 25 September

### **Term 4: (10 WEEK TERM)**

Monday 12 October to Thursday 17 December

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 2026

### **Term 1 break:**

Friday 3 April to Sunday 19 April

### **Term 2 break:**

Saturday 4 July to Sunday 19 July

### **Term 3 break:**

Saturday 26 September to Sunday 11 October

### **Term 4 break:**

Friday 18 December to Wednesday 3 February

## SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DATES 2026

### **Term 1:**

Thursday 29 January and Friday 30 January

### **Term 2:**

Friday 29 May

### **Term 3:**

Monday 20 July

### **Term 4:**

Monday 12 October and Friday 18 December

**\*Please note - students do not attend school these days \***

## COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD



Aspire Sports Academy



**DECEMBER HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMPS**  
**XMAS MULTI-SPORT**

**HAWKER PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**47 HAWKER AVE, WARWICK**  
**MONDAY 22nd December.**  
**9am - 12:30pm**

- Pre-primary - year 7
- Xmas themed and prizes
- Huge variety of sports
- Tabloid games
- Visit from 'Sporty Santa'
- Loads of FUN!!!!

Come dressed in your favourite Xmas clothes.  
Prize for best dressed.

  
MULTI-SPORT

Click on  
QR  
code to  
register.



**\$42**

Contact us at [sarah@asporesportsacademy.com.au](mailto:sarah@asporesportsacademy.com.au)



Constable Care - [School holiday program](#)

# COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD



## Greenwood Kids Volley





### GIVE VOLLEYBALL A GO!



**WHERE:** Greenwood College  
**WHEN:** Thursdays 5<sup>th</sup> February - 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026  
**TIME:** 3:45pm-4:45pm  
**COST:** \$130 per term

[REGISTER HERE](#)

**CONTACT:**  
[peter.fitzgerald@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:peter.fitzgerald@education.wa.edu.au)

Kids Volley clinics are great for fun and fitness. Targeting kids aged 5-12, sessions are designed to improve movement, coordination and basic volleyball skills.





Happy  
holidays