A note from the Principal…

I welcome all students, parents and caregivers to the new school year. For weeks two and three of term 1 students from Reception to Year 6 have been part of a successful swimming program. Later on in the year our Year 7 students will be taking part in an aquatics program. All classes have been working on setting up the year for success which has involved expectations for learning and behaviour. Our Year 7 students have also been part of a leadership program this week.

A warm welcome to our Reception students and to all of our new students and families. We have a total enrolment of 605 students Reception—Year 7 and 70 pre-schoolers ~ 675 in total.

I would like to remind all families that our school uniform needs to be worn daily and consists of black shorts/pants and other uniforms items as shown. As our uniform creates an important sense of belonging to our school we ask for your support in ensuring that students are wearing the correct uniform. It is important that all items are named. In term 1 all students need to be wearing a school hat during PE and break times.

Acquaintance Afternoon will be held on Tuesday 23 February from 4:30 to 6:00pm. We will be starting in the hall at 4:30 with presentations by the PE, The Arts, Science, Aboriginal Education and Special Education Support teachers. There will then be “Meet the Teachers” in classrooms from 5:00pm followed by a BBQ Sausage Sizzle at 6:00pm.

Hoping to see you all at the Acquaintance afternoon!
Welcome Back to the new school year

We hope you have all enjoyed the holiday break and are excited for a fantastic new year. After having a great holiday ourselves, we are back on board and excited to see familiar faces returning – as well as some new faces.

To help get your family back into the swing of things, here are some tips that you might find handy for easing your children into After School Care.

**Tips for easing you kids into After School Care:**

1. Give your child as much advance warning as you can that they’ll be coming to After School Care.
2. Pop into the program with your child to meet our Camp Australia team and find out what kind of activities they can look forward to.
3. Speak with the Camp Australia Coordinator if your child is nervous, and let us know how your child felt after their first visit.
4. If there is something in particular your child would like to play when they are in our care, encourage them to tell us know or you can give us a call.

We’re here to make after school care visits the best experience possible, if you have any questions about the program – feel free to drop by, meet the team and see what happens in After School Care first hand.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

The Camp Australia Team.