

Spring Festival/Grandparents Day 2025

Tuesday 21 October (PP Wednesday 22 October)

Dear Parents, Grandparents and Caregivers

This year's Spring Festival is on Tuesday 21 October (*PP Wednesday 22 October*). On this day we would like to extend a warm invitation to grandparents and parents to come and help with and/or view the creations. Please sign in and out at the office.

Each student in the senior school will create and display 5 creations.

1. Miniature Garden - assembled on the day
2. Student Choice - assembled on the day
3. Student Choice - assembled on the day
4. Student Choice - assembled on the day
5. Student Choice - assembled on the day

Each student will choose a theme for their creations. They will need to create a name tag at home to use for their display. Students will trial ideas at home and **bring everything required for their creations on the day**. The focus is on using natural materials from the environment, although recyclable materials can also be used. The visual impact of the display is important.

Some Spring Festival Ideas

- Sand Saucer (cover sand, detail, symmetry)
- Miniature Tree Sculpture
- Miniature Place (creativity, skill originality)
- Buttonhole (visual appeal)
- Vaseline Plate (skill, detail patterns)
- Wood/stick Carving
- Hand Held Posy
- Aqua Jar (no air bubbles, flowers not touching glass, balance)
- Flower Arrangement
- Decorative hat
- Koru design
- Mobile
- Any craft ideas
- Wood/stick Carving- to be completed for home learning
- Dried Flower Display
- Best Bloom
- Collections
- Necklace
- Pressed Flower
- Floating Bowl
- Wild Flower Arrangement
- Unusual Container Arrangement
- Collage
- Beach plants, debris, shells etc
- Diorama
- Any new ideas

Spring Festival Timetable

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| 9.00 – 10.50 pm | Creations are made and displays are assembled in classrooms. |
| 10.50 - 11.20 pm | Morning tea |
| 11.30 - 11.50 pm | Classrooms are open to the community to view while children will stay with their displays. Photos of displays are taken with each child. |
| 11.50 – 12.30 pm | Children visit other classrooms |
| From 12.15 pm | Displays can be dismantled to go home. Children can leave after 12.15 pm provided their parent/caregiver is at school. They must be signed out at the office and tell their teacher. Children staying at school will have their lunch. |

If you have any questions, please contact us.

Kind regards ,Shona Thompson, Chris Bailey, Paige Bailey, Leigh Pearce

Year 7/8 Cake Making

Year 7/8s are invited to make a cake if they wish. Please bring it in on Monday 20th October and take it to the Activity Room where the cakes will be displayed.

