



Our Bounty Boulevard State School community encourages and empowers creative and critical thinkers, who are engaged learners within an inclusive and respectful environment.

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Welcome to week 8, and hopefully, all are drying out, have power back finally, and are being supported by their insurance company if needed.

We want to congratulate Deputy Principal Greg McMahon, who is now a permanent Bounty staff member.

NAPLAN has occurred, and thanks to families, school staff and P&C for supporting this initiative. We have one of the high participation rates in the state for this test, which is important as children learn skills for later years, and specifically, now we have ATAR in place for senior secondary.

P&C AGM has occurred, and our loyal band of supporters have filled the executive positions. We are fortunate to have a team supporting the school in many ways. NAPLAN is just one way, with breakfast provided in a calm environment so the students are set up for a positive start to the testing.

Our continuing executive is:

- President – Jason Burton
- Vice President – Tim Greenwood
- Secretary – Amanda Kusters
- Treasurer – Rebecca Palmer

Class visits continue this term as they have for all six years I have been here. It is a wonderful and informed way to see what is happening in classrooms. So many children are engaged in their learning as lessons are well prepared, and the teaching is genuinely interesting. It is great to see a cohort of teachers willing to take feedback and continue to progress their practice.

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Student interaction on social media

As our students grow towards adolescence, many begin to engage in social media. This can have positive experiences for students but also include negative interactions with others. Can we please remind parents to be vigilant about their children's interactions on social media platforms? For families concerned about possible breaches of law or harassment online, we encourage families to file an eSafety report on:

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/report>.

Sports Excellence Program update

Congratulations to 28 Year 6 students who have successfully made this year's Bounty Sports Excellence Program. Students are currently working with staff and students from North Lakes College Basketball Excellence and have already shown great signs of improvement and talent in basketball. Next term, students will engage in AFL football in partnership with AFL Queensland and Narangba Valley SHS AFL Excellence, followed by Rugby League in partnership with the Redcliffe Dolphins and Redcliffe SHS Rugby League Excellence.





Year 6 Leadership

This term Bounty Boulevard State School inducted the 2025 Year 6 student leaders. Congratulations to all the successful students. We look forward to seeing them lead and grow in their roles, which include Sports, Arts, Culture, PBL and STEM. We want to introduce our leading captains for 2025 - Aaliyah (School Captain), Hayden (School Captain), Rishikesh (Vice Captain) and Willow (Vice Captain).



Our Year 6 leaders have been busy engaging in leadership activities, including the Halogen Conference in Brisbane Entertainment Centre, the Student Leadership Conference in QUT and the Leadership Incursion. Our student leaders have been busy this term in assisting our Café, providing sports equipment for lunchtimes, flag duties and running assemblies. Well done to all our leaders.



NAPLAN

Congratulations to our Year 3 and Year 5 students for a successful NAPLAN testing experience! All students engaged diligently in their tasks, and were respectful of their peers whilst sitting their tests. Thank you families, for setting students up for success by encouraging their participation, and a big shout out to our wonderful P&C for providing breakfast for students each morning, so that their brains were fuelled and ready. To our student leaders who volunteered their time to assist in serving, your work is also greatly appreciated. Fabulous work!

INCLUSION

Introducing the new EAL/D program for Preps and Year 1's.

The new program for EALD students in Prep and Year 1, links to V9 curriculum content descriptions.

The sessions are focussed around a book and during sessions our EALD Specialist Teacher unpacks each book. The books have been carefully chosen to reflect a range of cultures so students see their own cultures reflected in texts as well as other cultures from around the world. There is a large English focus, but depending on the text Maths, Science and HASS concepts are also included. Focus topics include:

- Introduction of the text - making predictions, vocab and Blank's questioning
- Word level work – vocab & adjectives
- Sentence level – construct a sentence in correct order using Colourful Semantics



- Classifying adjectives
- Singular/Plural
- Pronouns he/she
- Connect to prior knowledge
- Grammar concepts – extended noun groups
- Maths – measurement, compare and sort objects using long, short, big, small
- Reading & Writing add-on's - extra for those needing to work more on reading/writing skills. These include sounding out topic vocab using 2 colours, very similar to PLD. Labelling body parts on image, filling in missing adjective from to complete sentence.

PBL – POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING

In Week 9, the student lesson acknowledges that part of self-management is to be a resilient learner who perseveres when faced with challenging tasks. Students will develop their understanding of resilience and perseverance. They will identify things that resilient learners do and show, while acknowledging why they themselves should persevere when things feel tough at school.

In Week 10, classes will celebrate their learning of self-management in Term 1. While reflecting on their learning this term, students will set new PBL goals to support them in being active and respectful learners throughout Term 2.

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Resilience + Persevering with challenging tasks

Wellbeing T1
Week 9

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Perseverance

You keep going when things are tricky or tough.

Resilience

The ability to cope when things go wrong or when things are hard.

Flexible thinking is a good way to build resilience. When you can think about different ways to do things, you can keep going and build your success!

Draw/write about a time at school when you needed to be resilient.

Today, I feel

FEELINGS CHECK-IN





HPE NEWS

Bounty is excited to be holding the Cross Country / Fun Run Carnival on Tuesday 1 April.

YEAR 3 - YEAR 6 PROGRAM

8:45am:	Years 3-6 classes mark roll in classroom & move to oval
8:50am – 8:55am:	Assemble on the oval in house groups – Welcome & explain routine and marshalling procedures.
9:00am – 9:30am:	3km Championship Event starts (11yrs & 12yrs) 2km Championship Event starts (9yrs & 10yrs) Bibs
<u>Fun Run/1km event starts</u>	
9:30am – 9:40am:	Year 6 Boys Fun Run – 1km
9:35am – 9:45am:	Year 6 Girls Fun Run – 1km
9:40am – 9:50am:	Year 5 Boys Fun Run – 1km
9:45am – 9:55am:	Year 5 Girls Fun Run – 1km
9:50am – 10:00am:	Year 4 Boys Fun Run – 1km
9:55am – 10:05am:	Year 4 Girls Fun Run – 1km
10:00am – 10:10am:	Year 3 Boys Fun Run – 1km
10:05am – 10:15am:	Year 3 Girls Fun Run – 1km
	❖ Pack up outside course – cones and chairs ❖
10:20am – 10:35am:	Parent / Teacher Race
	<u>1st break as normal 10:45am-11:30am</u>

PLEASE NOTE: TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND MAY CHANGE ON THE DAY.



PREP - YEAR 2 PROGRAM

11:40am:	Assemble on the oval in house groups – Welcome & explain routine and marshalling procedures.
11:45am – 11:55am:	Year 2 – Aqua, Blue, Green – 3-4 laps of oval
12:00pm – 12:10pm:	Year 2 – Indigo, Red, Violet, Yellow – 3-4 laps of oval
12:15pm – 12:25pm:	Year 1 – Aqua, Blue, Green, Indigo – 2-3 laps of oval
12:30pm – 12:40pm:	Year 1 – Red, Orange, Yellow, Violet – 2-3 laps of oval
12:45pm – 12:55pm:	Prep – Aqua, Blue, Green – 1-2 laps of oval
1:00pm – 1:10pm:	Prep – Indigo, Red, Violet, Yellow – 1-2 laps of oval
1:15pm – 1:25pm:	Parent / Teacher Race – 1-2 laps of oval
	<u>2nd break as normal 1:30pm-1:50pm</u>

2:15pm – 2:45pm: Presentation of Championship Ribbons & Cross Country Shield in the hall for Years 3 - 6

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ATTENDANCE

Reporting your student/s absences

Families are to report any absences through one of the below methods. We understand families notify the class teacher however **class teachers do not enter absences**. (Top tip - simply add the student absence email address outlined below to your class teacher email).

By using one of these methods below, we can ensure your student’s absence is captured prior to the daily unexplained text message.

1. **Text** 0429 398 844 with student name, class and reason for absence
2. **Call** the school on 3482 1333 and select option 1, at the prompt leave a message detailing student’s name, class and reason for absence
3. **Email** studentabsence@bountyboulevardss.eq.edu.au with student name, class and reason for absence
4. **QParents app** Select Notify absences and enter details

Unexplained Absences

Each Monday we run SMS for those absences that have not yet been explained for the week prior. Please respond with the reason your child was absent on the date/s within the text and we will update their profile. It is important that all student absences have been explained by their parents/care givers. Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Our attendance is currently as follows -

Year Level	Prep	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
YTD%	92.81%	93.13%	92.97%	93.27%	92.16%	91.69%	91.6%

QPARENTS

BOUNTY BOULEVARD STATE SCHOOL

QParents

CURRENT CONSENTS: Q

- Online Service consents (all year levels)

(As per email sent to families, please ensure you log-on to QParents to provide consent.)

**Still haven't registered for QParents?
Please contact office for assistance.**





Bounty News

Term 1, Week 8 2025

P & C

It's just over a week until the P&C Family photo shoot! The P&C have opened up a few additional timeslots for Saturday 29 March!

Make your booking today!! Photos will be back by Mother's Day. 📷😊

\$20 family photo fundraiser
Bounty Boulevard State School
Saturday 29th
March
 studio set up at school









www.trybooking.com/1346404



THE BOUNTY BITE CAFÉ

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Krispy Kreme Doughnut Day

TUESDAY 25 MARCH 2025

2ND BREAK ONLY

\$3.50 each

CUT-OFF FOR ORDERS
MONDAY 24 MARCH 8:30AM

Be sure to get your order in
NO LATE ORDERS

ORDERING NOW OPEN!!

Order via:




THE BOUNTY BITE CAFE

Cross Country Meal Specials

TUESDAY 1 APRIL 2025

Cheese Burger Meal with Gatorade \$10
 Beef cheese burger, small packet of original chips and 600ml Gatorade

Cheese Burger Meal with small drink \$8
 Beef cheese burger, small packet of original chips and pop-top juice

Order via:



Specials also available to parents
 Specials available to families on the day, as well as regular menu.

How to order: In your Flexischools account, go to profile and add new student, choose our school and add yourself as FRIEND OF THE SCHOOL.

Collection: Place your order and collect from The Bounty Bite Cafe front window from 11am on the day.



Bounty Boulevard State School
Cross Country Carnival Burger Meals
Special Burger Meal Deals





COMMUNITY NEWS

MANGO HILL
State Secondary College



**2025
OPEN EVENING**

**Tuesday 29 April 2025
3.00pm to 6.00pm**



Join us on Tuesday, April 29, for an exciting glimpse into our vibrant campus. We have Principal's Address at 3.30pm and 4.45pm followed by College Tours, faculty and subject displays and more

Bookings are required, please use QR Code or link as follows to secure your spot
<https://epublisherapp.com/public/event/peventapp/==wM4IDMwAjm1Z>



Respectful Engaged Aspiring Learners

FREE

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY
ACTIVITIES**

Saturday 5 to Thursday 17 April



Join us at our interactive experience centre for a fun and engaging way to explore technology, construction, and even art!

 cross river rail experience centre



 **CROSS RIVER RAIL
EXPERIENCE
CENTRE** IN PARTNERSHIP WITH **QUEENSLAND
MUSEUM**  **Queensland
Government**



DATE CLAIMERS

Year Level	Event	Event Date
Year 6	Luther Heights Camp	4 June to 6 June

PAYMENTS DUE

Year Level	Event	Cost	Payment Due
Year 6	Luther Heights Camp	\$347.00	11am Tuesday 6 May

