

# YEAR 7 BULLETIN

## Term 3 Week 4



### IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

18 <sup>th</sup> August	Friday	National Day of Action against Bullying & Violence (Date TBC)
25 <sup>th</sup> August	Friday	Adjusted Curriculum Day (Westfield Kotara)
1 <sup>st</sup> September	Friday	Book Week Celebration
6 <sup>th</sup> September	Wednesday	Wear It Purple Day ( <b>Note:</b> Change of Date)
8 <sup>th</sup> September	Friday	Muru Bulbi Shield
22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Friday	Last day of Term Three

### A MESSAGE FROM YOUR YEAR ADVISOR

As we conclude Week 4, we are well and truly into the term with momentum up and running with another week “in the bank.” I am most impressed with the attitude and application across Year 7 in their learning and the camaraderie they share.

On Thursday, GHS conducted an evacuation procedure. I would like to acknowledge Year 7 for safely following the instructions of staff throughout the process to ensure there were no unnecessary complications. The process was able to be short and students were able to return to class quickly and safely.

Our four attendance reward winners for this week were: Cody-David I, Amelia-Jade F, Jordan M and Lachlan M. Please continue to strive for 100% attendance each period, every day to have the best opportunity to achieve success across all domains of schooling life.

Thank you for your continued connection with the school. I hope you have a great weekend.

Sincerely,

Mr Mark Finlayson

### Adjusted Curriculum Day 25<sup>th</sup> August (Week 6)

On Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> of August (Week 6), GHS will be conducting the third day of the adjusted curriculum days. This term will see Year 7 students travel to Westfield Kotara for a fun-filled day of Timezone, bowling and shopping. Please respond via the online consent form sent through School Bytes for your child/ward to attend. There is no cost involved for students. Permission responses are due by Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> of August.



## PBL Assembly Prize Draw Winners

Congratulations to Mia S who received both of prizes in this fortnight's PBL Prize Draw. This goes to show that handing in your Goro Golds gives you more chances to win the draw! Students are encouraged to continue earning and handing in Goro Golds to secure their place at the End-of-Semester Rewards Excursion to Raging Waters, Sydney.



## UNIFORM

Students have had two terms to organise and equip themselves with the appropriate school uniform. This term and ongoing, we will be holding students more accountable for wearing their correct school uniforms. A welfare approach will be taken first, then disciplinary if students choose not to comply with our uniform policy.

## Weekly Student Support

### Rise and Shine Mondays & Fridays

7:40 – 8:10am  
Come find us in the Gym



**Maths Centre**  
Tuesdays 2:30pm to 3:30pm  
Room R2.08

- Homework help • Catch-up
- Assessment task guidance
- Test preparation • Study skills

**Starts 14 February**  
**ALL STUDENTS WELCOME**

**YEARS 11 & 12**  
**SUPPORTED SENIOR STUDY**

MONDAYS and WEDNESDAYS  
2:30pm–4:00pm

**FREE HOT CHOCOLATE, BISCUITS & CHIPS – Upstairs in the Library**

**Learning Centre Study Support**

Everyday during **recess** and **lunch** to assist students with class work, homework and assessments.

**ALL STUDENTS ARE WELCOME**

## SCHOOL CONTACT

If you have any updates, concerns or feedback, please email me and I will get back to you at the earliest opportunity.

Please call the school on 4393 7000 or email me at [mark.finlayson9@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:mark.finlayson9@det.nsw.edu.au) with any questions, concerns, or feedback you have.

Additionally, please look at our school's website to find more information regarding assessment, wellbeing, news and more:

<https://gorokan-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>