

**Welcome to**

**Cardiff North Public School's**

*Puggles Program*

*Kindergarten 2021*



# Welcome

*Cardiff North Public School would like to show respect to the Awabakal People as the traditional custodians of this land and acknowledge all Elders, past and present.*

*Thank you for this land and allowing us to utilise it as our learning space. We are excited for the bright future ahead of us, always working together as a community.*

Written by 3/4M



# Dates for face-to-face sessions

\*Ideally we would love to see your Kindergarten child for all of these sessions, but we understand that this may not be possible. Please let us know if you cannot attend a session.

Session	Day	Time
1	Thursday 12/11/20 Week 5	9.30am until 10.30am
2	Thursday 19/11/20 Week 6	9.30am until 10.30am
3	Tuesday 24/11/20 Week 7	9.30am until 10.30am
4	Monday 30/11/20 Week 8	9.30am until 10.30am



## Face-to-face Sessions

### Drop off and pick up – Organisation

- Staff will meet parents and Puggles outside the stage 2 classrooms at 9:30am each morning (walk through the front gate and you will be greeted by staff). Students will wait on the yarning mats until everyone has arrived. **Parents are not to be onsite for longer than 10 minutes** and must adhere to social distancing protocols remaining 1.5m apart. Puggles will be accompanied by staff to the front gate for pick up at 10:30am.
- Puggles will require a labelled hat and drink bottle for each session.
- Puggle T-shirts will be distributed on the morning of their first session. Parents can change their children into T-shirts or can keep them for the remaining sessions.





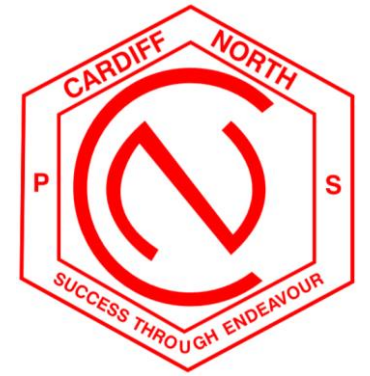
# Meet the team

- Allyson Corrigan – Principal
- Erin McShane – Rel. Assistant Principal
- Chloe Linday- Rel. Assistant Principal and Instructional Leader (K-2)
- Kate Gillard- Rel. Assistant Principal

*\*classroom teachers for 2021 are yet to be finalised*



# Early Action for Success



- EAfS initiative
- Classroom support in literacy and numeracy
- Data analysis
- Targeted intervention
- Professional learning



# Best Start

## What is Best Start Kindergarten Assessment?

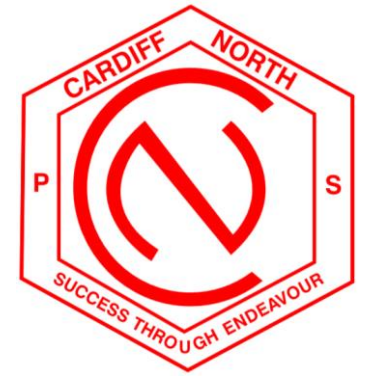
Best Start Kindergarten Assessment is a literacy and numeracy assessment conducted for all Kindergarten students in the first five weeks of school.

Best Start Kindergarten Assessment has been conducted in all NSW public schools since 2010.

Best Start Kindergarten Assessment identifies student's literacy and numeracy skills on entry to Kindergarten.

At Cardiff North this testing will be done via appointment in the students first few weeks of school.

The assessment is done by their own classroom teacher in an effort to get to know the student and their individual learning needs.





# Events at CNPS

- ❑ NAIDOC Celebrations
- ❑ Wellbeing Launch
- ❑ Book Week
- ❑ Easter Hat Parade
- ❑ Fundraisers: Mini Fete, Colour Run





# Environmental Education

- CNPS Green Team and Sustainable Events
- Miss Kate Gillard





School vegetable gardens



Environmental projects

School 'Green Team'



National Tree Day



Lake Macquarie City Council Awards



Bird Count





# Special Events

- Creative and Performing Arts
- Anti-bullying
- Sustainability





MusicaViva



Anti-bullying shows



In-School petting zoo



The Waste Wrappers



# Book Club

- ❑ Book Club provides families with an affordable and convenient way to bring the best in children's literature into their homes.
- ❑ 8 issues of Book Club per year (2 per term).
- ❑ Reasonable priced books - often free items available for regular orders
- ❑ Book Club also benefits CNPS—for every Book Club order placed, Scholastic gives back 20% of the order spend to schools to purchase valuable educational resources via its Scholastic Rewards program.



# Star Struck

- ❑ Star Struck is a NSW Department of Education annual performing arts event for the Hunter and Central Coast. It is a showcase of dance, drama and music performed by students.
- ❑ Star Struck provides performance and learning opportunities for students in the arts and fosters an appreciation of the performing arts.
- ❑ CNPS offer a yearly opportunity for students 3-6 to participate in Star Struck - up to 32 students.
- ❑ Drama and Dance groups are offered.
- ❑ School fundraising to assist with costs involved.





# School Sport & PSSA

- Athletics Carnival
- Swimming Carnival
- Cross Country
- Gala Days



# Storyville





# Scripture

At our school, SRE lessons are held between 2:00pm and 2:30pm on Wednesday and are delivered by the following providers:

- Baptist Union of NSW
- Roman Catholic Church
- Anglican Diocese of Newcastle

They provide two scripture options including Catholic Scripture and Non-Denominational Scripture.

SEE (Ethics): Primary Ethics are our local provider, however, we currently do not have any Ethics Teachers available to deliver the program.

We also offer non scripture where students participate in alternative activities including discussions around the ABC program Behind the News (BTN) and activities to encourage wellbeing and mindfulness.



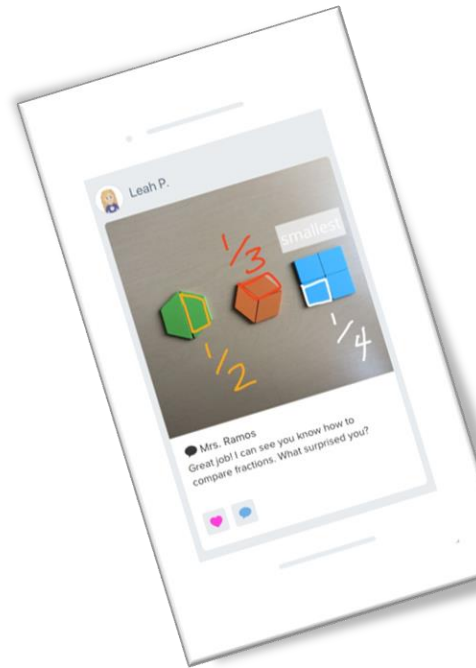
# Aboriginal Education

- ❑ Aboriginal Education Team
- ❑ Parent and Community Workshops
- ❑ Yarning Circle
- ❑ NAIDOC celebrations



# Communication

- ❑ Website <https://cardiffnth-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>
- ❑ Seesaw
- ❑ Bulletin
- ❑ Skoolbag





# Wellbeing



## Cardiff North Public School Reward System Overview



Student's name moves to  
**'Good Choices'** on  
classroom behaviour chart  
See behaviour example chart

Student's name moves to  
**'Super Student'** on  
classroom behaviour chart  
See behaviour example chart

Student receives a **'Good Choices'** token that enables them to cast their **vote for the end of term reward**

Student receives a **sticker** on the **'Go for Gold'** classroom chart

Every 10 stickers =  
**'Go for Gold'** merit award

20 stickers =  
Badge  
40 stickers - 'G'  
60 stickers - 'O'  
80 stickers - 'L'  
100 stickers - 'D'







Your **CNPS Puggle** T-Shirt will be ready for your first orientation day!

Thank you to Andriessen Property for sponsoring our Puggles T-Shirts!



# Enrolment Checklist

To be ready for your first day of 2021 be sure to hand in the following documents to office:

- birth certificate
- immunisation records
- DoE enrolment form

Ensure you have access to Seesaw and know how to access the school website

<https://cardiffnth-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

Here you can view our calendar, pay fees, order uniforms and view images.

All students are required to have a school hat, a backpack, drink bottle and lunch box

