



LEARNING UPDATE - Christmas Edition

Friday, 17 December, 2021

Working so that our students feel they are known, understood, valued and learning.

Merry Christmas

May this festive season bring blessings of hope, joy, peace, and love to you and all your loved ones.

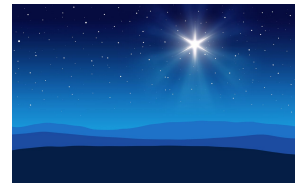
Loving Father,
help us remember the birth of Jesus,
that we may share in the song of the angels,
the gladness of the shepherds,
and worship of the wise men.

May the Christmas season make us grateful
and happy to be your children.
In Jesus' Name, Amen



Dear Parents / Carers,

Wishing all the members of our community a Christmas marked with the peace and joy of new life and new beginnings. The gift of the newborn Jesus in the manger is ours, with all the hope and inspiration that He brings. We pray that you see this in the faces of all of your family and friends throughout the Christmas season. Happy Christmas from all of our staff here at St Clare's.



Today will be my last contribution to the Learning Update, as I am moving permanently to a new role as Principal of Delany Catholic College, and Principal of Holy Trinity Primary School for semester one. I am really looking forward to this new opportunity, but I will really miss the beautiful community of St Clare's. It has been both an honour and a privilege to have served this community over the last three and a half years, and to get to know you, your sons and daughters, and watch them grow in their learning and mature as young adults. You should be immensely proud.

The St Clare's School Community will always have a special place in my heart and I have very fond memories of my time here. I have learned a lot from this community and will take these learnings to my new school. Thank you for trusting my work with your children and believing in the partnership of home and school in forming your child. I feel truly blessed to have had your confidence in me. I wish you and your families all the blessings of the Christmas Season and I hope that 2022 brings much joy, happiness and good health. Always encourage your children to live out our motto 'Praise God by your life' and to never be afraid to let their light shine.

Thank you, Shauna.



Christmas Liturgy - Friday 10th December 2021

Students participated in a Christmas Liturgy which re-told the story of Jesus' birth with a modern commentary that prompted insightful thoughts about the true meaning of Christmas and Christmas traditions. This was organised by the Religion Faculty and included several student readers and helpers.

Student / Parent / Teacher Interviews

Thanks to our parents/carers who utilised the opportunity to receive extra feedback on their child's progress this semester. We know that Zoom meetings are not the same and we are thankful for the efforts everyone has made over the last two years with covid safe requirements.

Staff Development Days

This week, staff engaged in two Staff Development Days which included training in First Aid, CPR, Asthma and Anaphylaxis.

Student Commencement - 2022

Years 7, 11 and 12 commence Tuesday, 1 February
Years 8, 9 and 10 commence Wednesday, 2 February

Late Enrolments for 2022

The school office will be open on Tuesday, 25th January for any families who have not yet made an application.

Uniform - Full Summer Uniform



Uniform Orders will be delivered after 31st January, 2022. Orders can be collected from the Granville office earlier if you wish. To do this you will need to email the company directly at elle@ozfashions.com.au
Uniform Orders are all online using the Qkr app.

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