Flexible Pupil Free Day – Monday, January 25 – School Closed
As teachers at Arundel have decided to not work their Professional Development on this day and instead do it at another time during the year, the school will close for the day. There will not be any staff in attendance for the day – the school office will be closed.
However, the Uniform Shop will open on this day from 8:00am until 11:30am.
Please note the Uniform Shop will also be open the week before school starts:
Monday, 18 January: 8:00am – 2:00pm
Tuesday, 19 January: 8:00am – 2:00pm
Wednesday, 20 January: 8:00am – 2:00pm
Thursday, 21 January: 7:30am – 11:30am & 2:00pm – 6:00pm
Friday, 22 January: 8:00am – 2:00pm

School Start 2016
School will start on Wednesday, January 27. Prep parents should note that the Prep children will finish a little earlier for the first three weeks of the year at 2:45pm.

Class Reorganisation
Due to the continued rise in our Prep enrolments for next year we have made the decision to form an extra Prep class right at the start of the year. We prefer to do this now rather than wait until week 3 and reorganise classes.
As a result of this, one of our Year 3 classes has been disbanded. The Year 3 class had small numbers so we have taken the teacher from this area and created the eighth Prep class.
Thus our classes for next year are:
**Prep:** (8 classes) Carly Whybrow, Julie Baker-Evans, Juanita McCann, Jackie Koroglu/Tarna Chapman, Mollie Rhodes, Sheree Babbage, Leonie Brosnahan and Elly Dempsey.
**Year 1:** (7 classes) Jenny Nelson, Sara McDonald, Melissa Penberthy, Isabel Webb, Deb Dempsey, Leah Heap/Denise Davidson and Billy Lang
**Year 2:** (7 classes) Lisa Tranter, Jacqui Hill, Anneliese Castellanos, Ann McLachlan, Christine Ough, Lauren Ingram and Shannon Macleod.
**Year 3:** (7 classes) Carole Hartley, Vicki Main, Mary Williams/Eric Schreibmaier, Julie Anne Hokins, Alma Sejdic, Catherine Ferguson/Kerry Thompson and Zoe Lowe.
**Year 4:** (6 classes) Ben Baker, Samantha Tyne, Kerryn Gray, Belinda Roderick, Deb McMillan and Gabriel Ramos.
**Year 5:** (6 classes) Tyler Mattiazz, Corinna Ulbrich, Toni Goriss, Jo Leigh, Karen Hermann and Mandy Brown.
**Year 6:** (5 classes) Georgi Kropp, Rebecca Moutin, Dale Pearse, Sally Kingston and Raj Chandan Ram.

Tuckshop Convenor
Our Tuckshop Convenor, Paula Skenderis has tendered her resignation to the P&C and will finish as tuckshop coordinator on Friday. Many thanks to Paula for her efficient service in the Tuckshop. She has done a very good job in the 4 years as convenor at Arundel, particularly in her quiet, helpful service to the children.

School Watch
Over the last couple of weekends we have had some particularly annoying break and enters at the school. Generally the damage has been done to the exterior of rooms but it is still costly and time consuming to repair. Please watch out for our school over the next six weeks. Report any suspicious activity to the police.

Merry Christmas
Could I please take this opportunity to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I look forward to catching up with everyone on Wednesday, January 27.

Michael Kelly
Principal