



**Boddington**  
DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

# Boddington DHS Newsletter

Term 3 Week 1 2025



**Strive**

**Considerate**

**Responsible**

## From the Principal

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Welcome back!

I hope the school holidays provided your children with a well-deserved opportunity to relax, play, and enjoy quality time with family and friends. It has been a delight to see students return to school refreshed, full of energy, and eager to engage in learning. The enthusiasm in the classrooms and playground is truly inspiring.

### STAFF UPDATE

We are excited to welcome new and returning members to our school community this term:

- **Mr. Steven Cook** – *Wellbeing Coordinator*: Steven joins us to lead wellbeing initiatives across the school, supporting student resilience, mental health, and positive school culture.
- **Ms. Jincy Josh** – *Home Economics Assistant*: We're pleased to welcome Jincy in the valuable role supporting our Home Economics program.
- **Ms. Olivia Sullivan** – *Numeracy Intervention*: Olivia is returning and will be working on Wednesdays to support students needing additional help in numeracy and Thursdays K-Yr2 Physical Education.
- **Ms. Zoe Mottershead** – *Pre-primary*: Zoe joins our early childhood team, working with the Pre-primary students every Wednesday and continues to work with the Year 6's on Thursdays.

Please join me in welcoming (or welcoming back) these wonderful educators!

### POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (PBS) FOCUS - TERM 3

Our whole-school PBS theme this term is:

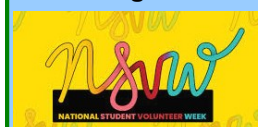
**"Working together for the betterment of self and others."**

Each fortnight, we'll focus on a different value that supports positive, respectful and responsible behaviour:

- **Weeks 1 & 2 – Considerate**: We allow others the opportunity to learn.
- **Weeks 3 & 4 – Responsible**: We are honest and tell the truth.

## Coming Events

4 August -  
8 August



**National Student  
Volunteer Week -  
Yr 7 - 10**

7 August



**Assembly - 2.10pm  
- C1**

13 August



**Bullying No Way  
Day**

18 August -  
21 August



**Children's Book  
Week**

20 August



**Book Week Parade  
- 9am**

22 August



**School  
Development Day**

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## BDHS POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS



**Strive**  
Do your best.

**Considerate**  
Be caring and mindful of others

**Responsible**  
Do what is expected and own your actions.

- **Weeks 5 & 6 – Considerate:** We respect others' personal space and possessions.
- **Weeks 7 & 8 – Considerate:** We demonstrate sportsmanship.
- **Weeks 9 & 10 – Strive:** We keep our school clean and tidy.

These expectations are reinforced in classrooms and during whole-school activities, helping students develop strong social and emotional skills.

## KEY EVENTS - TERM 3 HIGHLIGHTS

### Year 10 Work Experience – Every Wednesday (Semester 2)

An exciting opportunity for our Year 10 students to explore various career paths, gain hands-on experience, and connect with the wider community.

### Whole School Assemblies:

Parents and carers are warmly invited to attend our assemblies this term:

- **Week 3:** Class C1 Assembly – Thursday, 7 August
- **Week 6:** Choir Performance – Thursday, 28 August
- **Week 9:** Class B3 Assembly – Thursday, 18 September

### Week 4 – Wednesday 13 August: Bullying No Way Day

We'll hold activities and discussions promoting kindness, respect, and standing up against bullying.

### Week 5 – Children's Book Week

Theme: *"Book on Adventure"*

### Wednesday 20 August at 9:00am: Book Week Parade

Parents and caregivers are invited to join the fun—feel free to dress up alongside your children!

### Friday 22 August – School Development Day

This is a student-free day as all Boddington Education staff participate in professional development.

### Week 6 – Friday 29 August : One Big Voice

*One Big Voice at RAC Arena* – Our students will join others in a spectacular choral performance.

### Friday 29 August - Boddington Secondary Careers Expo

A fantastic chance for students to explore future pathways.

### Week 7 – Athletics Carnival

- **Tuesday 2 September:** Day 1 – Jumps and Throws
- **Friday 5 September:** Day 2 Come along and cheer for our students as they showcase their athletic talents and school spirit!

### Week 8 – Thursday 11 September: R U OK? Day

A day to encourage meaningful conversations and remind everyone to check in on one another.

### Week 10 – Country Week

We wrap up the term with Country Week events.

More details to come!

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- **Book Week Parade:** Wednesday 20 August, 9:00am
- **School Development Day (Student-Free):** Friday 22 August
- **Last Day of Term 3:** Friday 26 September

We will continue to share more information about these events as they approach. Please keep an eye out for updates via our website and newsletter.

Thank you for your ongoing support in helping us make Term 3 another engaging and successful term for all students.

### Boddington District High School Positive Behaviour Expectations

#### Considerate

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Regards

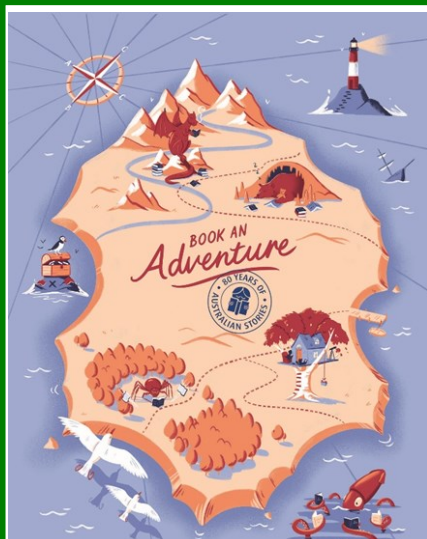
*Adrian Norton*

Principal

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## LIBRARY



### The CBCA Book Week.

**Theme:** "Book an Adventure",

**Dates:** Monday, 18 – Thursday, 21 August.

**Event:** Dress up day and parade, Wednesday, 20 August 2025 - 9.00am in the undercover area.

## My Strengths

Over the next two weeks, students will be learning to identify and grow personal strengths in their Smiling Mind lessons, and discussing ways to appreciate strengths in others.

Ask them about their take-home activities and encourage them to share what they discovered about their own strengths.



*Mrs Sharon Bell*

Library Officer - Mon to Thurs



# 2026 KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS

Applications for 2026 Kindergarten enrolments are now open for children born between 1 July 2021 and 30 June 2022. Applications can be picked up from the administration office or downloaded from the website.

Please bring to the administration office:

- Your child's original birth certificate
- Immunisation records (downloaded from the My Gov website)
- Proof of Address (Recent utility bill, rental agreement or purchase agreement)
- Court orders (If applicable)
- Documentation of any medical condition or disability

If your child is not a permanent resident of Australia, please bring your child's Passport and Visa documentation.

Applications are able to be emailed to [Boddington.dhs@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Boddington.dhs@education.wa.edu.au) or brought to the administration office between 8.30am - 3pm, Monday to Friday

If you need more information, please call the administration office on 9884 2900 between 8.30am to 3pm.



# BOOK Week 2025

*One of my favourite times of the year is just around the corner – CBCA Book Week.*

*This year's theme is "Book an Adventure", and we're looking forward to celebrating the joy of reading together.*

*Dates: Mon 18th – Thur 21st August*

*Dress-Up Day and Parade: Wed 20th August*

*There will also be a range of exciting activities in the library throughout the week.*

*Get ready for a fun and imaginative week filled with stories and adventure.*

*Happy days – Mrs Bell*





# CLEANER WANTED



Boddington District High School  
is seeking dedicated and enthusiastic  
relief cleaners to join their friendly  
team.



You are encouraged to apply via email to  
[Rhonda.cunnington@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Rhonda.cunnington@education.wa.edu.au) or drop your  
resume to the front office. For further enquiries  
please call 9884 900.

Term 3 Planner B D H S Student 2025					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	21 Jul	22 Jul	23 Jul	24 Jul	25 Jul
2	28 Jul	29 Jul	30 Jul	31 Jul	1 Aug
3	4 Aug National Student Volunteer Week Year 7 – 10	5 Aug National Student Volunteer Week Year 7 – 10	6 Aug National Student Volunteer Week Year 7 – 10	7 Aug Assembly – C1 – 2.10pm National Student Volunteer Week Year 7 – 10	8 Aug National Student Volunteer Week Year 7 – 10
4	11 Aug	12 Aug	13 Aug Bullying No way Day	14 Aug	15 Aug
5	18 Aug Children's Book Week Theme: Book an Adventure	19 Aug Children's Book Week Theme: Book an Adventure	20 Aug Children's Book Week Theme: Book an Adventure Book Week Parade	21 Aug Children's Book Week Theme: Book an Adventure	22 Aug School Development Day
6	25 Aug	26 Aug	27 Aug	28 Aug Assembly – Choir – 2.10pm	29 Aug One Big Voice - RAC Arena Boddington Career Expo-Shire Secondary
7	1 Sep	2 Sep Athletics Carnival - Day 1	3 Sep	4 Sep	5 Sep Athletics Carnival - Day 2
8	8 Sep	9 Sep	10 Sep	11 Sep R U OK? Day	12 Sep
9	15 Sep	16 Sep	17 Sep	18 Sep Assembly – B3 – 8.50am	19 Sep
10	22 Sep Country Week – Yr 7 - 10	23 Sep Country Week – Yr 7 - 10	24 Sep Country Week – Yr 7 - 10	25 Sep Country Week – Yr 7 - 10	26 Sep

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