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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Alternate Wednesday Timetable

We believe that when teacher plan together, our students achieve more. After wide consultation with our school community, student's finish school at 1:25pm every Wednesday:

| Monday   Tuesday   Thursday   Friday   |                 | Wednesday***        |                 |  |
|--|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|--|
| Roll Class   | 8:55 – 9:05am   | Period 1            | 8:55 – 10:05am  |  |
| Period 1   | 9:05 – 10:15am  | Period 2            | 10:05 – 11:15am |  |
| Period 2   | 10:15 – 11:25am | Lunch 1             | 11:15 – 11:55am |  |
| Lunch 1  | 11:25 – 12:05pm | Period 3            | 11:55 – 1:05pm  |  |
| Period 3   | 12:05 – 1:15pm  | Parade              | 1:05 – 1:25pm   |  |
| Lunch 2  | 1:15 – 1:45pm   | Students to depart* | 1:25 – 1:55pm   |  |
|  |                 | Lunch 2**           |                 |  |
| Period 4   | 1:45 – 2:55pm   | Independent Study** | 1:55 – 2:55pm   |  |
| *All students finishing early are to leave school site by 1:55pm.  |                 |                     |                 |  |
| **For students who are required to remain at school until 2:55pm.  |                 |                     |                 |  |
| ***This is an approved variation to the usual school routine, and will not impact on your student's school attendance requirements for any study assistance. |                 |                     |                 |  |

The change to our timetable provides our teachers an extra hour each week to collectively improve and plan engaging lessons and assessment tasks.

We understand that not all students will be able to find a way home prior to 2:55pm. For students who are unable to find a way home, such as those who take the Rothery and Young Bus Services, a phone-free space will be provided to undertake silent, independent study.

Students staying at school until 2:55pm will be monitored by Teacher Aides, and given access to the library, school computers and the internet to undertake silent study, homework, assessment tasks, or free-time without the use of mobile phones.

To assist us with our duty of care, each student requires parent/carer signed permission to leave early on Wednesday afternoon. Please see the attached permission form which must be completed, and returned to your student/s Roll Class teacher as soon as possible. Without a signed permission form, students will be required to undertake independent study within the provided space until 2:55pm on Wednesdays.

Once students are released at 1:25pm on Wednesdays, they are to leave school grounds. Students are not permitted to return to school ground for any reason, until the following school day.

Kind Regards,

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**Brendan Shannon** Principal





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## Wednesday Early Departure Permission Form

As parent / carer of the above listed student/s, I give permission for the above listed student/s to leave school early at 1:25pm on Wednesday afternoons.

I acknowledge that once school finishes on Wednesday at 1:25pm, it is the responsibility of myself and my student/s to ensure that my student/s act sensibly and respectfully within the local community to make their way home, or to a collection location.

I understand that this permission is valid for the duration of the above listed student/s enrolment at Glenmore State High School, or until I notify the school in writing a change to this permission.

| Parent/Carer Full Name: | ················· | <br>· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
|-------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Parent/Carer Signature: |                   | <br>                                      |
| Date:                   |                   |   |

