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NAPLAN 2024

Each year the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is undertaken by students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. Students will participate in tests for writing, reading, conventions of language (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy.

NAPLAN 2024 will take place from **Wednesday 13 March to Monday 25 March**.

NAPLAN is just one part of our school learning assessment program. The tests assess literacy and numeracy skills your child is already learning at school. In preparation for NAPLAN, our school will undertake activities to help students become familiar with the format and functionality of the online tests. These activities are not an assessment of student ability and will not be marked. Excessive preparation for NAPLAN is not required nor recommended.

The public demonstration site (<https://www.nap.edu.au/online-assessment/public-demonstration-site>) is available to see the types of questions, tools and functions used in the NAPLAN tests.

Further information about NAPLAN is available on the NESA website (<https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/k-10/understanding-the-curriculum/naplan/parent-information>).

If you have any questions about NAPLAN, please contact your child's teacher.

A specific timetable for Villawood North students is included below:

Week 7			Wednesday 13 th March	Thursday 14 th March	Friday 15 th March
	NO NAPLAN	NO NAPLAN	<u>Year 3: Writing</u> <u>Year 5: Writing</u>	<u>Year 5: Reading</u>	<u>Year 3: Reading</u>
Week 8	Monday 18 th March	Tuesday 19 th March	Wednesday 20 th March	Thursday 21 st March	Friday 22 nd March
	<u>Year 3: Conventions of Language</u> <u>Year 5: Conventions of Language</u>	<u>Year 3: Mathematics</u> <u>Year 5: Mathematics</u>	Catch Up One	Catch Up Two	Catch Up Three

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