











EARLY STAGE 1 - 2023

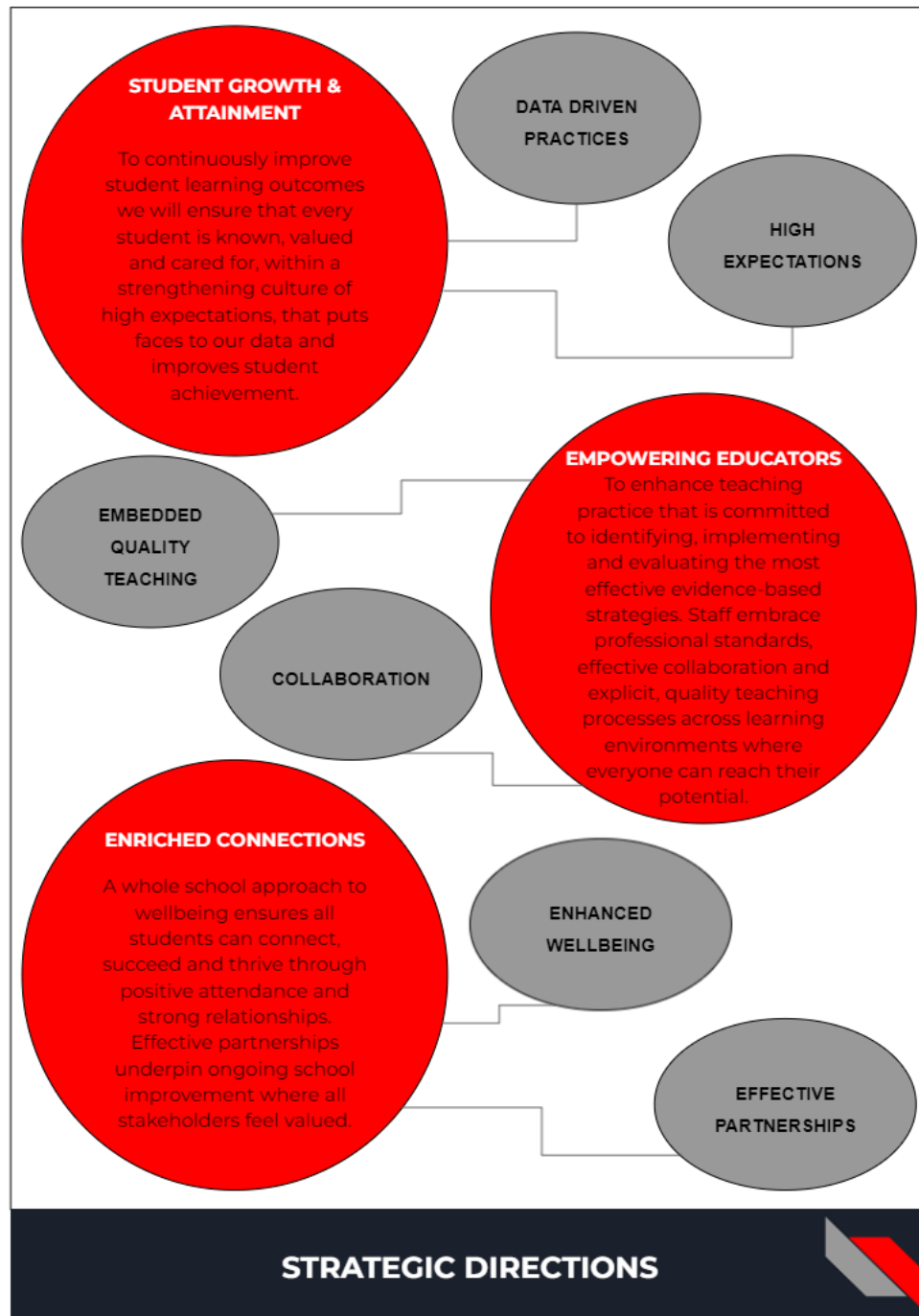
We are looking forward to a successful and engaging year and we hope that you are too. Our 2023 Early Stage 1 team comprises the following keen and committed teachers. They are:

CLASS /ROLE	TEACHER		CLASS /ROLE	TEACHER		CLASS /ROLE	TEACHER	
Deputy Principal P-2	Mrs Kadi Carr		Assistant Principal Rel.	Miss Amy Campton		Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction	Miss Rebecca Lee	
KA	Miss Anna Mitchell		KJ	Mrs Cathy Johnson		KM	Miss Ash Meagher	
KH	Mrs Jenna Hunter (M, T, W,) Mrs Rachel Hancock (Th, F)	 	KW	Mrs Shannon Walton (M, T, W,) Miss Amanda Wakely (W, Th, F)	 			
OTHER STAFF SUPPORTING STAGE 1								
<p>Specialist Teacher Library - Mrs Ros Hollett</p> <p>Specialist Teacher RFF -Miss Amy Campton and Mr David Stone</p> <p>Aboriginal Education team – Mr Scott Luschwitz and Roo</p> <p>Intervention - Mrs Kathryn Maybury</p>								



OUR SCHOOL PLAN




Edgeworth Public School embraces an inclusive culture of success where everyone is connected and empowered to reach their potential.





HOW TO STAY INFORMED

Edgeworth PS has many ways of communicating information with parents and the community.

<p>Visit our School Website</p> 	<p>Our school website is regularly updated with the latest information, events, photos and newsletters. Find us here: http://www.edgeworth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/</p>
<p>Follow Our Official Facebook Page</p> 	<p>Follow us at Edgeworth Public School</p>
<p>Call or Send an Email</p> 	<p>Edgeworth Public School's contact details are: Minmi Rd, Edgeworth 2285 P- 02 4958 1831 E - edgeworth-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</p>

SCHOOL CONTACT FLOWCHART

Our school values working in partnership with our community by ensuring open communication. If you need to discuss your child's learning or wellbeing, we ask that you follow the process below.

Learning Enquiries

- Step 1. Classroom Teacher
- Step 2. Stage Assistant Principal
- Step 3. Learning and Support Coordinator
- Step 4. Deputy Principal
- Step 5: Principal

Wellbeing Enquiries

- Step 1. Classroom Teacher
- Step 2. Stage Assistant Principal
- Step 3. API Inclusion and Engagement
- Step 4. Deputy Principal
- Step 5. Principal

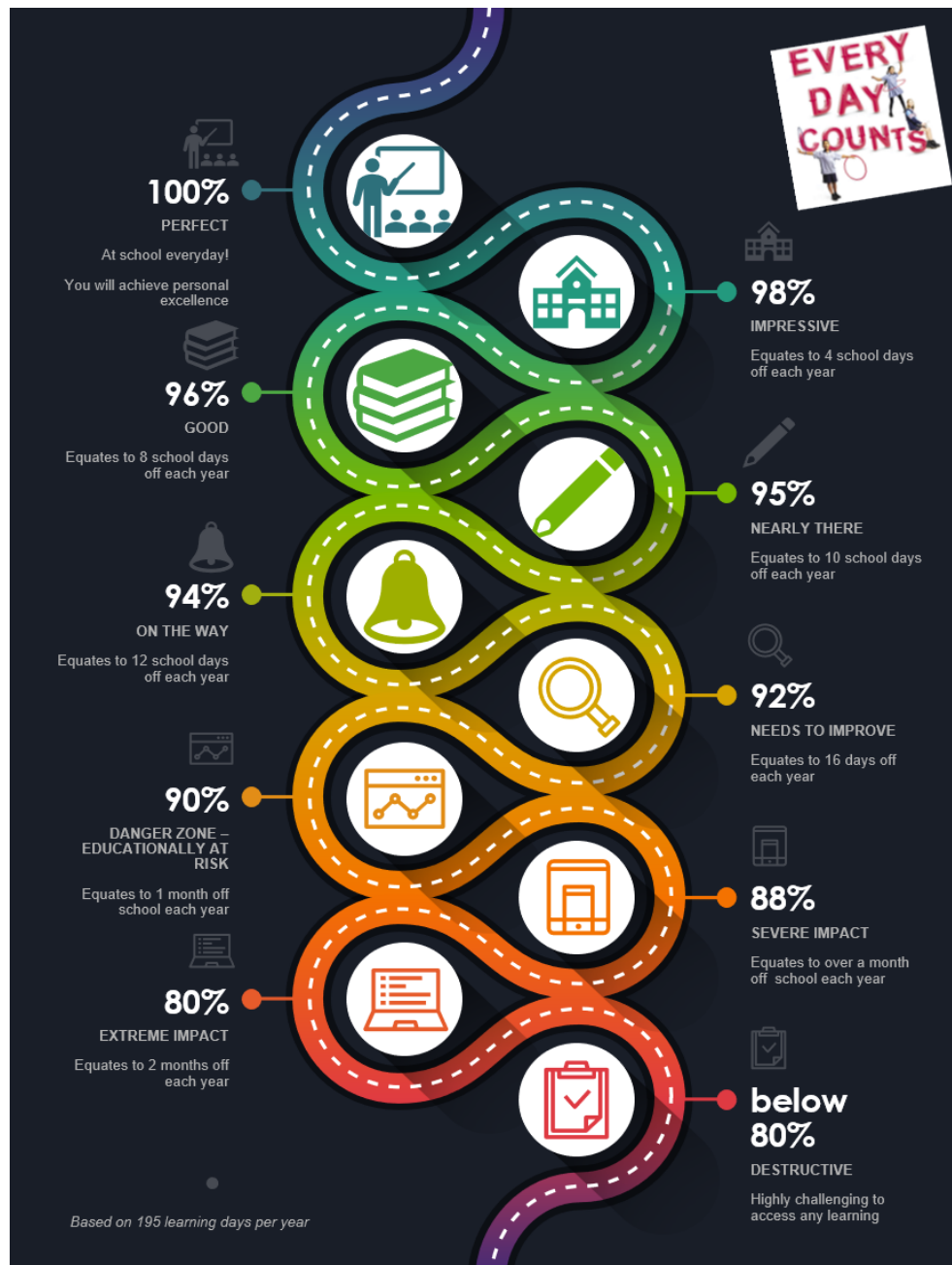


ATTENDANCE

Edgeworth Public School believes that students who are most successful academically and socially are those who attend school on a daily basis. Regular and punctual attendance maximises the opportunities for students to learn and succeed.

Whilst we recognise that there are reasons for student absence from school, the goal for 'good' attendance is 90% or above meaning no more than 8 school absences each year.

If your child is absent from school, you are able to notify the school as to the reason for their absence through the SMS messaging service, phoning the school, or supplying a written letter. We ask that you do not email the school to explain absences.





<u>BELL TIMES</u>	
8:40 am - 9:10 am	Morning Supervision
9:10 am - 11:10 am	Morning Session
11:10 am - 11:40 am	Recess
11:40 am - 1:25 pm	Middle Session
1:25 pm - 1:40 pm	Eating Time
1:40 pm - 2:10 pm	Lunch Play
2:10 pm - 3:10 pm	Afternoon Session

CLASS COMPOSITION

This year we are very lucky to have 5 Kindergarten classes. Teachers follow a stage based curriculum and students will be given many opportunities throughout the year to interact with many of their peers across the other classes.

KEY LEARNING AREAS

Students will engage in different Key Learning Areas over the duration of the year. Classes will be participating in Integrated Units where they can explore, create and collaborate with their peers and showcase their talents across Science and Technology, History & Geography, Creative & Practical Arts and Personal Development and Health. Mathematics and English will take an explicit focus across the school. Students will have opportunities to take part in hands-on games and engaging activities differentiated for their learning.

ASSEMBLIES

Early Stage 1 will have a brief weekly assembly on each Friday after sport to hand out Spotlight Awards.

STUDENT EQUIPMENT

The student Book Pack provides all necessary equipment for student's learning including stationery, books, individual whiteboards and a subscription to an educational platform. **A payment of \$50** is requested to assist in funding these essential resources. Part payments and Back To School Vouchers will be accepted. Should there be any issue please contact the office. Students also need to bring in a pair of plug in headphones to leave in their classrooms; these will be useful for literacy and computer activities.



LIBRARY

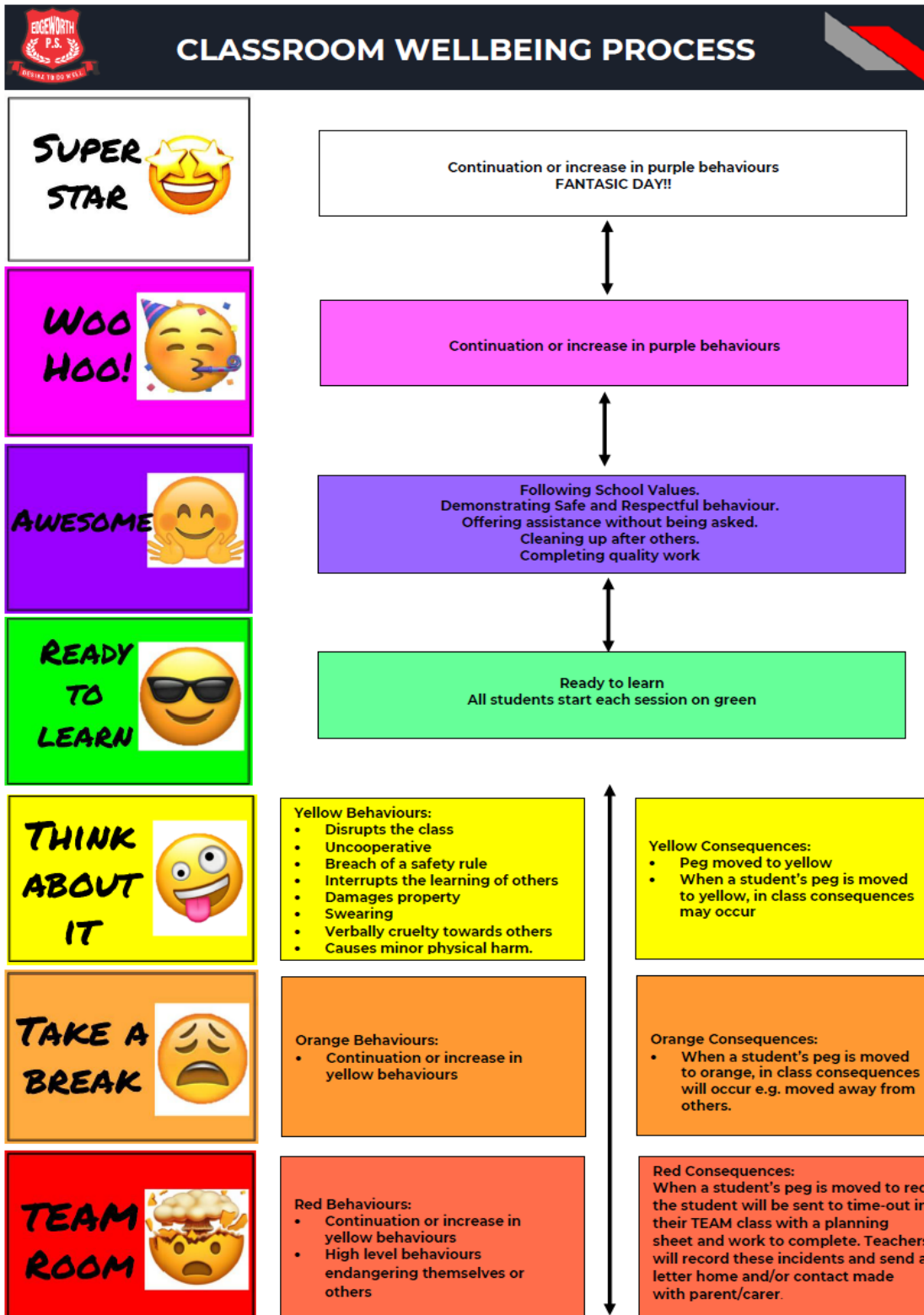
Students are encouraged to borrow books during their fortnightly library lessons to foster a love of reading. They will be encouraged to participate in the Premiers Reading Challenge again this year, as this will form an integral part of their homework schedule.

MONDAY ODD WEEKS	MONDAY EVEN WEEK
KW	KM
KH	KA
KJ	

EXCURSIONS AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Educational activities are an important part of the school program and are selected to broaden students' understanding of classroom studies. Throughout the year, students will have opportunities to attend excursions and events linked to their educational needs. More information will come during the year.

Payments can be made online, using the POP system (minimum \$10), which you can access through the school website.





SPOTLIGHT GOALS

SPOTLIGHTS are awarded to students for many reasons which may include: demonstrating school values, quality work, positive relationships, responsible behaviour, helping others, growth in learning etc



BRONZE AWARD

3 Spotlights in a year



SILVER AWARD

6 Spotlights in a year

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Star Badge

(Each Grade has a specified colour)



GOLD AWARD

9 Spotlights in a year

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Lunch with the Principal



Students will only receive Bronze, Silver or Gold Award after they bring in the correct amount of Spotlights and have them sighted and signed by their teacher.