



OUR COMMUNICATION

The Newsletter

Our school Newsletter is sent home to every family fortnightly. The newsletter incorporates useful information about what has been happening around our school. The newsletter provides our school with an opportunity to inform students, parents and the community of the exciting learning that is being achieved at our school.

Assemblies

Our assemblies are a celebration of the achievements of students. This is an opportunity to hear, see and appreciate musical performances, celebrate sporting achievements and academic awards. We welcome all parents and friends at our school assemblies.

Reporting Requirements

Smithton High School has three reports.

REPORT 1

Progress Report posted home by Easter followed by parent/student teacher meetings upon request.

REPORT 2

- Full written student report including assessments and comments for all subjects.
- A Core Teacher report to comment on learning, behaviour and organisation.

This report will be available for collection from the school midyear. At the collection of the report, parent/student/teacher meetings will take place to guide future learning and teaching.

REPORT 3

Final Report is a summation of results and a comment on overall performance by the core Teacher. This will be posted home during the second last week of the school year allowing parent/teacher/student meetings in the final week if requested.

Phone Communication

Our Core Teachers make contact with students' parents. Teachers may contact parents for an informal update call, to discuss your son or daughter's school performance or any issues they need to discuss. Two formal teacher interviews are scheduled in the school calendar. We believe that communication is the key to effective learning.

Parent Communication

Parents are very welcome at the school at any time of the year. We encourage parents to discuss the progress of their son or daughter with their core teacher. You can make an appointment with the teacher or the teaching team. We welcome enquiries and are happy to discuss any concerns you may have. Informal contact is made early in the school year via core teacher phone calls.

Internet Communication

Regular updates about what is happening at Smithton High can be accessed through the school website, our Facebook page, Schoolstar and Instagram.

<http://education.tas.edu.au/SmithtonHigh/Pages/Home.aspx>

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www.mgmw.co/8511fZP

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