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A note from the Campus Principal

Dear parents and Caregivers,

We are approaching the end of the academic year and we are looking forward to our students graduating in their respective grades. Our Year 12 students have now completed all of their final exams and are getting ready for the big event.....the Year 12 Graduation and Formal on the 15th of November. We are very excited to celebrate, together with you, the end of students' educational journey here at The BUSY Schools. I am looking forward to seeing you there.

Our Year 11 students will have their Year 11 graduations as well in the following week, and these are held at school on the 21st and 23rd of November.

Parent/Carer and Student Satisfaction Survey

Each year, we survey parents/carers and students to gain feedback about our program at The BUSY Schools. Please take a few minutes to share your thoughts about your young person's engagement with The BUSY School program. Your comments will help us make improvements to the existing program and make plans for new program initiatives if needed. Students can complete the student-based survey during class.

The survey is confidential and does not require your signature. Thank you for sharing your input and suggestions.

- Parent:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BUSYSchoolsCoolangattaParentSurvey>

- Student:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BUSYSchoolsCoolangattaStudentSurvey>

Kind regards,
Klaus Knobloch
Campus Principal



Curriculum Update:

It has been wonderful to see so many students undertaking their exams over the past weeks. Well done to all. We do encourage your young person to attend school as teachers will be introducing some of the Year 12 topics. Our Year 12s undertook their exams last week. We look forward to seeing them celebrate at the Year 12 Graduation next week.

Staff Profile - Elijah Hoffman Work Readiness Officer

- Elijah's favourite food is anything by my Abuela (Grandmother)
- His best movies include anything he can fall asleep through and still know what's going on.
- Elijah gets into a bit of Reggaeton, Rap, RNB, Rock, EDM, but can dance to everything. He has the moves!
- Most weekends he like to keep busy, so he will maintain the house (if needed), play golf, gym, or do basically anything outside.
- Elijah has worked at The BUSY Schools for just over a year now as the Work Readiness Officer and the best part of the job is that no days (or students) are the same and there's always something happening on campus.
- Something Interesting: Spanish is my first language so if I speak too fast or I'm not making any sense, just tell me.
- Lionel Messi is my uncle!



Essential Mathematics Update

Bravo! We have crossed the finish line for the year! Practically, all assessments are done, and in a week or two, the graduation ceremonies will be on. Congratulations to all those who have come so far. Do not take it for granted. It has required resilience, persistence, and some hard work to come this far. Give yourself a pat on the back and enjoy the coming holiday. Goodbye 2023!



Essential English Update

Assessment is done! Thank you to all students for working hard this term and getting assessments submitted on time.

Year 11s have completed their autobiographies, and they have been excellent. Thank you to all students for sharing your stories with me. We will now be moving on to work for Unit 3 Essential English for the rest of the year. This work will be a great foundation for the beginning of next year.

Year 12s are done! It was sad to see students leave campus for the last time. I am so proud of you all and I will see you at graduation 😊

Social & Community Studies Update

With week 6 coming to an end, I am so impressed with the number of students that have confidently come in and done so well to finish all their exams and assignments!

Year 11s have completed their exams, and I am so pleased with the results! A sea of high-quality answers that were so clearly communicated. Thank you to everyone that did their best and the results reflect your efforts.

Year 12s are done and dusted! Congratulations all of you! So great seeing that every single Year 12 student was able to complete their work. Graduation is just around the corner and well deserved.

A note from our Education Youth Worker

The team from Fight 4 Youth captivated us with their presentation and stories surrounding teenagers and consequences. This was an eye-opener and really got the students thinking about decision making and the ripple effect their choices have on themselves, family and peers while speaking up and sharing their own experiences. The creative juices have been flowing during Power 45! Students got a sugar hit decorating Halloween style cookies. A delicious treat!

With the end of the year approaching and feeling the full effects of a year of schooling, a group of students enjoyed a therapeutic pottery session with Suyane from Temple Clay. Students got to make a clay mug/vase. Once made, these are taken away to be fired and glazed ready for pick up from the school or handed back next year.



A note from our Learning Support Team

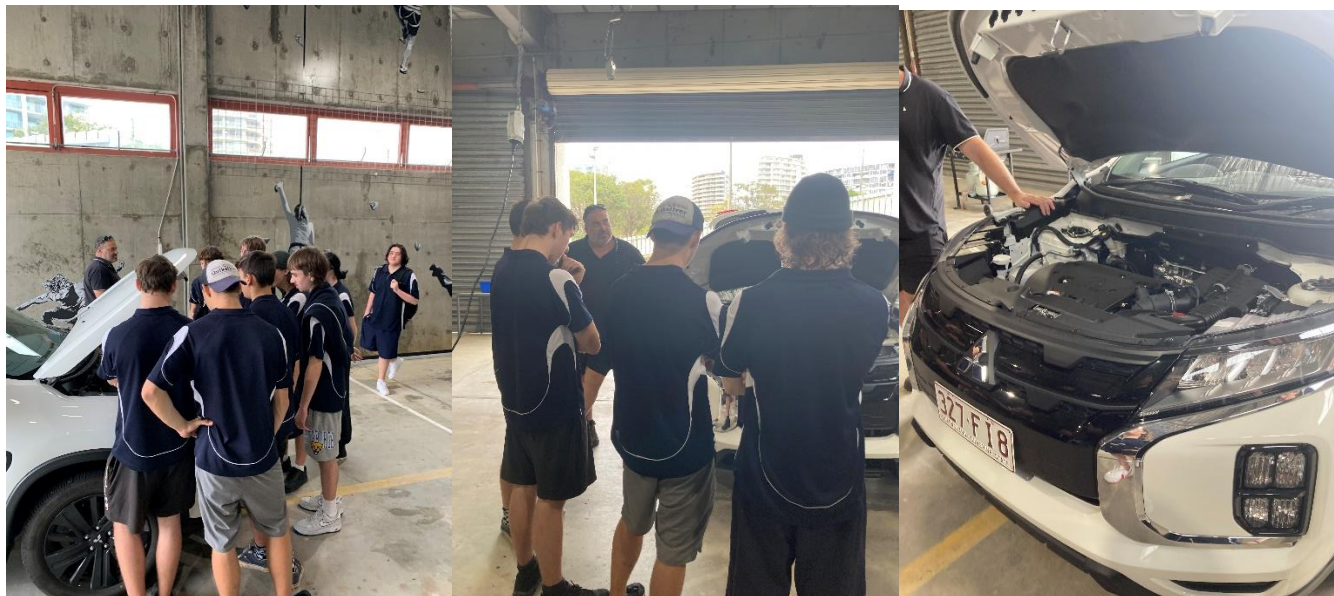
Finally, exams are complete!

Well done to all year 11 students who completed their last exams for the year. And CONGRATULATIONS to all year 12 students who have completed their last exam ever and have come to the end of their schooling journey! It has been an amazing year watching all students grow, learn and prepare themselves for life in the workplace.

Industry Team News from Marikka and Elijah

Congratulations, Year 11 and 12 students, on completing an outstanding term! Your dedication and hard work have paid off. Your achievements make us all proud, and we're excited about your bright future! Keep up the fantastic work!

We have had the pleasure of Allara Training coming to Campus to demonstrate a few automobile 'How Tos' i.e. How to change a tire, how to change your oil, what's under the hood and more.



Feedback Process

At The BUSY Schools we want everyone to have a voice! We want to hear any compliments and/or concerns. The best way for feedback to be effective is to pass it through the most relevant channels. If you have anything you need to express, you could:

- Approach the relevant people directly and have a respectful conversation to resolve the incident;
- Approach Klaus Knobloch to discuss the issue; and/or

Report the feedback on the BUSY Schools Website: <https://www.busyschools.qld.edu.au/busy-schools-feedback/>

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