

Year 7 Parent Information Evening



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Principal's Welcome



Mr Derek Weeks

Principal



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Welcome to ACSHS



Mrs Bharati Singh
Deputy Principal
Year 7



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Welcome to Year 7 at ACSHS

Mrs Bharati Singh

Deputy Principal

Year 7



Ms Ruth Donovan

Guidance Officer

Year 7, 9, 11



Ms Lexi Daniels

Head of Student Services

Year 7



Mrs Steph Blanton

Case Manager

Year 7



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Learning Connections Inclusion Team

Jay Collins

Deputy Principal

- Team of teachers and teacher aides
- **Case management** of students with extensive and substantial adjustment needs
- Strength based profiles
- Tutorials
- Joint management of AARA requirements
- Learning Connections Inclusion Handbook



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Year 7 Guidance Officer Ms Donovan

- Support mental, social & emotional health
- Part of a multi-disciplinary team



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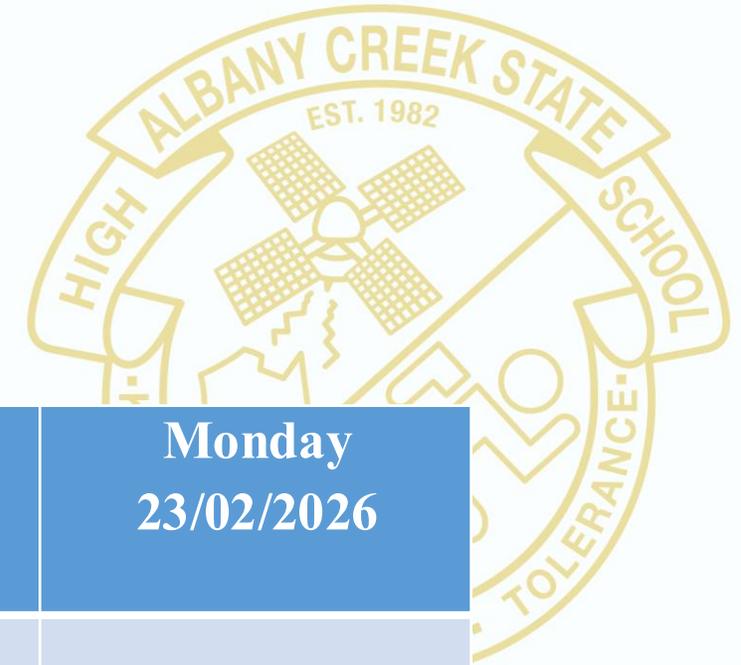
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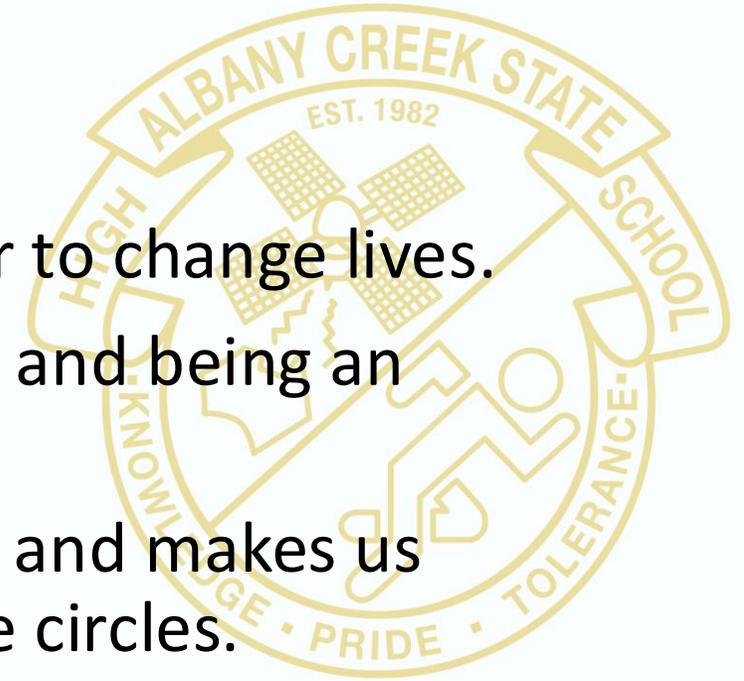
Tuesday 17/03/2026	Wednesday 18/03	Thursday 19/03	Friday 20/03/2026	Monday 23/02/2026
Writing	Reading	Conventions of Language	Numeracy Test	Catch up day

*Some variations to the week could occur.



Reading at Albany Creek SHS

- The importance of reading. Reading has the power to change lives.
- It plays an essential role in learning, securing a job and being an active and engaged member of society.
- Reading provides us with information, knowledge, and makes us aware of people and places beyond our immediate circles.
- Learning foundational reading skills supports wellbeing and can translate to a love of reading and literature.
- As so much of our world rapidly changes around us, learning to read remains one of the most essential outcomes of schooling



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Introducing Sora



What is Sora?



Sora is a student **reading app**.

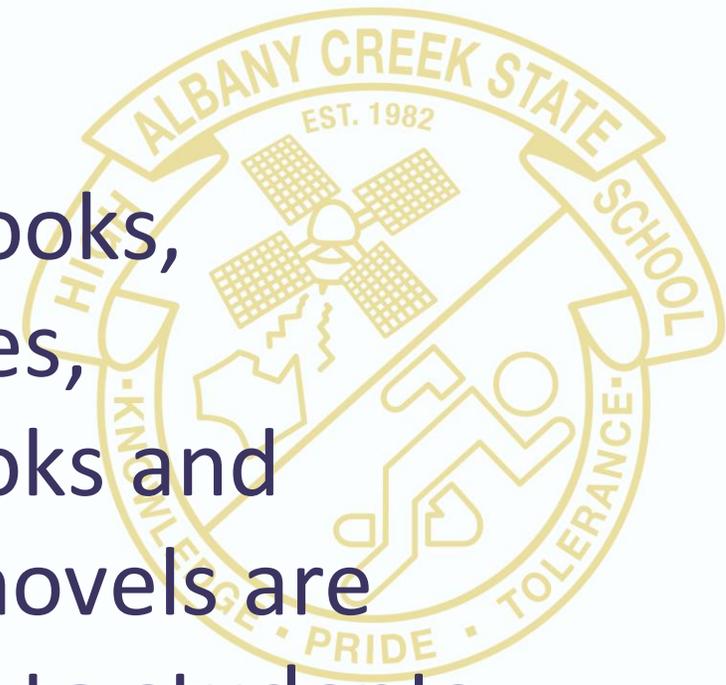
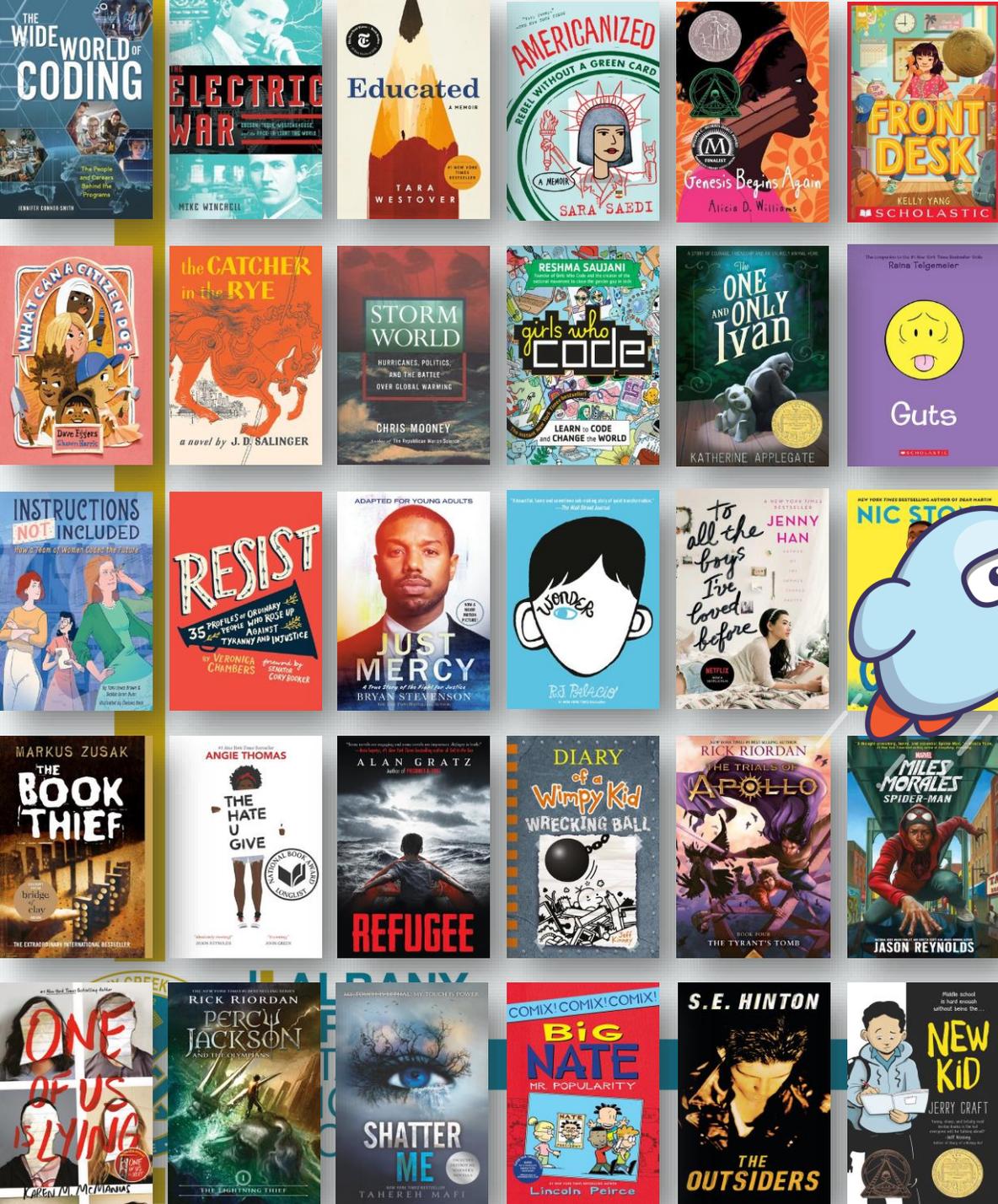
With Sora, you can read ebooks, listen to audiobooks, and more!



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Welcome to ACSHS



Ms Lexi Daniels
Head of Student Services
Year 7



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What does our week look like?



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• YLA - XPAC• Roll Marking• Notices	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TEAM Roll Marking• Notices• Value of the Week	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TEAM Roll Marking• Notices• GEM Chat	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TEAM Roll Marking• Notices• Class Choice Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TEAM Roll Marking• Notices• Weekly Challenge for the following week



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What's on in Year 7: A range of clubs and leadership opportunities

- SRC – Student Representative Council
- Interact
- Debating
- Instrumental Music
- Dance Eisteddfods
- Academic Competitions
- AC Racing



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Find your Thing....



FIND YOUR THING @ AC - TERM 1

Monday	Senior and Year 8 Debating Time: First Break Location: M8	Gaming Club Time: First Break Location: Library (L1)	Study Session Time: After School Location: Library	Maths Tutoring Time: Monday 2:55pm – 3:35pm Location: Library	Volleyball Club Time: 3pm-4pm Location: MPC
Tuesday	Interact Club Time: 11:25am Location : M18	Maths Tutoring Time: 8:00am-8:40am Location : Library	Gaming Club Time: First Break Location: Library (L1)		
Wednesday	AC Racing Training Time: 8:00am (Odd Weeks only) Location: Lemke Park	Volleyball Club Time: 7:45am - 8:45am Location :	Gaming Club Time: First Break Location Library (L1)		
Thursday	Vocal Ensemble Time: 7:30am Location: Music Block	Music for Leisure with Mrs Coe Time: First + Second Break Location: Music Rooms	Science Tutorials Time: 3:00pm-4:00pm Location: Library	House Carnival Training (Cross Country) Time: 7:30am Location: Oval/Shed From Week 5*	
Friday	Gaming Club Time: First Break Location: Library (L1)	Music for Leisure with Ms O'Bryan Time: First and Second Break Location : Music Block	Life Essentials Time: Second Break Location: Library Courtyard		



How can parents support learning?

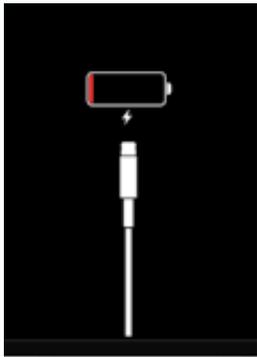
- Discuss learning goals, homework / assignments and progress
- Set high expectations
- Talk about learning and school
- Talk about the future (eg subject, choices, occupations)
- Ask about feedback

- Partner with teachers
- Communicate with school
- Be positive about education and learning



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Arrive at school ready to learn



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Together Everyone Achieves More (TEAM)

TEAM LESSON

TEAM Roll Marking:

- These short lessons occur every morning, Monday through to Friday, from 8.50am to 9.00am, with one of the lessons being devoted to a Year Level Assembly (Ours is Monday in MPC)

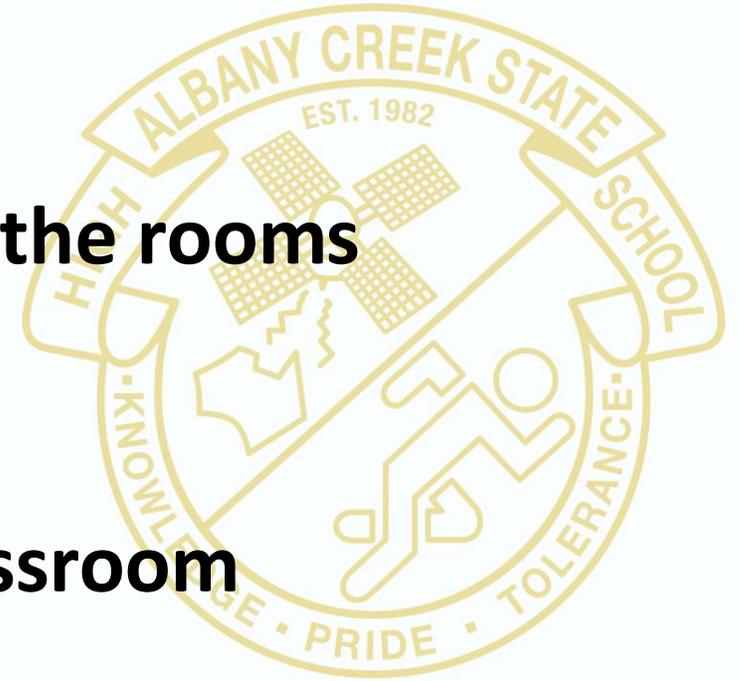
TEAM Extended Lesson:

- This lesson occurs weekly on Thursdays in Period 3

From here...

Our TEAM Teachers will now guide you to the rooms where you will:

- Meet the TEAM teacher and the core classroom teachers.**
- Hear from them about curriculum and routines**
- Return at 4:30 for a sausage sizzle under S Block**



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TEAM Class	TEAM Teacher	Room
7A1	Ms Shelley Collins	I21
7A2	Mr Michael Brown	V6
7A3	Ms Emma Comollatti	V3
7H1	Ms Sarah Mortensen	I11
7H2	Mr Brett Hunter	I14
7H3	Mrs Katie Webb	V5
7P1	Ms Kelly Thomas	I10
7P2	Mrs Ros Volling	I9
7V1	Ms Louise Snowling	V2
7V2	Mr Scott Clark	V1
7V3	Mr Stephen Brasch	I20
7 Dance	Miss Jordan Sceney	V4



Thank you for attending!



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