

## Gorokan Public School

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## Gorokan Public School's NAIDOC WEEK Celebrations Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021



NAIDOC Theme 2021 – 'Healing Country'.

To celebrate NAIDOC Week 2021, each grade across our school will participate in both in-class and extracurricular activities within the school setting. This spectacular week will highlight Aboriginal culture and embrace First Nation's cultural knowledge and understanding of Country as part of Australia's national heritage and that the culture and values of Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islanders are respected equally to the cultures and values of all Australians.

We ask that each student contributes **\$5.00** towards the cost of participating in all activities provided throughout the week. These wonderful activities include; participation in a Dhinewan dance and stomp program with Johnathan Wright, bush tucker cooking class in the outdoor kitchen, bracelet making, colouring in competition and bbq.

Students are invited to wear Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander colours on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> as a mufti day experience as a culmination to the weekly celebrations.

A small amount of merchandise will be available for purchase on mufti day at the front gate until sold out. These will include wrist bands (\$2.00) and pencil cases (\$3.00). All money raised will contribute to the Aboriginal dance costumes.

We warmly invite all families to our NAIDOC celebration assembly on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 9:30am in the school hall.

Thank you for your support.

Tammy Coote Aboriginal Education Committee Jason Clenton Relieving Principal

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Please complete the paymet/permission slip below and return to your child's teacher

I have paid for my child of class to participate in NADIOC Week celebrations and activities from Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June to Friday **25<sup>th</sup> June 2021**. I understand the cost of participation is \$5.00.

<u>GPS FACEBOOK PAGE-</u> I give permission for photos to be taken of my c	hild and used	on the school's official
Facebook page: (no children will be identified by name on the page):	Yes	No

I have paid \$5.00 online. Receipt no: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer name: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature: Date: