

## **Principals Report to Parents and Friends Meeting -Wednesday 24 February 2016**

2016 has commenced very smoothly with an enrolment of 405 students and 270 families. The staff and students have settled in well and have resumed school routines as though holidays never happened.

Over the past few weeks, teachers and support staff have been conducting whole school assessments in literacy and numeracy to gather data for planning and to recognise students at risk or who require further assistance with their progress.

Four weeks have almost come to an end and we can see how quickly the term is progressing. It is as always a very busy term as the students settle into new year levels and acquaint themselves with a new teacher in some cases

Major events for the term include, Staff Commissioning Mass held last week, Parent Information Night, Visit by Greg Mitchell for collaborative learning strategies, Junior and Senior swimming carnivals, Easter celebrations, class masses, assemblies and Edu dance lessons and final concert.

Parent teacher Interviews will take place in the last week of the term to provide feedback to parents and cares on the progress of students before reports go out at the end of term 2.

We are looking forward to working closely and in collaboration with our parents and with the P and F committee members and I am sure it will be a rewarding and fruitful year.

Rob Romeo  
Principal