

December 7th, 2022

Dear Parents and Caregivers of Year 6 2023,

We would like to welcome you and your child to the Year 6 Agile Learning Lab in 2023 and we look forward to working collaboratively with you next year. Year 6 will be an exciting and rewarding experience for students as they develop their skills in working independently, with consistency and perseverance, as well as practising cooperative and collaborative learning skills through a wide range of enjoyable and interactive learning experiences.

The students of Year 6 will work together as one learning community, separating into various groups for different learning activities. Students will belong to either an "A", "B" or "C" pastoral care class and they will attend specialist lessons with this class. The pastoral care teacher for 6A will be Miss Selena Freshwater, for 6B it will be Mrs Lynda Witham and for 6C it will be Mr Jake Randall. Since students will spend time constructing their learning with each Year 6 class teacher, we would like to introduce ourselves:

From Miss Freshwater:

This year I was one of the Year 4 teachers at St Paul's and I am very excited to be working alongside the Year 6 students and families in 2023. Some things that I enjoy are camping, riding dirt bikes and spending time with my family. I have a dog who is a 5-year-old black Labrador/Kelpie who loves going for swims and walks. I can't wait to be a part of your child's learning journey next year and support them through their final year at St Paul's.

From Mrs Witham:

I have three children and have been a teacher at St Paul's for the past 13 years. On the weekends, I enjoy reading and spending time at the beach and going for leisurely rides on my bike. I also have a 12-month-old, black Cavoodle puppy, who is great company and loves getting out and about, going for walks and exploring the beach and local bushland with me. I am excited to be teaching Year 6 next year and sharing the final year of primary school with your child. We have some great adventures ahead of us!

From Mr Randall:

I am excited to be back in Year 6 again to work with our new school leaders. I live in Caboolture with my wife Sarah and my three children who all attend St Paul's in Kindy, year 1 and year 4. Prior to working at St Paul's, I was a principal and teacher in Normanton, North Queensland. I am looking forward to working with you in partnership for your child's final year in primary school and anticipate a great year together!

Please enjoy viewing this online book created by Mrs Russell to introduce your child to Year 6.

<https://read.bookcreator.com/caytRBcP19g6RLqrILsHRwQuQ173/nwmFOLOSrK273IN-Oi9ZQ>



We hope you enjoy the upcoming holidays and are able to spend some quality time enjoying the Christmas season.

Selena Freshwater, Lynda Witham & Jake Randall
Year 6 Agile Learning Lab Teachers 2023

