

## **Strength in Collaboration**

Biddabah Public School Eleebana Public School Valentine Public School Warners Bay Public School Warners Bay High School Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you may be aware, we are embarking on a new and innovative program which we will launch within our Bay Community of Schools in 2020.

Sports in Schools Australia (SISA) is well known in our communities as a provider of high quality physical education programs with skilled staff and the latest, best quality specialised equipment.

In 2020, our Bay Community of Schools, comprising Biddabah PS, Eleebana PS, Valentine PS and Warners Bay PS, will engage SISA to provide a year-long program of engaging and exciting Physical Education, Health and Wellbeing lessons for our students from Kindergarten to Year Six. Each school will engage a SISA team of fully qualified teachers, who will work closely with the school staff to deliver the new PDHPE syllabus.

As the SISA staff work with our students, our teachers will be afforded valuable time for additional professional learning (APL) and collaborative practice. Teachers will work and learn together to enhance pedagogy, analyse student learning and ensure high quality practices.

The SISA / APL program is one that delivers the best of high quality learning and educational experiences for our students and staff alike.

As a significant feature of our planned professional learning, our schools will each contribute 50% of the funds towards this valuable program making it affordable for families at only \$50 per child per semester.

We look forward to launching this program next year and are excited about the opportunities it will provide.

Kind Regards

Bay Community of Schools Principals

Steve Gately	Lucinda Farrell	Lea Saurins	Deb Hall
Biddabah PS	Eleebana PS	Valentine PS	Warners Bay PS



PLEASE NOTE: SISA fees will be included and payable on the Eleebana PS Term 1 Cost Sheet which will be sent home when school resumes in 2020. *Please do not make payment until Term 1 2020.*