

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2019

Dear Bethany Parents and Carers,

At the start of each school year all students at Bethany are required to take part in a Mathematical Assessment Interview (MAI). A parent or adult is required to bring the child for a period of approximately 30-45mins. During this time the student will work with the teacher (one-on-one) to provide an insight into their mathematical ability. The process for booking this interview time is through our online system. We are writing to inform you that the online system will be open for booking as of Monday 2nd December 2019. These time slots tend to go fast, so may we encourage you to get in early.

For all students in **Years 1 to 6**, the Mathematical Assessment Interviews will be held on the first two days of **Term 1 2020 - Tuesday 28th January and Wednesday 29th January.**

**Tuesday 28th January 2020**

11am - 1pm

1:30pm - 3:30pm

**Wednesday 29th January 2020**

8:00am – 10:30am

11am - 1pm

1:30pm - 4:30pm

For all students in **Kindergarten**, the Mathematical Assessment Interviews will be held over four days - **Tuesday 28th January to Friday 31st January, 2020.**

**Tuesday 28th January 2020**

11am - 3:30pm

**Wednesday 29th January 2020**

8:00am - 4:30pm

**Thursday 30th January 2020**

8:00am - 3:30pm

**Friday 31st January 2020**

8:00am - 11am

**Please note:**

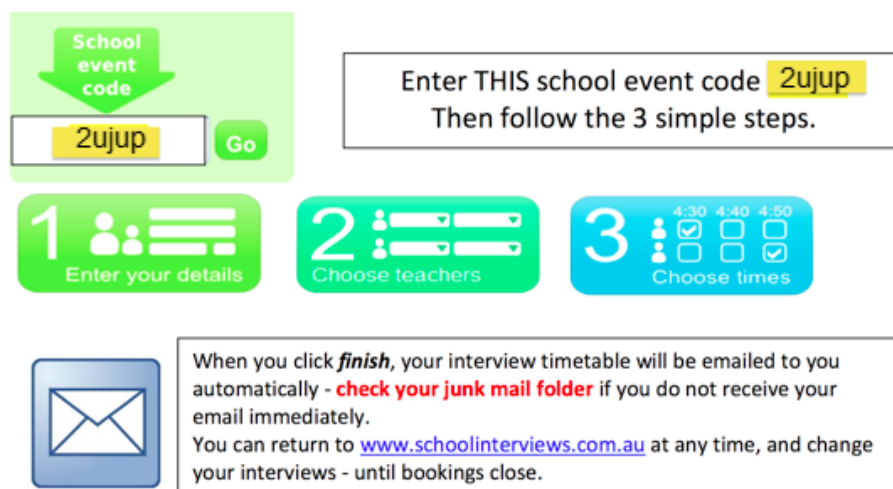
**Interviews are scheduled in 30 minute time slots. Teachers will not be available during Recess and Lunch.**

## Booking Process

The online booking system is simple and allows teachers, parents and carers to control the times and process. When the bookings open please go to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) and follow the 3 simple steps outlined below.

**Teachers have not yet been allocated to classes for 2020. As such, please select from any of the A, B, C & D class options for the grade that your child will be in next year when selecting an interview time.**

**Bookings OPEN on Monday 2nd December 2019 at 9.00am and close on Friday 13th December 2019 at 3.30pm.**



School event code  
2ujup Go

Enter THIS school event code **2ujup**  
Then follow the 3 simple steps.

1 Enter your details

2 Choose teachers

3 Choose times

When you click **finish**, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically - **check your junk mail folder** if you do not receive your email immediately.  
You can return to [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) at any time, and change your interviews - until bookings close.

For parents and carers who do not have access to the internet at home, on their mobiles or other devices, a computer will be made available at the office during the booking period (Monday 2nd December – Friday 13th December 2019), before and after school, so that parents and carers can still make their own bookings.

In light of the busyness of Term 1, it is important that these interviews are carried out during the time frame allocated. This is to allow teachers the time to analyse the data before setting up classroom practices for Mathematics instruction. Parents and carers who do not schedule an interview during the booking period will be contacted before the end of the 2019 school year.

If there are no suitable times available on the teacher schedule, parents and carers will need to contact the teacher, via the school office on 4723 3700.

It is an expectation of all Parramatta Diocesan Primary schools, that all students attend the Mathematical Assessment Interviews at the start of the school year.

Warm regards,

Pascale Joseph  
Assistant Principal