



# MACEDONIAN COMMUNITY LANGUAGE SCHOOL ШКОЛО ЗА МАКЕДОНСКИ ЈАЗИК

Аа, Бб, Вв, Гг, Дд, Ѓѓ, Ее, Жж, Зз, Ss, Ии, Јј, Кк, Лл, Љљ, Мм, Нн, Њњ, Оо, Пп, Рр, Сс, Тт, Ќќ, Уу, Фф, Хх, Цц, Чч, Џџ, Шш

## Welcome

Welcome to the first edition of the Macedonian Community Language School Newsletter for 2016. We have had a great start to the new school year and all students have settled into their learning very quickly. Our school community is vibrant with enthusiasm and interest and we look forward to a productive year.

## Teaching Staff

Our teaching staff this year include: Mr John Ailakis – Foundational Macedonian, Ms Jovanka Jakovceska – Advanced Conversational Macedonian, Ms Breanna Manov – School Age (K-12), Early Childhood, Mr Vasko Kamchev – School Age (K-12). On Wednesday, 6 April 2016, the K-12 Class will be having its “Meet the Teacher Afternoon” where parents have the opportunity to talk with their child/children’s teacher, view class work and learn more about the school’s processes. We look forward to an enjoyable afternoon.

## New After-School Macedonian Language Classes

2016 has seen the introduction of after-school Macedonian language classes at Balcatta House. The Program provides opportunity, through mainstream schools, for students to learning a new language. A wonderful school community has evolved and there is significant support for the Macedonian language to be accessible to young people. The Macedonian Community Language School understands the importance of language learning and is working with schools and Government through its representation on the Western Australian Ministerial Advisory Group and Community Languages and School Accreditation Program Sub-Committee to promote the value of language learning, to deliver quality teaching and learning and develop and maintain relationships with other Community language schools, teacher associations in other states as well as other interstate networks and Government agencies.

## Foundational Macedonian and Advanced Conversational Macedonian

These courses offer more than just Macedonian language. Students through their language learning are introduced to Macedonian society and culture and to meet other people who have similar goals and make friends. We have had a fantastic start to the new school year and thank all students for their commitment.



## Easter Holiday Activities



To celebrate the Easter school holidays our K-12 students, amongst other things, prepared various craft activities and delighted in chocolate Easter eggs and Easter bunny cookies. Thank you to Katerina Veljanoska for preparing the lovely Easter bunny cookies. The students loved them.

## Key Dates

Last Class for Term 1	K-12	6 April 2016
Last Class for Term 1	Foundational & Advanced Conversational	5 April 2016
Meet the Teacher Afternoon	K-12	6 April 2016
First Class for Term 2	K-12	27 April 2016
First Class for Term 2	Foundational & Advanced Conversational	26 April 2016

## Contact Us

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