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## THOMAS MITCHELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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9<sup>th</sup> March 2017

### **Re: Special Religious Instruction (SRI)**

Special Religious Instruction (SRI) will commence early in Term 2. These classes will be run, under teacher supervision, at lunchtimes for 25 minutes once a week.

Attendance is not compulsory. SRI is an 'opt-in' extra-curricular activity. You may withdraw your child from SRI at any time by notifying the school principal in writing.

The following classes are currently being offered for 2017, to commence in Term 2:

- **Christian SRI** (all year levels) which is being provided by Access Ministries
- **Islamic SRI** (all year levels) which is being provided by Arkan Toledo

Flyers have been attached to this letter outlining each of the programs on offer.

Classes may be cancelled if an instructor is unavailable or the school has other activities organised (e.g. excursions and camps). Substitute instructors may also be used if the regular instructor is unavailable on the day.

If you would like your child to participate in Special Religious Instruction, please read the information sheet and return the Parent Consent Form which has also been attached. Ensure that you have included the full name of your child, their class, SRI program, and payment in full, if you wish for them to attend.

**The cost to participate in SRI for the year is \$10.** No refunds will be given if your child fails to attend or consent is withdrawn.

Forms should be returned by *Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2017*.

You DO NOT have to return the form if you don't want your child to participate in SRI.

If you have any questions or need further information, please don't hesitate to contact the office.

Yours sincerely,

John Hurley  
Principal