



Turner STEAM Festival Newsletter

STEAM for Sustainability

Our obligation through collaboration

Friday 31 July—Friday 7 August



Hello Turner Community, welcome to our special edition Festival Newsletter! Adaptability, problem solving, creativity, research and communication are all foundations of a STEAM inquiry as our Festival team has certainly had the opportunity to use these skills in their planning this year! As we nimbly adjust our regular Festival format to our current times, we are excited to invite you to the many online opportunities our 2020 STEAM Festival provides. The best way for you to stay connected and keep engaged in our Festival is to follow the link to our learning from home hub: <https://sites.google.com/ed.act.edu.au/learning-from-home-hub/community-projects/2020-steam-festival?authuser=0> or get connected on our P&C Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/turnerpandc/permalink/890417371408583/>

Enjoy our 2020 Festival!

Kind regards, Allison

Follow the link from our website to our Learning Hub to view our Festival Program



<https://sites.google.com/ed.act.edu.au/learning-from-home-hub/home>

Cultural Integrity Garden Art Installation: Dry River Bed

Families are invited to create a rock for this installation by making an imprint into a clay rock and writing up their rock story.

This term we will begin the design and creation of our Turner School Cultural Integrity Garden.

During the Festival, Kindergarten will be designing our garden with help from Mark Edmonds and Aarthi Ayyar-Biddle. Our wonderful art teachers Sally Visser-Marchant and Ali Aedy will begin the creation of clay rocks to be installed as a dry riverbed.

Look out for some clay and instructions coming home soon

Watch our Opening and Closing ceremonies online through our school Learning Hub.

Festival Opening: Friday 31 July
Closing Ceremony: Friday 7 August 2:10pm

Turner School thanks all of presenters and volunteers who have contributed their time and expertise.



Learn more about our Turner School recycling project in our Opening Ceremony...



The Turner School STEAM Festival 2020

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The Great Seed Growing Challenge!

As part of our 2020 STEAM Festival this year we are asking you all to participate in a special challenge from home – **a seed growing challenge!**

Each child will be given a small envelope of seeds to take home and plant. Your challenge is to **grow the most successful, flourishing plant** and post your growth updates onto our **Turner School P & C Facebook page**.

It is up to you how and where you choose to plant your seed, whether it be a pot, garden bed, cup... or even a mix!

We can't wait to see your plant growth updates! Good luck and happy growing!

P.S. Keep an eye out for the upcoming watering challenge to help with your seed growing...