



Snippets

Moe South Street Primary School

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9th February 2023



TERM 1

Fri 10th Feb
No school for
preps

Mon 13th Feb
Swimming
Carnival

Fri 17th Feb
Hockey Clinic
Yr 3 - 6 only

Fri 17th Feb
No school for
preps

Tue 21st Feb
School photos

Fri 24th Feb
No school for
preps

Fri 3rd March
No school for
preps

Mon 13th March
Labour Day
Public Holiday
School Closed

Wed 16th March
NAPLAN starts
Grades 3 & 5
only

Mon 20th March
Athletics
Carnival



News from the Principal

The start of the year is still relatively new and plenty has been happening across our school community. The first major event of our school calendar is happening this Monday with our Whole School Swimming Sports.

I want to acknowledge the work of our Physical Education teacher, Ash Vuillermin who has shown great organisation in setting this event up for our students. The day will exist of competitive swimming trials for interested students in Grades 2-6 and then an afternoon whole-school swimming carnival for all students from 11:30 am onwards.

Families are more than welcome to come along to support or volunteer. Please remember that if you want to volunteer, we require an up-to-date Working With Children's Check.

I also appreciate there has been a tight timeline for the organisation of this event at the start of the year. I appreciate your patience and understanding with this. We are excited to be using Compass to organise permissions for these events, and I trust that you have found this feature user-friendly and an improvement to previous methods of communication.

As the term and year progress, we will roll out more features within Compass. These are all designed to make it easier for you to interact and engage with the school. I would encourage all families having any issues with Compass to pop into the office so we can help.

Please take the time to review the rest of the Snippets for this week. This edition of Snippets contains information on our School Council Elections and the first of a series of articles from Nic Quenault, Assistant Principal, who will begin to share our revised approach to student behaviour management.

Take care ,

Brendan Dawson

At South Street Primary School we grow people who:

Are creative, curious and independent learners. Are resilient and problem solve when faced with challenges. Respect and care about themselves, each other and the world in which we live.



We acknowledge the Gunaikurnai people as traditional owners of this land and pay our respects to elders both past and present.

Principal's news contd....

School Council Elections 2023

School Council is responsible for determining the policy framework for our school and provides an excellent opportunity for parents to participate in planning for the future of our young people. There are eight elected parents on our Council, with each member holding the position for a two-year term.

We have had very committed people on school council who have worked hard to improve our school for all children attending. You do not need to have experience in schools or with the Department of Education and Training to be on school council. All you need is an interest in your child's school and the desire to work in partnership with others to help shape the school's future.

There has been a noticeable positive vibe across the school for the start of 2023 and it would be fabulous to have all vacancies filled in 2023.

The commitment to be a member of a school council is attendance at our meetings, which currently take place on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm. If you can't make them all, that's ok, all you need to do is send in an apology, we know how busy life can get!

If you are interested in being involved in our school council, I would encourage you to contact our office on 5127 1512 and collect a nomination form or ask some questions to find out more information. I would be more than happy to discuss how you can become involved and answer any questions you may have.

We need your support to ensure that our school council continues to operate. Please consider joining if you can contribute to the improvement of our school community.

The election process and timeline have been included for you. The closing date for nominations is next Thursday.

School Council 2023 School Council Election Process & Timeline

School council election process and timetable

Moe (South Street) Primary School

Letter	Event	DATE
a)	Notice of election and call for nominations	Thursday 9 February 2023
b)	Closing date for nominations	Thursday 16 February 2023
c)	Date by which the list of candidates and nominators will be posted	Monday 20 February 2023
d)	Date by which ballot papers will be prepared and distributed	On or before Monday 20 February 2023
e)	Close of ballot	Monday 27 February 2023
f)	Vote count	Tuesday 28 February 2023
g)	Declaration of poll	Thursday 2 nd March 2023
h)	Special council meeting to co-opt community members (the principal will preside)	Tuesday 21 st March 2023
i)	First council meeting to elect office bearers (the principal will preside)	Tuesday 21 st March 2023

News from our Assistant Principal

Positive Play at South Street Primary School

With a new year comes new opportunities for our students in the playground. This year we have implemented our new '**Positive Play Process**' to ensure we cater and support ALL our students in the playground.

We have made changes to our Proactive and Active Play processes which are now both in the playground and always supported by at least two adults.

We will continue to send out information on our Positive Play Process and PB4L/Classroom management processes in future Snippets, however, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to pop in a talk to our staff!

Proactive play

is in our Play pit area near our Digitech room and focuses on supporting students to interact positively with others, follow rules of games, share, and learn together.



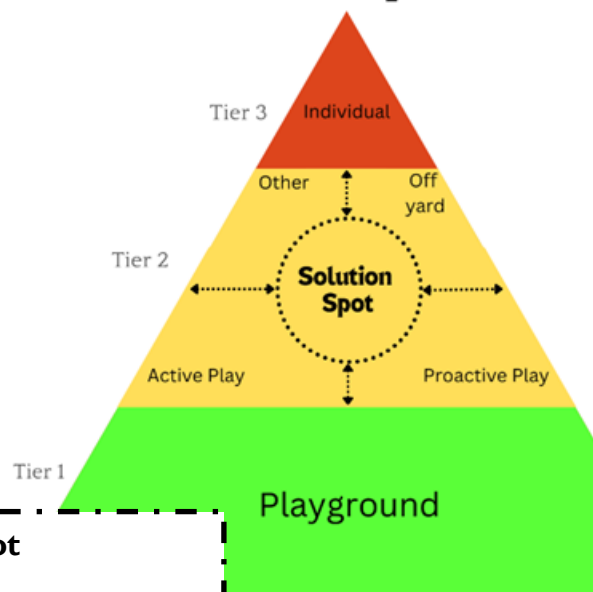
Nic Quenault
Assistant Principal

Active play

is an opportunity for students to play structured games with staff out in the playground. This may mean basketball, Dodgeball, Table tennis and other team games.

Our staff work closely with students to help them develop their ability to cooperate, play fair and follow the rules of the game.

Positive Play Process



Solution Spot

Individual programs are sometimes needed for students who need extra support in the playground OR that cannot access the playground for a range of reason. An example of this is a student who may have hurt themselves (broken leg, arm etc) and will need a modified play program to ensure they are safe.

Solution Spot

is a place that staff will engage in positive conversations with our students to ensure we can effectively solve any issues that may arise in the playground.

At Solution Spot, all students have the opportunity to be heard and will be supported to solve problems and develop plans for improvement and future success.

Swimming Carnival

Our Annual School Swimming carnival is fast approaching and will be held on **Monday February 13th at the Moe Outdoor Pool.**

On Monday morning, after the bell, selected students will go down to Moe Swimming Pool to compete in formal swimming events to try out for the upcoming Western Valley District Swimming Carnival.

Then at 11:30am the rest of the school will walk over and meet them for a day of fun at the pool.

All students will then start walking back to school from 2:30pm for a normal pick-up time.

If you are concerned about your child's swimming abilities please notify the class teacher.

Wear:

Students are to wear a tee-shirt in house colours (**NO SLEEVELESS TOPS**), bathers, hat, sunscreen and shoes. In case of cold/wet weather, a jumper and raincoat.

Bring:

Students are required to bring a cut lunch and nutritious snacks in a clearly labeled container and a drink bottle. (**The canteen will NOT be open**), a towel and sunscreen.

Families Welcome:

We welcome any parents to come and watch their child compete and to assist in any way possible. (timekeeping, results tracking, extra supervision)

Wear House Colours!



Details on next page!

Assistant Principal's news cont...



If you would like your child to attend, you will need to read all of the details and fill out the consent form on Compass by Friday the 10th of Feb.

This is a step-by-step process and will take a few minutes, it can be done in the Compass app. For full instructions and photos click [HERE](#).

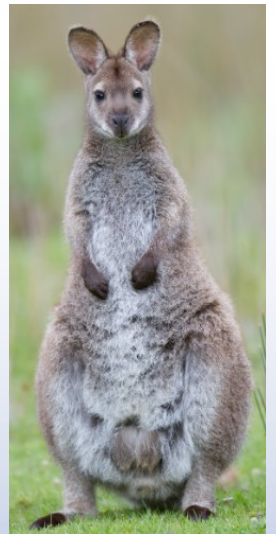
House Colours!



Kookaburra =
BLUE

We would love to see children having fun and dressing up in their house colours. Teachers will be reminding students of their houses this week. Or you can check in Compass!

Wallabies =
GREEN



Koala =
YELLOW



Kanga =
RED



School Photos!

School Photos are Tuesday the 21st Of February!

Our photographer has dropped off the order and payment envelopes school photos.

Students will be bringing them home this week so please keep an eye out for them.

Payment for school photos happens directly between families and the photographer so please follow the instructions that he has on outlined for you on the order envelopes.

If you would like a group family photo, please come to the office to collect the gold family order envelope.

Order envelopes must be returned to the school by Thursday the 16th of February.

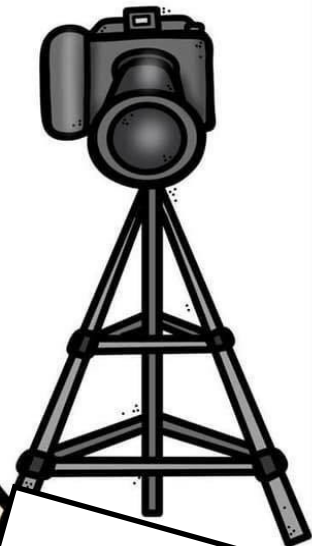
Say
Cheese!

SMILE

Questions?

If you any ordering or
payment questions,
please contact:

Peter & Pam
Hot FX
0407 543 150



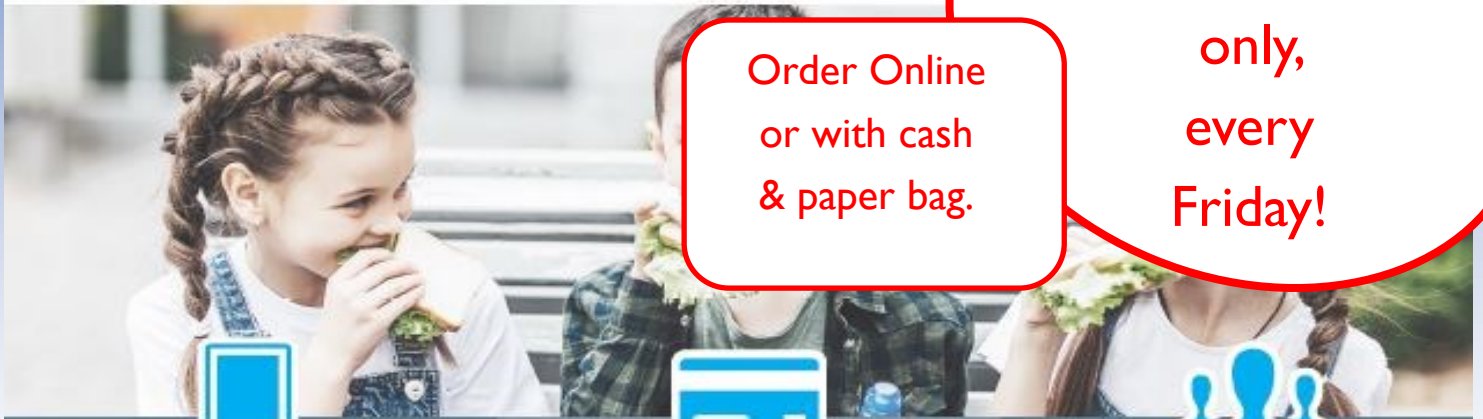
SCHOOL PHOTOS

TUESDAY 21ST FEBRUARY!

***Check your child's bag for
photo envelopes that were***

***Family Photo
envelopes
available at
the Office!***

Canteen News



Order online from
any device



Cashless
payments



Support your
school community

Open for
Lunch Orders
only,
every
Friday!

Order Online
or with cash
& paper bag.



Getting started is
easy. Simply scan the
QR Code

- It's free to set up & easy to use.
- Register at quickclik.com.au
 - **SIGN UP** & complete the registration form.
 - Receive a link via email to **ACTIVATE** your account before logging in.
- **ADD STUDENT** (your child's details), select their school & save to your account.
- **ADD CREDIT** to your online wallet before ordering or pay as you go using a credit or debit card.
- Select **MEAL ORDER** & you're good to go.

Orders can be placed up to 28 days in advance. You can view your completed orders via the Active Orders or Transaction History tabs in your account.

Register today to discover the QuickClik advantage

- ✓ Tired of scrounging around for loose change every morning before your kids run off to school? With QuickClik, lunch money is a thing of the past.
- ✓ One family, one account – you will have one unique and secure login to manage all your children's orders, even if they attend different schools. QuickClik saves you time and gives you complete visibility over your family's needs.
- ✓ QuickClik is designed with mobile access in mind. Simply login to add credit to your online wallet, or pay as you go using your credit or debit card. All from the convenience of your smartphone or tablet.
- ✓ To top up your account you have three options; Direct Debit / Credit Card / PayPal.



Did you know your school is a QuickClik school?

Sign up & register today at quickclik.com.au to get started.



Support when you need it: Monday to Friday, 7.30am–4.00pm
1300 11 66 37 | support@quickclik.com.au





Moe (South Street) Primary School

"SNACK ATTACK"

PRICE LIST

Member of the Victoria School Canteens Association – healthy items 🍏



OPEN EVERY FRIDAY – LUNCHTIME ONLY FOR ORDERS AND SNACKS

OUR MENU IS PREPARED BY VOLUNTEERS

Ordering Lunches – on a paper lunch bag please write your child's name, grade, lunch order and money total. No phone orders, no credit


Ordering Online – Orders must be in by 10.00am. Lunch bags will be supplied PLEASE USE QUICKCLIQ UNTIL END OF TERM 1

<u>SANDWICHES, WRAPS, ROLLS</u>		<u>HOT FOOD</u>	
1 Filling 😊	\$3.00	<u>TOASTIES</u>	
2 Fillings 😊	\$3.20	1 Filling 😊	\$3.50
3 Fillings 😊	\$3.40	2 Fillings 😊	\$3.70
<u>Fillings:</u> Ham, Cheese, Tomato, Vegemite 😊		3 Fillings 😊	\$3.90
HAM/SALAD (Ham, Cheese, Tomato, Lettuce, Carrot) 😊	\$4.00	<u>Fillings:</u> Ham, Cheese, Tomato, Pineapple 😊	
HAM & SALAD WRAP/ROLL 😊	\$4.50	LASAGNE 😊	\$4.50
<u>Extra Fillings:</u>		PIES	\$4.00
Beetroot, Cucumber, Pineapple – per extra	\$0.30	PARTY PIES	\$1.40
MAYONNAISE Portion (each)	\$0.40	SAUSAGE ROLLS	\$3.00
TOMATO SAUCE PORTION (each)	\$0.40	THE BIG DOG (Hot Dog)	\$4.00
SOY SAUCE PORTION (each)	\$0.40	CHICKEN NUGGETS	\$0.50
PAPER BAG	\$0.10	CUP NOODLES – BEEF OR CHICKEN	\$3.00
		STEAMED DIM SIMS	\$1.00
<u>SNACKS</u>		CORN 😊	\$0.60
SULTANAS 😊	\$0.60	CHICKEN TENDER & LETTUCE & MAYO WRAP 😊	\$3.50
CARROT STICKS (BAG) 😊	\$0.40	<u>Additional Fillings:</u> Tomato, Cucumber, Pineapple, Beetroot, Carrot, Cheese-each	\$0.30
FRESH FRUIT 😊	\$1.00	EXTRA CHICKEN TENDER	\$1.40
APPLE SLINKY – OWN APPLE 😊	\$0.20		
APPLE SLINKY – WITH APPLE 😊	\$1.10		
POPCORN	\$0.80	<u>TERMS 1 & 4 (SUMMER)</u>	
JJ's & PIRANHA SNACKS	\$1.00	FRESH FRUIT SALAD BOWL 😊 (Watermelon, Rockmelon, Grapes, Strawberries, Kiwifruit, Orange slice, Blueberries)	\$4.00
NOODLE SNACKS	\$0.50		
FRUIT TUB 😊	\$1.00	BUNNY SALAD 😊 (Lettuce, Cheese, Tomato, Carrot)	\$3.00
CHEESE WEDGE 😊	\$0.60		
CHEESE & CRACKERS PACK 😊	\$1.00	BABE N BUNNY COMBO – 2 SLICES HAM and Salad as above. Additional fillings available 😊	\$3.50
<u>DRINKS</u>		CHOOK N BUNNY COMBO – NUGGETS (3) and Salad as above. Additional fillings available 😊	\$4.00
MILK – Oak Light (CHOC/STRAW) 300ml	\$2.20	REFUND OF 50c UPON RETURN OF BOWL	
PLAIN MILK 200ml 😊	\$1.50		
ORANGE/APPLE JUICE BOX 😊	\$1.50	<u>TERMS 2 & 3 WINTER</u>	
FLAVOURED WATER 350ml (Rasp/Lemonade)	\$2.00	HOT MILO "SWAMP MUD"	\$1.50
PLAIN WATER 350ml 😊	\$1.20	"FUNKY BUG" RAISIN TOAST – PER SLICE 😊	\$0.50
<u>ICE CREAMS</u>		"FUNKY BUG & SWAMP MUD" COMBO – 2 SLICES 😊	\$2.30
LEMONADE ICY POLE	\$1.50	BAKED POTATO (POTATO, BUTTER, CHEESE, BACON)	\$5.50
BILLABONG – Rainbow / Choc	\$1.90	- ADD 30c EACH FOR SOUR CREAM OR COLESLAW, SPRING ONION GARNISH – N/C	
QUELCH TUBES 😊 (Regular / Sugar Free)	\$0.50	NACHOS (CORN CHIPS, CHEESE, MILD SALSA)	\$4.50
YOGURT STICKS	\$1.20	- ADD 30c FOR SOUR CREAM	
CALIPPO MINI	\$1.50		
MINI POPS	\$0.60		


Book Club

This week, children went home with the latest catalogue from Book Club.
There are lots of fun reading goodies available for purchase inside!


All orders for Book Club are to be made directly on the Book Club website. By the cut off date listed on the top of the catalogue.



How to order on Book Club



1. Your child will bring home a Book Club catalogue from school
2. Discuss with, and help your child pick the books they would like to read




3. Order online via the Scholastic Australia **LOOP** website or app and the school will take care of the rest! (**LOOP** orders are electronically linked to your school in an easy, secure online process)
4. The books are delivered to your child's classroom.

LOOP is the easy way for families to order and pay for Book Club.

Log in, or create a new account at [scholastic.com.au/loop](https://www.scholastic.com.au/loop)

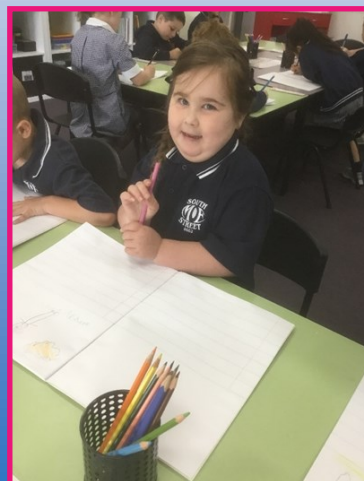
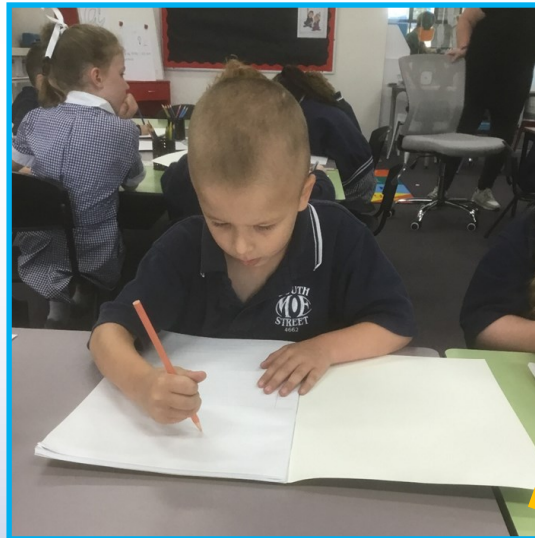
1. If you are new to Book Club, follow the Wizard to set up your profile
2. Click the ORDER tab, and select your school and child's class
3. Add your child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
4. Enter the product item number shown on the Book Club catalogue
5. Make payment via credit card.



New Kids on the Block

Meet our new Preps

The Foundation children have settled in really well to school. Learning new routines and getting to know new friends. They have been learning letter names and sounds, writing about special events, counting, writing numbers and our PB4L expectations.



Chaplaincy Chat

It is certainly good to return to school now that the State Government have signed off on funding for this year. I am catching up with students again, staff I have worked with previously and meeting lovely new staff members. There is a great positive vibe around the school as we look forward to an exciting time ahead.

Chaplaincy programmes will be put in place as Leadership, staff and Welfare teams observe and determine the current needs of the students.

One new programme I have been trained in and will be introducing in 2023 is called Seasons for Growth.

This programme focuses on changes, grief and loss that affects all of us at some stage in our lives.

We recognise that when changes occur in families through death, separation, divorce, changing schools, moving house or other related circumstances. Students may benefit from learning how to manage these changes effectively.

More detailed information is being sent out to families very shortly.

Assistance for families continues to be available with food hampers, Food pantry, recycled uniform sales.

Please contact school if you wish to catch up with me.

I wish all our families an enjoyable, healthy and positive year at South Street.

Kind regards, Val Hemmings.



Val Hemmings
School Chaplain

Val's working days are each
Tuesday and Friday.





News from the Nurse



The Community Health Nurse in Primary Schools Program is a free service offered to students by Latrobe Community Health Service (LCHS) at **Moe South Street Primary School. Katelyn Somerville and Ainsley James will be available on Mondays, Thursdays & Fridays during school terms**, assisting students and the school community with health support, and linking students and caregivers to other health services.

They provide support, advice and education to students while working within the school wellbeing team and alongside students, families and school staff. They can provide a range of referrals to other services, and can help progress your child's treatment and care plan. The role of the school nurse is flexible, and aims to create a "one stop shop" for parents and families to access supports needed to better provide for a child's health, social, emotional and educational needs.

The Community Health Nurse in Primary Schools program provides services and support including (but not limited to):

- Helping students attend appointments with GPs and paediatricians
- Working with GPs and paediatricians to progress the child's follow-up care and treatment
- Providing health and hygiene education
Offering mental health support
Helping with hearing and vision screening
Providing nutrition advice
Helping children learn how to look after their teeth and gums at home

Please reach out if you require any further information about any services we could provide you and your family.

ASTHMA ACTION PLAN what to look out for

Do we have your child's latest Asthma Action Plan for 2023?
Late last year letters were sent home along with a blank Asthma Action Plan to families with children diagnosed with Asthma, requesting an updated plan be sent to school for the 2023 school year. The Department of Education requires all schools to have updated Asthma Action Plans every school year for students with asthma, so we can provide the correct management and support if needed.

Thank you to those families who have already returned their child's updated plan for the 2023 school year.

If you haven't returned your child's 2023 Asthma Action Plan, could you please send to school ASAP?

Please also ensure the current plan is dated 2023 and that it doesn't expire until 2024. We really appreciate your support as you will be helping us provide a safe environment for your child while at school.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Katelyn or Ainsley at school or via email below;

*Katelyn (Mondays) – Katelyn.somerville@lchs.com.au
Ainsley (Thursdays and Fridays) – Ainsley.james@lchs.com.au*

Katelyn
(Mondays)



Ainsley
(Thursday, Friday)



Super important reminder



School Times 2023

Students are supervised between the hours of 8:30am and 3:15pm.

Students arriving before 8:30am should be directed to our Breakfast Club program and students who have not yet been collected at 3:15pm, should be directed to the office where their families can be contacted.

Supervision Type	Start Time	End Time
Breakfast Club* (at the Canteen)	8:00am	8:30am
Enter classroom	8:30am	8:38am
Preparation Bell (music)	8:38am	
First Period of Learning Starts	8:40am	10:40
Eating Time	10:40am	10:50am
Playtime	10:50am	11:20am
2 nd Period of Learning Starts	11:20pm	1:20pm
Eating time (in classroom)	1:20pm	1:30pm
Lunchtime Playtime	1:30pm	2:00pm
3 rd Period of Learning	2:00pm	3:00pm
End of the day dismissal	3:00pm	
Yard Duty/Gate supervision starts	3:00pm	3:15pm
After School Care available until 6pm		

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New School Hours

Service Contact: Juliana Arenas, Director

In 2 Learning

M: 0411 821 530 E: juliana@in2learning.com.au

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School News

By paying the **\$100** Parent Contribution payment you will receive a ticket to win an iPad.

Show you are registered & ready to use Compass in 2023 & receive a bonus ticket into the draw!!

Parent Contribution Payment for 2023



No School!

for prep students



To support Prep Students transitioning to school and to allow for individual assessments there will be

no school for

Preps on the following days:

February

Friday 3rd, Friday 10th
Friday 17th, Friday 24th

March

Friday 3rd

