

Term 2 Week 3

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IT'S NOT OKAY TO BE AWAY!**Dates to****Remember**

May 4th—Week 4 & 5 Learning Packs can be picked up from the Post Office

WHO'S DOING WHAT THIS WEEK?

Catherine, Francey and Colleen have been at work today.

Fiona, Ellen and Colleen will be at school on Thursday

**Newsletter****2020*****School Council AGM***

A reminder to all councillors that the AGM will be held at the school on **Friday 1st May at 2pm**. Please be aware that social distancing measures will be in place so this meeting may need to be held in the lunch area outside, weather permitting. Apologies to either Sonia, Molly or Colleen.

Thank you!

I would like to thank parents, carers and extended family members for the way in which you have settled in to supporting your children at home with their learning. It is great to hear and see what the students have been doing and the broad range of experiences that have been created for them. Keep sharing your photos on our Facebook page or send in to Colleen to include in the newsletter. We have had some success with checking in with students over webex, face time and checking in with families via a phone call. Although our technology can sometimes let us down, it is also creating opportunities for us to stay in touch and communicate.

Week 4 and 5 Learning Packs

Learning packs will be distributed on Monday 4th May. These can be picked up from your local post office Monday morning. Timetables and daily worksheets will be included for Literacy and Maths.

Google Meet

Google meet is now active on Google Classroom and will be used as a check in and meeting platform for students and their classroom teachers. Students will be notified by their teachers when they plan to meet. Times may vary for individual students.

Do not worry if there are times that your students can't make it to a Google meet session. Teachers will follow up with any students as needed.

Coronavirus Updates

Please refer to the following website for latest updates. These are also located on the school website.

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/department/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>

School Contact Numbers

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Molly—0429 941211

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We acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples the first peoples and traditional custodians of the lands where we live, learn and work. We pay our respects to the Elders, both past, present and future, for they hold the memories, traditions, culture and hopes of Indigenous Australians.



Numeracy Guide

The following links provide fun numeracy activities to share with your child at home.

Birth – Level 2

<https://numeracyguidedet.global2.vic.edu.au/numeracy-at-home-birth-to-level-2/>

Levels 3-8

<https://numeracyguidedet.global2.vic.edu.au/support-at-home-level-3-8/>

Maths Ideas - resource (attached)

If you need a break away from the learning that is set.

CSEF—Camps, Sports & Excursion Fund

Families who have a Centrelink card are eligible for the CSEF payment of \$125 per primary student and \$250 per secondary student. This payment goes directly to the school to be put towards camp, sport & excursion related costs. Families who received this payment last year **do not need to do anything** as I have reapplied on your behalf. If any family's circumstances have changed since 2019 and now have a Centrelink card please contact Colleen and a form will be emailed to you. New families who **haven't been contacted** by Colleen and have a Centrelink card please contact the school asap so an application can be lodge for you. All prep students who receive the CSEF are also eligible for a uniform allowance from the State Schools Relief Fund. This will also be done on your behalf and vouchers will be sent home when they are received.

Wellbeing

Hope we are all keeping well and enjoyed the rain over the weekend. If your children would like to check in with classmates, they can share photos or discuss through the Wellbeing Google Classroom. Some sharing examples may be any craft, gardening, sport or games they have been doing at home.

Anzac Day Commemorations

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Anzac Day activities, whether this was putting your posters in the shop or your front gates. Thank you to those who stood at the front gates of your homes with a candle. This is such an important day and we should always **“remember them”**.



This Weeks

Birthdays

No Birthdays this week.



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RESPECT

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ACHIEVEMENT

PERSISTENCE

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