

Dates To Remember

TERM THREE 2019

Thursday 12th September

Swimming
Extend Open Day
Nara Showcase Night 5-6pm

Friday 13th September

ICAS English Test 12:30pm
Last day to order Subway Lunches

Monday 16th September

End of Term assembly 9am
Swimming
ICAS Maths 10-11am

Tuesday 17th September

Swimming

Wednesday 18th September

Swimming

Thursday 12th September

Swimming

Friday 20th September

Footy Day
Subway Lunch
Last day of Term Three (2:30pm)

TERM FOUR 2019

Monday 7th October

First day of Term Four

Friday 18th October

Prep Transition 1
School Disco

Wednesday 23rd October

School Council

Friday 25th October

Diwali Celebrations - Lunch

Thursday 12 September, 2019

Principal's Report

END OF TERM ASSEMBLY

Just a reminder that our special end of term assembly will be held on Monday from 9-10am. All parents welcome.

SWIMMING WEEK

Our first week of swimming went well. The students were super excited to participate in our school swimming program. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered their time and assisted classes down at the pool. For some students it is a lesson of organisation and responsibility - as they try to avoid losing clothing items! Students will be more tired than usual and it might be a good idea to cut down on afterschool activities over the coming week.

NARA NIGHT - Tonight!

We invite all our Year 4 students and their families to our special 'Community Placement Project' night tonight. It is a fantastic opportunity for our students to share their learning and engage with our local kinder. The night begins at 5pm.

Thank you to our Year 4 teachers who prepared the students and coordinated the writing project. Thank you also to Helen for printing and binding a copy for each child. The picture story books are truly beautiful and a great memento for the kindergarten kids.

SCHOOL PRIDE

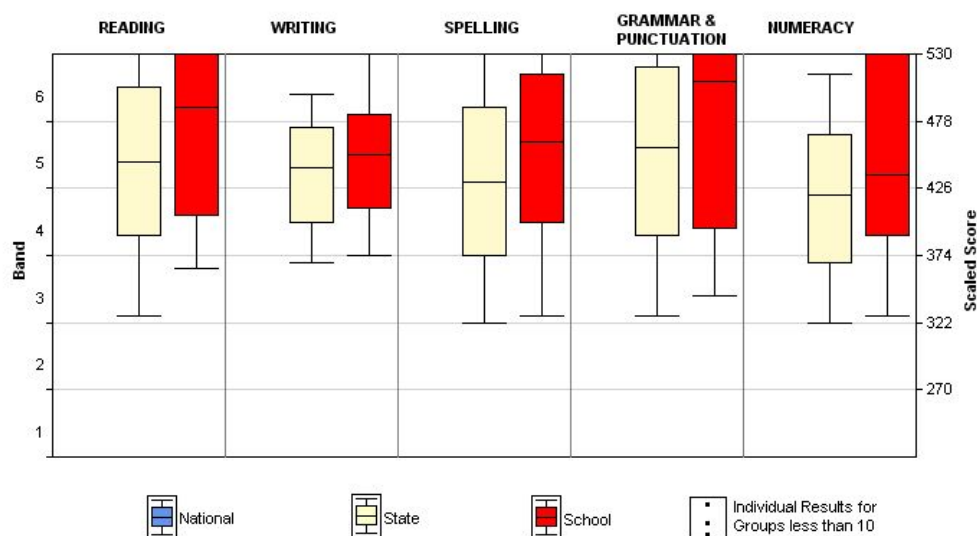
Due to our swimming program, we will be holding our BBQ tomorrow Friday 13 September. The top 3 students in each class, with the most dojo points, have been invited to our Term 3 bbq. Congratulations to the following students: Eva P, Hiyori O, Nikita H, Kimberley L, Zara M, Isabelle W, J.C M, Owen M, Madeline C, Cerise B, Saffron L, Robert H, Yui W, Bonnie J, Zoe P, Abdulmalik A, Henry T, Bethany O, Mikaela M, Mia P, Elisabeth O, Lara H, Anna K, Natasha P, Marianna S, Cooper S, Maggie N, Dai G and Kirsten L.

NAPLAN DATA – WOW!

Once again we have much to celebrate this year! Our Year 3 results were once again outstanding. Year 5 results were great however, Grammar and Punctuation needs to remain a focus for this cohort. The following two graphs show an overview of achievement in Years' 3 and 5 in comparison to state results. The red box is our school and the yellowish box summarises state achievement. As you can see, our students are achieving well above state standards in all areas, except for year 5 Grammar and Punctuation.

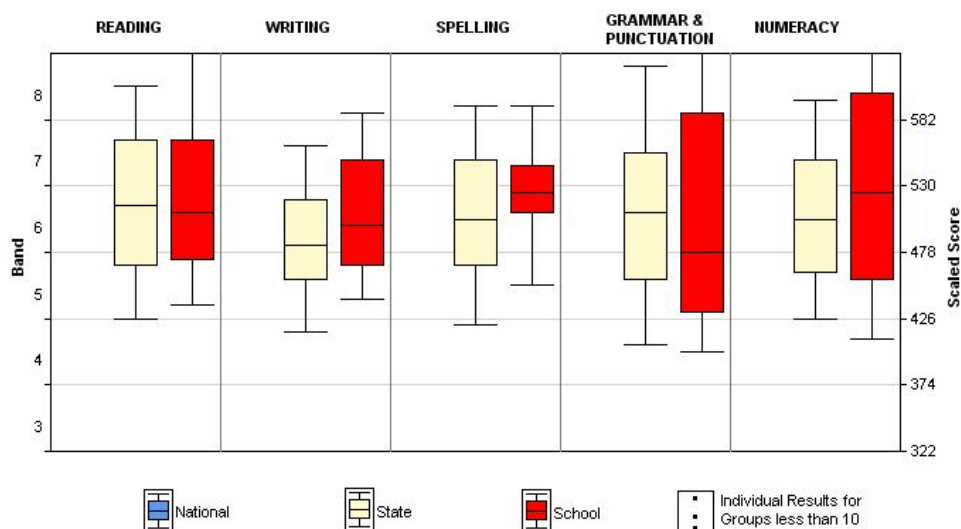
School Summary Report

Year 3 - Gender: All, LBOTE: All, ATSI: All



School Summary Report

Year 5 - Gender: All, LBOTE: All, ATSI: All



SWIMMING TIMETABLE

Grade	Departure from School	Swimming Lesson	Departure from Pool	Arrival at School
5/6D & 5/6M	11:30am	12:00 - 12:45pm	1:15pm	1:30pm (approx)
3/4P & 3/4R	12:15pm	12:45 - 1:30pm	1:45pm	2:00pm (approx)
1/2G & 1/2J	1:00pm	1:30pm - 2:00pm	2:15pm	2:30pm (approx)
1/2B & 1/2M	1:30pm	2:00 - 2:30pm	2:45pm	3:00pm (approx)
Prep DM & Prep S	2:00pm	2:30pm - 3:00pm	3:15pm	3:30pm (approx)

FOOTY DAY – Friday September 20

Don't forget to come dressed up in your favourite sporting team colors. If in doubt – just come wearing black and yellow! Information for a special Subway lunch was sent home last week.

SUN HATS

In line with our Sunsmart policy all children are required to wear a hat from September 1st onwards. Please make sure your child has a **school** broad brim or legionnaire hat.

EXTEND HOLIDAY PROGRAM

It is not too late to enrol your child in the holiday program. So many great activities including a Dog Show, Dodgeball Tournament, Spring Pot Planting, Wet Felting and many more exciting activities!

CURRICULUM DAY

Our last Curriculum Day for this year will be held on Monday 4 November. Students will not attend on this day.

Let's Celebrate

- Great NAPLAN results
- Richmond who are playing exceptionally well!
- Our first week of swimming completed!

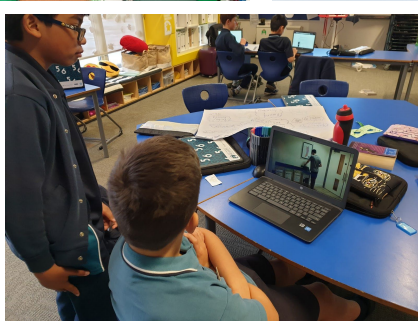
Sharon

Sharon Reiss-Stone
Principal

Assistant Principal's Report

Curriculum Update

It is amazing to see the students collaborating, investigating, asking questions and analysing information in their Inquiry sessions and how they have been developing their ideas over the last nine weeks. Great job!



Thank you to all out staff who have helped out with our Piece Together Prep sessions. For our last session, the future preps participated in a science and ICT session that focused on LEGO! They used their critical and creative thinking skills to build and make creations. They also used Google Expedition to view the wonders of the world, then had a go at building them. We have had the best year with PTP and every year it gets bigger and bigger. Thank you to everyone who participated in our sessions!



Carolyn

Carolyn Datson

Assistant Principal

ICAS Competition Dates

Just a reminder that the ICAS competitions will be running over the next 3 weeks for those who have signed up. Please be aware that the dates differ slightly from the dates written in the original notice. We will also work around swimming times so students do not miss swimming or the test.

Test Dates

Science: Thursday 5th September

English: Friday 13th September

Maths: Monday 16th September

FRIDAY OCTOBER 18
THE PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

MOUNT WAVERLEY HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL'S

RAINBOW DISCO

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- PREP - 2: 5PM - 6:30PM
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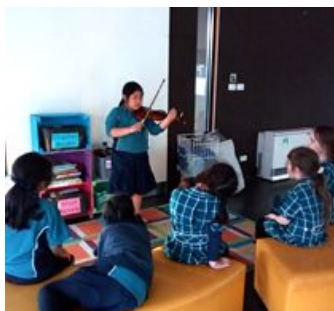
SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

EXTEND UPDATE

END OF TERM PARTY!

To celebrate the end of Term 3, Extend is throwing a special party on the final day. For BSC we will be cooking delicious rainbow pancakes topped off with a selection of spreads, then at ASC we will be having a Cupcake Cook Off from 2:30 - 3:30, lastly at 3:45 we will begin our voted upon movie.

We hope to see you there!



Last weekend Lila and her family spent the weekend with Brownie and Marshmallow, but did you know that Lila has been lucky enough to have the guinea Pigs sleep over 5 times now!

The Extend Superstar is...

Bassam A from Grade 1/2G for standing up for yourself and giving things a go! It takes a lot of courage and we are very proud of you, keep it up.

Coming up next week:

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BSC	BSC	Indoor: Mindfulness Outdoor: Student Free Play	Indoor: Student Free Play Outdoor: Hide & Seek	Indoor: Bookworms Outdoor: Curious Minds	Indoor: Construction - Lego Masters Outdoor: Bootcamp
ASC	ASC	Indoor: Art- Paper Plane Competition Outdoor: Ball Sports	Indoor: Sustainability - Imagination Creation Outdoor: Playground	Indoor: Science - Coke & Mentos 2.0 Outdoor: Group Games	Indoor: Student Free Play Outdoor: Sports Clinic - Gymnastics

From Jayde & the children.

Enrol and book now: extend.com.au

We are opening up our kinder for an
afternoon of fun, food & play!

NARA PRESCHOOL

SUNDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER
2PM - 4.30PM

Check out our kinder & meet the teachers!

Andy's Antics Entertainer @ 2.15pm

Nature Arts & Crafts Activity

Free Pizza & Icy Poles

Smoothie Bikes - Bring a piece of Fruit & blitz your
own smoothie with human power!

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SPORTS ACADEMY INFORMATION EVENING

Our Sports Academy Program aims to assist talented student athletes to achieve at the highest levels of performance in their various sports, and to help them with their personal education and vocational development. If you're currently researching secondary school options for your son, come along to our Sports Academy Information Evening to learn more about our Sports Academy, important enrolment guidelines and how your son can apply for our 2022 Sports Academy class.

Date: Monday 24 February 2020, 7:00pm to 8:00pm
Location: Auditorium, 10 Bosco St Chadstone 3148
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22 / Sep / 2019 (2pm)
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Computer Programming Club

In a world where technology touches every aspect of our lives, it is crucial that our children understand how it works. To accomplish this objective, there is an exciting **Computer Programming** club running at the school.

The aim of the club is to provide students with exposure to the fundamentals of computer science concepts. Run by external consultants from Digimaker, this program will:

- Build games, animations, stories utilizing pupil's creative thinking
- Develop logical thinking and problem-solving skills
- Express ideas & boost confidence working in a collaborative environment
- Enable the grasp of computational thinking which combines math and logic

For details on the course, visit <http://www.digimaker.com.au/courses/>

The club will run for 8 to 10 weeks each term (depending on the length of the term) and is charged on a per-term basis. Students work on school computer during the session.

Program for Term 4 2019 is as follows:

Room : Class Room
Year : 3 to 6
Fee : \$171 + GST

<u>Batch – After School</u>	
Day	Tuesday's 08 th Oct to 10 th Dec (09 weeks – 05 th Nov is public holiday)
Time	03:30pm – 04:30pm

Mount Waverley Heights Primary School

*If you are interested in your child being considered for the programming club, please *fill the form online @ www.digimaker.com.au/contactus/ latest by Thursday 19th Sep 2019. Digimaker will confirm your child's spot via **email.*

*Existing students need not fill the form

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