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PRINCIPAL REPORT

Today we welcomed students and staff back onsite. It was great to see many smiling faces as the students were dropped off this morning.

A huge thankyou to our families who have supported our students through another Remote and Flexible Learning (RFL) period. We know it provides extra challenges during an already difficult time but we appreciate everyone's resilience and effort.

Thank you also to our staff who acted quickly to transition to RFL 5.0 within the short timeframe and for their diligence and hard work throughout the two weeks.

Last night I shared our Return to School Guide for Parents and Carers highlighting some of the COVID Safe process and guidelines. I have included another copy in coming pages. We appreciate everyone in our community supporting us in following the rules.

Please ensure you are wearing masks (inside and outside), checking in when entering the school buildings and keeping a safe 1.5 m distance at all times.

The sharing of food at school is still not allowed - this includes birthday cakes or treats (even if they are individually wrapped). We are still allowed to celebrate birthdays and sing Happy Birthday, but we will need to postpone the birthday treats until the restrictions change.

The parent helpers' program in the classrooms is paused and will recommence when permitted.

If your child is ill or is feeling unwell, they must not attend school. They must remain home and seek medical advice.

School drop-off and pick-up arrangements are consistent with Term 1 and 2 this year. We do request that parents drop off/pick up and leave school grounds promptly at the beginning and end of each day. This is to reduce the congregation of adults around the school and reduce congestion.

With the latest School Operations Guide some rules/guidelines have changed. The latest guide states:

- **School camps and overnight stays** [can take place across Victoria with no travel restrictions.](#) Bookings must be limited to single schools. Multiple schools can attend camps providing school groups remain separated and do not share common facilities at the same time. **Mixing of staff and students between different schools is not permitted.**
- **Playgrounds** remain open for school use and can be made available for community use out of school hours.
- **Drinking fountains** can remain open.
- **Non-essential visitors** should be excluded from school sites for this period. **Essential visitors include** for example:
 - Preservice teacher placements
 - Staff involved in delivering school programs
 - Health and wellbeing staff

2021 Term Dates:

Term 3 - 12th July to 17th Sept
Term 4 - 4th Oct to 17th Dec

Dates to Note:

July

28th - School Council Meeting

August

3rd to 6th - MVIMP Music Camp **TBC**
12th - Foundation Familiarisation 2022 **TBC**
13th - Whole School Olympics Day **TBC**
18th - Family Science Night **TBC**
20th - Book Week Parade **TBC**
25th - School Council Meeting
26th - Foundation Familiarisation 2022 #2

September

1st - MVIMP Spring Soiree 7pm
3rd - Father's Day Stall

Parent's Association Meetings

2021 - 12th August
- 9th September
- 14th October
- 18th November

Access the latest school newsletter through the Compass Newsfeed or through the School Website at: <http://www.mpp.vic.edu.au/our-school/newsletters/>

PRINCIPAL REPORT (continued)

- **Community groups** are not permitted to use school facilities during school hours (indoor or outdoor). When used outside of school hours, a density limit of 1 person per 4 square meters must be applied to the spaces used.
- **School tours** should not be conducted on-site for prospective students and their families at this time.
- **Incursions** are not permitted at this time.
- **Excursions** are permitted with students from a single school only
- **Non-essential meetings, and all school events, gatherings and assemblies** should be deferred or held remotely.
- **Kinder to prep and Year 6 to Year 7 transition programs** are not permitted at this time.
- **Interschool events (including sport) is not permitted.**

When there are any changes to these guidelines, we will of course let families know.

Events

Due to the timing of the lockdown and the current guidelines, the following information is provided for our planned and upcoming events:

- **F-4 Swimming** (26 July - 6 Aug) has been postponed and we are looking for other available dates in 2021. We will inform the community shortly if new dates can be secured.
- **School Disco** has been postponed and new date will be shared shortly. We are committed to provide this fun evening for the students and information will be shared when confirmed.
- **Chess education** will begin later in the term.

A decision on the following events is yet to be made. Information will be shared with affected students and families via Compass before each event.

This includes the:

1. MVIMP Camp (3-6 Aug),
2. Year 5/6 Hoop Time Basketball (6 Aug)
3. Three-Way Student Led Conferences,
4. Foundation Familiarisation session (12 Aug),
5. Whole School Olympics Day (13 Aug),
6. District Athletics (17 Aug),
7. Family Science Night (18 Aug).

Parent Opinion Survey

Each year, parents and carers are randomly chosen to participate in the survey. Parents will have received an email (last week).

The survey helps our school gain an understanding of how you view our school climate, student engagement, and relationships. Our school will use the results to inform school planning and improvement strategies. The survey will be conducted online by ORIMA Research Pty Ltd and only takes 15 minutes to complete. All responses to the survey are anonymous. We appreciate parents completing the survey.

This year, the survey can be accessed from Wednesday 21st July to Friday 3rd September. Results will be sent back to our school at the end of September.

Of course, if you have any queries or questions, please contact me (matthew.bott@education.vic.gov.au)

Matthew Bott

Principal

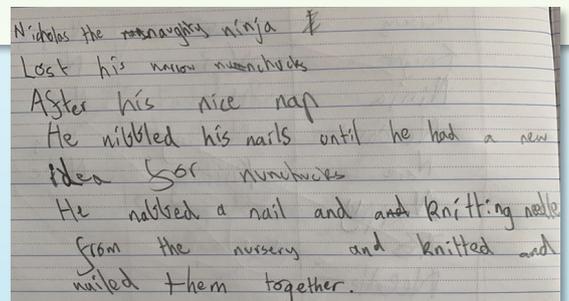
Remote and Flexible Learning 5.0

The Forest

Walking, walking, walking,
I wonder how long the forest may stretch?
The trees swaying,
The water running,
I stumble upon a lake with clear,
aquamarine water glistening in the
sunrays that were beaming through the
trees for some time.
Birds chirping,
What they are talking about.
I look down at the shimmering stream,
Feeling inspired and empowered.
Ella Hill

Alliteration poem

Nicholas the naughty ninja
Lost his narrow nunchucks
After his nice nap
He nibbled his nails until he had a new idea
for nunchucks
He nabbed a nail and knitting needle and
nailed them together
Nicholas Hinvest

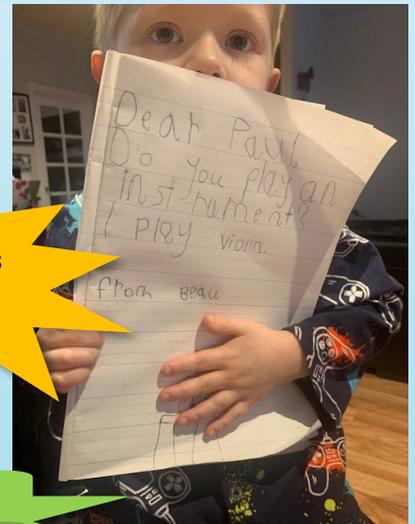


Nicholas the naughty ninja
Lost his narrow nunchucks
After his nice nap
He nibbled his nails until he had a new
idea for nunchucks
He nabbed a nail and a knitting needle
from the nursery and knitted and
nailed them together.



Phoebe Dodds'
Fruit Salad!

Beau Petale's
Letter!



Reuben Williams' Vegetable Soup!

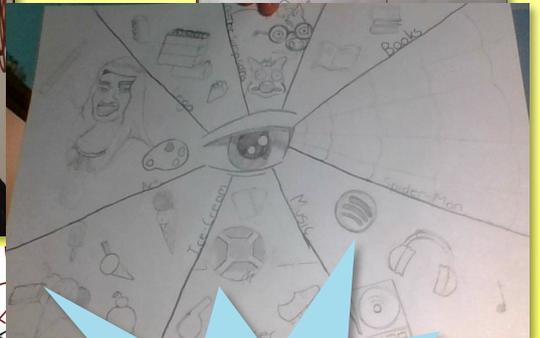


Remote Learning in Art!



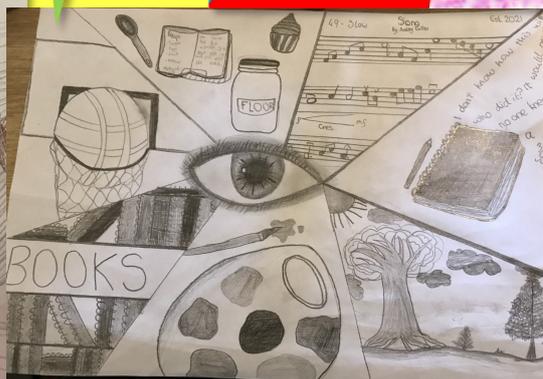
**Foundation -
Colourful Line
Heart**

**Year 1/2 -
Bird Drawings**



**Year 3/4 -
Villages**

**Year 5/6 -
Eye Self
Portraits**



Remote Learning in Italian!

Un elefante indiano con tutti il baldacchino l'avevo nel giardino e l'avrei dato a te ma i patti erano chiari: un elefante a te e tu dovevi dare un gatto nero a me.

English

An indian elephant with the whole canopy I had in the garden and would have given it to you but the terms were clear: an elephant to you and you had to give a black cat to me.



Un elefante indiano con tutto il baldacchino l'avevo nel giardino e l'avrei dato a te ma i patti erano chiari: un elefante a te e tu dovevi dare un gatto nero a me.

An indian elephant with the whole canopy I had in the garden and would have given it to you but the terms were clear: an elephant to you and you had to give a black cat to me.



Ascoltate la canzone! E' fantastica!

[Listen to this song! It's fantastic]

Giraffa [giraffe]

gatto nero [black cat]



Alligatore [alligator]



Come stai???

Come stai? molto bene (very well) 😊

così, così (OK) 😐

male (sad or sick) 😞

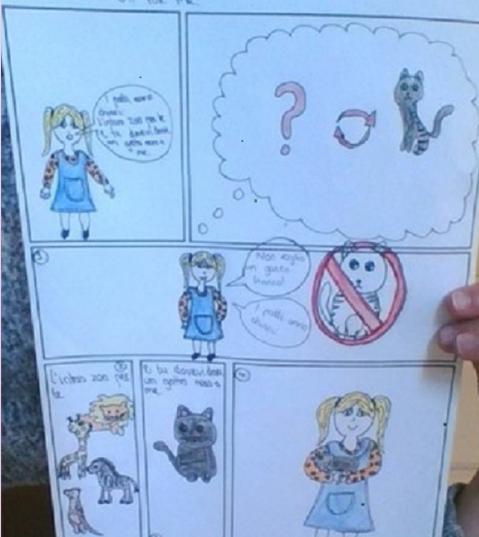
molto male very (sad or sick) 😞

molto bene (very well) 😊



un cocodrillo
e'oo crocodile

THE TERMS WERE CLEAR: THE GIRL GOT THE ZOO FOR YOU AND YOU GOT A BLACK CAT FOR ME.



Come stai Aumbro?



Molto bene!

by Adan

I can describe How I am feeling in Italian.

Come stai? bluey



bluey is feeling molto bene.

Remote Learning in PE!

Thanks to all the students and families who have been sending videos of their PE work! It has been great to see students engaged and having fun!

Phoebe from 3/4E with her Olympic Hopscotch

Below are some on site students getting their 30 minutes of physical activity with some yoga Stef M shared on the PE blog



MPPS Mini Olympics 2021

On Friday 13th August MPPS will be hosting the Mini Olympics. Students will need to come dressed in the colours of their designated country/team. Students will participate in a range of fun activities. More information to come in the following weeks.



Hockey 7's

MPPS will be entering a girls and boys Hockey 7's team on Monday 9th August. If there are any parents that can help Stef Modesti with lunch time training please email Stef on Stefanie-Marie.Modesti@education.vic.gov.au





MPPS Science Week

The theme for this year's National Science Week is **Food: Different by Design**.

It honours the United Nations International Year of Fruits and Vegetables and the International Year of Creative Economy for Sustainable Development.

This term students will be participating in a range of classroom activities allowing them to explore sustainable agriculture, food technology and laboratory-developed foods.

Are Bugs The Food of the Future?

Ever thought about eating Caramel Cricket Crunch, Banana Worm Bread or Deep-Fried Tarantula? How appetising does the Mealworm Burger in the picture look?

Over 2 billion people around the world regularly eat insects. In some parts of the world children your age are snacking on worm spring rolls, cricket rice or ice cream flavored with insect powder.

Edible insects are:

- High in proteins, vitamins and minerals
- Provide people with a job and a source of income, using traditional skills and knowledge that have been passed down from generations to generations.
- Provide a link between nature and the environment. In most of the countries, insects are still collected in the nature, although there is a growing industry based on farming insects.

Check out:

- Insect recipes to try at your next family barbeque
(<https://www.terminix.com/blog/whats-buzzing/try-these-insect-recipes-at-your-next-cookout/>)
- 6 Countries That Found Surprisingly Delicious Ways to Serve and Enjoy Insects
(<https://blog.wego.com/6-countries-edible-insect-cuisine/>)
- 7 Countries Where Insects Mean a Great Meal
(<https://www.terminix.com/blog/whats-buzzing/7-countries-where-insects-mean-a-great-meal/>)
- 25 Insects People Eat Around the World
(<https://bucketlistjourney.net/edible-bugs-and-insects/>)

Explore the MPPS Science Blog (<https://sites.mpp.vic.edu.au/science/science-week-2021/>)

You'll find sections on:

- Indigenous Food Production
- Family Fun Projects
- What can you grow at home?
- Grow a Windowsill Jungle
- Growing Plants Time Lapse
- Delicious Ways to Serve and Enjoy Insects
- 360 Degree Videos
- TED-Ed (and others) Talks and Animations
- Information for Parents and Carers

PRINCIPAL REPORT (continued)

Return to School Guide for Parents/Carers – Term 3

Dear Parents and Carers,

Today Premier Andrews announced that schools in Victoria will return to face-to-face learning and teaching for all students from tomorrow Wednesday 28th July 2021.

A massive thank you to all our parents/ carers for supporting your children and our school staff this past period of Remote and Flexible Learning. We look forward to seeing our students back at school with their friends and teachers, with school opening at the standard time of 9am on Wednesday.

The wellbeing of all our students is our priority and our school staff and teachers are here to support you and your family. Information that might be of assistance to you in talking to your child about COVID-19 is available. If you are concerned about your wellbeing or that of your child, please contact the school so we can talk with you about how we can best assist. Other sources of support include: Parent Line 13 22 89 and Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800.

A reminder that if you, your child, or a family member develops symptoms of COVID-19, you should [get tested at a COVID-19 testing facility](#) and stay home. If you are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccination, please check out the [website](#) for information and bookings. Like getting tested if you have symptoms, getting vaccinated goes a long way to keeping our communities safe and schools open.

Face masks

There has been no change to the face mask advice, which will continue to apply to all school settings, including any Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) programs:

- Children under 12 years of age and students at primary school are not required to wear face masks when at school, or when attending an OSHC program.
- Face masks are mandatory for all school students aged 12 or older on public transport and when in taxis or ride-share vehicles. This includes travelling to and from school on public transport or in a vehicle with others not from your household.

Arrangements for when students return to school

The following information is shared with families to ensure the safety and wellbeing of the whole MPPS community during the current COVID 19 pandemic.

These guidelines have been adopted from the latest Department of Education and Training (DET) School Operations Guide. If changes, alterations or varying information is provided to schools, families will receive updates through the Compass newsfeed and the school newsletter. If you have any questions, or need any support during this time, do not hesitate to reach out to the School. **If your child is ill or is feeling unwell, they must not attend school. They must remain home and seek medical advice.** School drop-off and pick-up arrangements are consistent with Term 1 and 2 this year. We do request that parents drop off/pick up and leave school grounds promptly at the beginning and end of each day. This is to reduce the congregation of adults around the school and reduce congestion.

We thank all the adults in our community in advance by following these guidelines to ensure the safety of our staff and students which is paramount.

School Activities

The following information is outlined by DET:

- No interschool sport can occur until further notice. The F- 4 Intensive Swimming program planned for this week has been postponed.
- All school gatherings such as assemblies and school events should be deferred or held remotely
- Incursions are not permitted, but excursions can take place with students from single schools only.
- Moonee Vale Instrumental Music Program (MVIMP) for students in Years 3-6 will begin onsite (with COVID safe protocols) tomorrow. The MVIMP Band practice is on tomorrow also.

Drop Off and Pick Up

All gates on Wilson, Fanny and Bent streets will be open for entry and exit. Please ensure that everyone physical distances as you transition through these entrances/exits.

Students are asked to arrive between 8.45-9am each day (as per normal routines) and when they arrive say good bye to their parents outside the school gate (or in the yard if needed) and then head directly into their classroom. Any students arriving before 8.45am will not be supervised by school staff and should be accessing the OSHClub services.

- Students won't line up for the start of the day or play in the yard before school. Teachers will be in classrooms from 8.45am waiting to greet the students and begin class.
- At the end of the day students will be dismissed by their teachers and directed to make their way outside to their parents/carers and proceed to a school exit.
- If you can, arrange a pick-up meeting place within school grounds or at the school fence perimeter.

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- For parents collecting their child at the school gate or on the school grounds **we ask that you promptly leave the school boundary or grounds** to assist with adhering to physical distancing guidelines. Please also ensure you maintain physical distancing while waiting for your child/ren.
- The school playground will continue to be closed before and after school.
- If using the drop off zone, please ensure you follow the Moonee Valley City Council enforced road and parking rules and prioritise the safety of our students, community and local neighbours. We encourage students using the drop off zone and students in years 3-6 to use the Bent St Oval exit.

Hygiene routines

- Students must wash their hands using the soap provided in classrooms upon entry to a learning space (at the start of the day, after a break or upon change of class). Hand sanitiser is available in all classrooms as well.
- Hand hygiene immediately before and after use of shared equipment is recommended.
- Students must wash their hands (or use hand sanitiser) after going to the toilet and before and after eating.
- School library books can be borrowed by students and then returned to the trolley inside the library (by students).
- DET will continue touchpoint and extra cleaning that will occur after school hours.

Recess and Lunch Arrangements for Students

- The school playground will only be open for play during recess and lunch break times and not before or after school. The playground is cleaned after hours each day. The playground is available for use each weekend, however we recommend proper hand hygiene before and after use to minimise the risk.
- Use of drink taps is permitted- students are still encouraged to bring their own water bottle and refill as required from classroom taps.
- Class sports equipment can still be used. Students will be encouraged to use hand hygiene after use.
- Students may bring equipment from home. Students will be encouraged to use hand hygiene after use. Students are encouraged not to bring "precious" items to school. The School and DET is not responsible for any lose or damage with items brought to school.
- Lunch order service will resume tomorrow (Wednesday). You can access this at: <https://classroomcuisine.com.au/>

Physical Distancing and Face Masks for Adults

- Adults in the school yard must adhere to physical distancing guidelines (1.5m apart) and must wear a face mask at all times. Adults are asked to use face masks when inside and outside.

Adult Access to the School

- MPPS Parents/ Carers are not permitted inside the school buildings unless essential.
- Parental contact with teachers/staff should be via email, phone or video conference where possible.
- Density limits of one person per 4 square metres in public areas will apply. This includes the school office foyer, SPC foyer and Library. Please check the signs in each space for further information.
- All adults entering the school building **MUST** check in using Compass and the Vic Government the QR code system.
- We ask that during the school day parents enter via Wilson St entrance.
- As per DET guidelines, school assemblies will continue to be only attended by staff and students until further notice. A video of the announcements, student awards and the class presentation will be available through the Student representative Council (SRC) blog the day after the assembly. We will share these details via the Student Representative Council (SRC) blog each fortnight (<https://sites.mpp.vic.edu.au/src/>).
- The parent helpers' program in the classroom is paused and will recommence when permitted.
- Our uniform supplier Noone Image Wear will not be accessible onsite. You may however access their store at 541 Keilor Rd Niddrie. They are open from Monday- Saturday.

Managing illness in schools

One of the most important things we can do to slow the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19) in our community is to stay home when we are unwell, even when we have the mildest of symptoms. As previously stated, **if your child is ill or is feeling unwell, they must not attend school. They must remain home and seek medical advice.**

Outside School Hours Care

Outside school hours care will continue to be provided by OSHClub both before and after school. Please register through their website or by ringing 0448 043 164.

Again, we thank all our families in advance for following these guidelines. We also appreciate your support with these changes during this challenging time. Of course, if you have any queries or questions, please contact me (matthew.boff@education.vic.gov.au)

INSIGHTS

The perks and pitfalls of being born first



The birth of a first child is a big event. Such is the excitement and emotion that parents often don't realise that the baby that they bring home is a ground breaker, taking them headlong into every stage of development.

First-borns are born into a privileged position. Living in the spotlight, they get piles of attention and as they grow up, they are given more responsibility than other children in other positions. They lead the way, break new ground, and rule the roost if others follow. Parents expect a great deal from first-borns, so to avoid disappointing them many become low risk-takers. Parental expectation and their tendency for perfectionism and conscientiousness can make first-borns more anxiety prone than children in other birth order positions.

First-born children can be bossy, responsible, and achievement-oriented but they are more neurotic, more intense, and more inflexible than children in any other birth order position. Taking life and themselves too seriously is a problem for many first-borns Here are some tips for parenting children and young people in this privileged but anxiety-prone position:

Encourage rather than praise or criticise

First-borns respond to encouragement as it releases the pressure on them to perform. When they know that effort, improvement, and contribution matter more to parents than good results they're more likely to take risks and stretch themselves as learners.

Save responsibilities for others

First-borns know all about responsibility, as they get more than their fair share of jobs and reminders to be good role models. Share chores, responsibilities, and expectations among all children in the family, including youngest children.

Enjoy two-on-one time

First-borns love having both parents to themselves, if applicable, as that's the way life was until a second-born came along and robbed them of their privileged position. Only children are fortunate that they don't experience the 'disgrace' of dethronement.

Embed wellbeing practices into family life

Help anxiety prone first-borns develop positive wellbeing habits including healthy eating, adequate exercise, and sleep and relaxation techniques such as mindfulness and meditation.

In Closing

The drive, leadership and attention to detail of first-borns contributes enormously to society. We need to help them lighten up and enjoy themselves as well.

Newsletter



Moov Games with Elisa – Week 1
Being Faster



WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING...

Over lockdown 5.0 the OSHClub staff have been preparing for the return of the children for a fun and exciting term three. Clubs have been organised – With great demand, *Cooking Club* is back! Running on Tuesday afternoon with Elisa and Wednesday afternoon with Rosanna. OSHclub also have an Extended Learning Activity planned beginning the 11th of August and Moov Games (Moovosity) planned weekly within the program.

Thank you for your continued support throughout this time. The team is looking forward to having the children back in care!

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



MOOV GAMES

- Wednesday & Friday ASC.
- Resumes 28th of July.



TERM 3 ELA – MARTIAL ARTS

- 11th of August – 1st of September
- Wednesday ASC
- Extended Learning Activity (incursion)
- No extra charge to session



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COMING UP

30
JUL

International Day of Friendship

4
AUG

National Aboriginal and Islander Children's Day

6
AUG

Jeans for Genes Day



PHOTO GALLERY



REMINDERS

- QR code to be scanned upon arrival to check-in and face masks to be worn.
- Parents who enter the OSHC room are not allowed pass the A-frame stand.
- To make a booking please use the online, kidsoft system. However, you will need to text, phone or email to make a late booking (within 24 hours of your required session). Bookings are not confirmed till you receive a response.
- Please notify the team if your child will be absent. Fail to notify for after school care, may incur an additional *no show fee* of \$5.



LEARNING STAR AWARDS: 28/07/21



LEARNING Star...	Name	Reason
Foundation A Mae Risson	Annabelle Taylor	For working hard in the first week back at school and always trying her best.
Foundation B Paul Luu	Liana Patel	For trying her best and doing as much learning as possible. I love the effort you put into your learning, Liana.
Foundation C Nicola Scott	Eliana Rizzas	For her ongoing participation and enthusiasm during remote learning and working hard on all her home learning tasks! Go Ellie!
1/2 A Taylor Reid	Khang Nguyen	For his dedication to reading at home every night. Excellent effort, Khang!
1/2 B Antony Brock	Alexis Pham	For working through the writing process to create your amazing narrative "The Portal".
1/2 C Shannon Radford	Athena Pedlar	For working hard at school and during remote learning. Well done Athena!
1/2 D Jenny Clark	Callie Milholland	For being so focused and working hard during remote learning. Well done!
3/4 A Zoe Pirotta/Nicole Macrae	Rosemary Mendo	For her focus on her learning, and her contributions to group discussions learning.
3/4 B Matthew Feeley	Jimmy Grozos-Wishart	For participating in all remote learning meetings by consistently contributing your fantastic ideas and suggestions.
3/4 C Meredith Anderson	Varshika Vembuluru	For a wonderfully written acrostic poem which described her perfectly! Great work!
3/4 D Lee Pregnell	Unal Ceylan	For working so well at developing his confidence with his skip counting patterns.
3/4 E Stef Lipoma	Rhiannon McEvoy	For using her addition and subtraction strategies confidently when solving worded problems.
5/6 A Libby Haigh	Andrew Galanopoulos	For demonstrating clever writing techniques in his historic piece about the Olympic Games.
5/6 B Candice Ryan	Henry Smith	For using strong voice when writing imaginative stories. Well done!
5/6 C Holly Coleman	Freya Wards	For using great sentence fluency to write an exciting text about the Olympics.
Arts Christine Caminiti	Khang Nguyen	For his fantastic contribution to our arts WebEx meeting this week. Well done!
Italian (LOTE) Nancy Berardone	Mia Ristig	For being more confident with her contributions during Italian WebEx meetings.
Physical Education Stef Modesti	Charlotte Rawther	For her contribution to class discussions about the fielding and striking experiment.'

Respect Optimism Care Collaboration

ROCC STAR AWARDS: 28/07/21



ROCC Star...	Name	Reason
Foundation A Mae Risson	Louis Smith	For being an excellent helper in the classroom and a kind friend. Thanks for your hard work, Louis!
Foundation B Paul Luu	Maddie Houatchanthara	For showing respect and care towards others in the class. It is so great to see, Maddie.
Foundation C Nicola Scott	Rafael Ferraro	For showing great enthusiasm during home learning and having a positive attitude! Go Raf!
1/2 A Taylor Reid	Teddy Smith	For showing all of the school values in his first week at Moonee Ponds Primary School. It is great to have you in 1/2A, Teddy!
1/2 B Antony Brock	Leon Matic	For showing optimism and enthusiasm about your learning during our home learning program.
1/2 C Shannon Radford	Oscar Delaney	For coming to each online meeting with a positive and optimistic attitude. Well done Oscar!
1/2 D Jenny Clark	Oliver Flynn Stella Cartwright	For working hard to stay optimistic in his learning during home learning and helping brighten his teacher's days. For maintaining an optimistic attitude during remote learning. Well done!
3/4 A Zoe Pirotta/Nicole Macrae	Thomas Keenan	For his optimism both in the classroom and in remote learning.
3/4 B Matthew Feeley	Sollie Knight	For helping others during independent learning time during class. Great job!
3/4 C Meredith Anderson	Akshaj Sheela	For being so engaged and enthusiastic in his small group lessons during home learning.
3/4 D Lee Pregnell	Angelina Enaty	For sharing her optimism, enthusiasm and sense of joy during our home learning meetings.
3/4 E Stef Lipoma	Josephine Arnott	For coming to our small group sessions with a positive attitude and ready for learning.
5/6 A Libby Haigh	Rhys Valentine	For demonstrating a positive attitude and great organisational skills during remote learning.
5/6 B Candice Ryan	Alexander Hill	For working with enthusiasm during remote learning and sharing his thoughts and opinions during our WebEx sessions.
5/6 C Holly Coleman	Maeve Darwin Holthuyzen	For participating in our small group WebEx meetings with an enthusiasm and a positive attitude.
Arts Christine Caminiti	Atticus Di Florio-Pulis	For showing an optimistic attitude to his song writing pre assessment task- well done for taking a risk and letting your creativity shine through!
Italian (LOTE) Nancy Berardone	Alison Huntington	For her fantastic participation during the Italian WebEx meeting. Ottimo!
Physical Education Stef Modesti	Alana Burlak	For her optimistic attitude at our PE WebEx.

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TERM 3 2021 CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
July 26	July 27	July 28 School Council Meeting Newsletter	July 29	July 30
August 2	August 3	August 4	August 5	August 6
MVIMP Camp TBC				
August 9	August 10	August 11 Newsletter	August 12 2022 Foundation Familiarisation TBC Parents Association Meeting	August 13 Whole School Olympics Day TBC
August 16	August 17 Primary District Athletics TBC	August 18 Family Science Night TBC	August 19 Assembly TBC	August 20
August 23 Book Week	August 24	August 25 School Council Meeting Newsletter	August 26 2022 Foundation Familiarisation #2	August 27 Book Week Parade
August 30	August 31 5/6 Health Education #1	September 1 MVIMP Spring Soiree 7pm	September 2 Assembly	September 3 Father's Day Stall
September 6	September 7 5/6 Health Education #2	September 8 Newsletter	September 9 2022 Foundation Familiarisation #3	September 10
September 13	September 14 5/6 Health Education #3	September 15 Year 3/4 Camp	September 16 Year 3/4 Camp Assembly	September 17 Year 3/4 Camp Last Day Term 3 2:20pm Finish

Newsletter

The newsletter will be published for the first two weeks in February and then published fortnightly thereafter. The newsletter is the main source of communication from the school and I urge everyone to read it! The newsletter will be sent out to all families via Compass. Families will be able to access the newsletter via Compass and on the school website.

How to access the school newsletter:

1. View it on the COMPASS Newsfeed: <https://mpp-vic.compass.education/>
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