

PRINCIPAL UPDATE

As we come to the end of term 3, we would like to thank everyone for their efforts during a challenging term of lockdowns and remote learning. Thank you to our wonderful parents who have worked hard to support their children with remote learning whilst juggling many other roles. Thank you to our teachers for their commitment to the learning and engagement of our students and the regular communication with parents and students via Webex, Google Classroom and email. Lastly, special thanks to our students for trying hard and doing their best during remote learning—we are very proud of you all! We have really missed our students and truly hope we will be back at some stage during term 4. At this stage we do not know what term 4 will look like but will keep you up to date during the holidays as we are given more information

We wish our students, families and staff all the best for the school holidays. Not quite the same during lockdown but a chance to rest, relax and get outside for some fresh air.

Take care and stay safe—Carole Howden (Principal)

WHATS ON NEXT WEEK

- 15th Wellbeing Wednesday and wear a bit of red to show our support for strawberry farmers
- Friday 17th Footy Day—details further in newsletter and 2.30pm dismissal

YEAR 3 AND YEAR 5 NAPLAN RESULTS HAVE ARRIVED

These will be given directly to children onsite and posted to parents with children that are remote learning. These may take a few days to arrive.

YEAR BOOK FRONT COVER

We are currently putting together our 2021 Tyabb Primary School yearbook. We are once again running a competition for this year's front cover. If your child would like to enter, please take a photo of their design and email it to mollie.bowler@education.vic.gov.au by **Wednesday 15th of September.**

Please hold onto the designs so that it can be collected once we are back at school.

Your Entry Needs

- To be on an A4 page (portrait orientation only)
- Titled 'Tyabb Primary School 2021— Remote Learning Edition'
- Colourful illustrations filling the entire page
- Please make sure that there are no spelling mistakes
- Name and grade in grey lead pencil on the back

You might like to include our:

- School houses (Benton, Baxter, Coolart and Jones)
- School motto 'From Little Things, Big Things Grow'
- Our values (respect, safety, responsibility, integrity, optimism)

There will be two winners as we need a front and a back cover illustration. We can't wait to see some amazing designs! Here are a few of our previous designs





We hope that our dads, grandads and the other special people that care for our children had a lovely Father's Day. Not quite the same during lockdown and we appreciate that for some catching up may have been over zoom or phone but we hope you were all spoilt in some way and thanked for everything that you do!

Special thanks to Jantina Forecast for implementing Plan B for our Father's Day stall. Jantina purchased and wrapped 450 gifts, set up a stall at the drive through in terrible weather and helped children choose something special. Thanks Jantina!



R U OK? is a harm prevention charity that encourages people to stay connected and have conversations that can help others through difficult times in their lives.

With both 2020 and 2021 being challenging years for us all, this day is very important. We all hope that you are truly OK and look forward to returning to some form of normality sooner rather than later. The support of friends, family and colleagues can help prevent small things becoming bigger issues.

R U OK?'s research has shown that conversations can make a difference when someone is struggling. It's better to ask than not ask. They help people feel more connected, supported and better about themselves and their situation. Young people are more likely to speak to their friends and family first. That's why it's important that everyone is prepared and knows what to do if they are worried about someone.

R U OK?Day is a national day of action when people are reminded that every day is the day to ask, "are you OK?" if someone in your world is struggling with life's ups and downs. Asking a friend how they are going could be the first step in getting them the help they need.

The message for R U OK?Day 2021 is: Are they really OK?

Ask them today. Don't wait until someone's visibly distressed or in crisis. Make a moment meaningful and ask R U OK? If they're struggling with something big, something small or even nothing at all, they'll know you care. You aren't expected to fix everyone's problems or know the best way to help and support. But you can listen to what your friend is saying, let them know you care and tell someone, like a trusted adult, if you are worried about them.



You can look for changes in what they're saying or doing or things that are happening in their life because that might indicate they are feeling under pressure or stressed.

***Look for signs in
what they're
saying.***

***Look for signs in
what they're
doing.***

***Think about
what's going
on in their life.***

When you notice a change, no matter how small, it's time to ask R U OK?

You might notice that they:

- ♦ Withdraw from family and friends
- ♦ Get angry or upset easily especially with people they care about cry or become emotional lose interest in activities and things they usually love
- ♦ They could be eating more than usual, or less the most important thing is to trust your gut.
- ♦ If you notice a change or just feel that something's not quite right with your mate, take the time to have a meaningful conversation.

The current pandemic has and will continue to take its toll on people's wellbeing. If you or someone you know is feeling overwhelmed or stressed by it all, be reassured that this is a very normal response. However, it's important to go easy on yourself and to take time for self-care and activities that help you feel a bit better and give you a sense of control during these uncertain times.

Please look after yourselves and your families.
Kris Grinsted

Wellbeing Wednesday

15th September is also



STRAWBERRY DAY

Australian strawberry farmers are doing it particularly tough at the moment and we at Tyabb are stepping up to help. On Wednesday 15th September wear a bit of red for Australian strawberries and buy a punnet or two, or three to show your support for our farmers.

Please send your teacher a photo of yourself supporting this worthy cause. There is a wonderful junior, middle and senior school prize for the BEST strawberry recipes.



**We are Tyabb Primary and we know
‘from little things, big things grow!’**

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Special Event

Tyabb Remote Footy Parade And Quiz

Friday 17th September



Get thinking !Get active !!

Get involved !!!

9:00 – 11:00

Join your teacher at your regular Webex time. Get started on some of the AFL Rubric activities before your Webex and continue the activities after it finishes.

11:05 – 1:00

Join Mr Davies & Ms Grinsted on Webex for the best Footy Parade and Footy Trivia Quiz. Fill out the answer sheet (entering as a family) for your chance to win some amazing prizes.

Email trivia answer sheet to:

kristine.grinsted@education.vic.gov.au

LUNCH BREAK

1:00 – 2:00

Continue AFL Footy Day Rubric – complete the activities on the rubric making sure you are taking photos and having heaps of fun. Please email the photos you have taken to

cobi.davies@education.vic.gov.au

2:00 – 2:30

Join your teacher and grade for a goodbye Term 3 Webex. Your teacher will tell you the time for this.



Have a great holiday!

Star Student



PA	Cameron
PB	Felicity
PC	Scout
1A	Alice
1B	Thomas
1C	Flynn
2A	Rinoa
2B	Mason
2C	Finn
3A	George
3B	Loli
3C	Jack
4A	Jesse
4B	Indyanah
5A	Issy
5B	Huon
6A	Max
6B	Millie



PA	Frankie
PB	Timothy
PC	Tait
1A	Leni
1B	Sammy
1C	Abigail
2A	Evie
2B	Addison
2C	Blake
3A	Amelia
3B	Xander
3C	Jenny
4A	Maddie
4B	Grace
5A	Amelia
5B	Max
6A	Izzy
6B	Heath

Grade 4A

It wasn't the Term Three that we wanted but we have been managing remote learning beautifully. Grade 4A is awesome and resilient and hard working. I love being their teacher!

Reading:

At the start of the term in Reading, Grade 4A were working on their reading stamina during Independent Reading. They made use of sticky notes to record their thinking while reading. The main strategies we have focused on this term are analysing and inferring. There are lots of aspects to these strategies such as character analysis and analysing the author's intentions as well as inferring character's feelings and motivations and using pictures to infer. Our students have done an amazing job with these two difficult reading strategies! In the last two weeks of term, will be exploring author's purpose, making connections and justifying preferences.

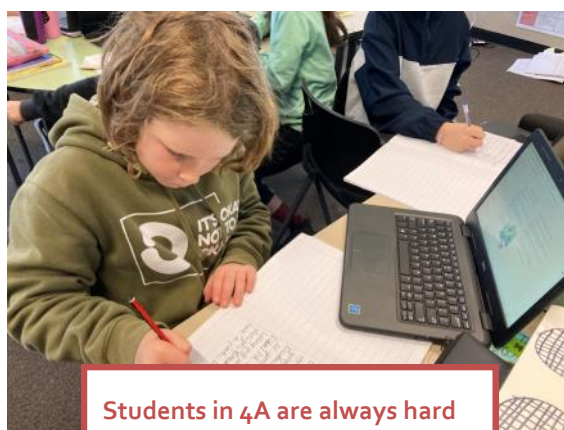


Reading in Style

Writing:

The first text type we focused on in Writing, was recount writing. A recount text is **the retelling or recounting of an event or an experience**. Often it is based on the direct experience of the writer. The purpose is to tell what has happened. However, we have also written some imaginary or narrative recounts which have the same structure as a recount but are totally made up or exaggerated! Through this text type we looked at the punctuation feature of talking marks and commas as well as the grammar feature of adjectives. Using the Seven Steps strategies, we made our writing more interesting by using Show, Don't Tell.

We also learned how to make the dialogue in a text more interesting - we call this Dynamic Dialogue. Our other main text type was persuasive text. A persuasive text is one that tries to convince the reader of an idea or opinion. I'm sure parents loved reading the persuasive texts we did in remote learning about Why we should get a pet and Why we should be paid for good reports!



Students in 4A are always hard at work with their writing

Mathematics:

In the first couple of weeks of Term Three we have been learning the six and eight times tables. In Term One, we had a focus on revisiting times table facts that we had learned last year. Now, the only times tables that we have left to study are the seven and nine times tables. We have been looking at patterns in the tables, playing fun times table games on the computer and discussing ways to work out unknown table facts from the ones we do know. Next term, tables and their related division facts will continue to be a focus for our homework. Our main focus in Mathematics lessons this term has been subtraction, division and multiplication, we even learned what factors are! We have also learned about the Statistics and Probability topic of chance. We learned about chance events - how to order them, what outcomes are and whether an event is dependent or independent.



Students made factor flowers (or octopuses)

Classroom Capers

Inquiry:

History here we come! Grade 4A students have already started to delve back in time to find out what it was like for convicts, sailors and free settlers who came to Australia on the First Fleet. They investigated the impact of these Europeans colonising the land that belonged to the Indigenous people. Next, students chose an area to investigate further - Indigenous, convicts, sailors/soldiers/free settlers or explorers. They discovered what life was like for those people in more depth. When we get back to onsite schooling, students will be working with a group to create a narrative-recount in diary form pretending to be a person from history. Using their research they will create a book that ends with all characters meeting. What will be the outcome and different perspectives that result?

Last term, students really enjoyed investigating Earth Science. They learned how land changes and why.

They chose an area to investigate such as ice ages and glaciers, earthquakes and volcanoes. Our students loved making models for this project! Now, we are in the process of learning about Geography with a focus on countries from Africa or South America.

Reminders

Reading Diaries should be filled in every time a student reads in the afternoon even during remote learning. Parents can fill them in any way they would like. However, if a student fills in their reading diary themselves, they must write a main idea sentence.

By the end of Term Three, students should be up to 150 Nights of Reading. If your child is not, please consider reading 7 times per week in Term 4 to catch up on that valuable practice time.

Photo Gallery



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Art News.

Sadly the art room has been very quiet, clean and tidy of late. I much prefer the mess and mayhem that generally happens (and that's just me!) I miss the laughter of the children and the creative minds that delight in what they make. I really hope you have found some time at home to make some art and used some of the ideas that I have included in the weekly planners.

Well being Wednesday's are a great time to make some art. Some of the children onsite have been getting messy and making and creating.



Students looked at the artist Takashi Murakami and made flowers.



Prior to lockdown we began investigating Japanese artists and culture. We learnt about traditional kimonos and this is a display of some students work. A strong focus on colour and line produced some lovely work.



Prior to lockdown we were printing cherry blossoms, a very famous time of the year in Japan. One of the home set activities was to create a robot using recycled boxes and aluminium foil. Children onsite had a go at this and are pictured in front of some beautiful cherry blossom prints.



I am so looking forward to our return to school to start work on art in response to literature, primarily the shortlisted picture books of the year.

Remote Learning



Daffodil Day

Our Grade 1's made
daffodils on Wellbeing
Wednesday



Blow out the candles,
wish away,
you are the
superstar of the day.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

September

PREP

Chantel Grace
Benjamin
Frankie
Skylah
Cameron
Elijah
Tait
Julian
Ellie
Eli
Chloe
Mia

GRADE ONE

Olivia
Asher
Mia
Abbey

GRADE TWO

Ruby
Jordan
Nate
Lachie
Halo
Jayden
Lacey

GRADE THREE

Hjordis
Paige
Jack
George
Braxton
Ella

GRADE FOUR

Oscar

GRADE FIVE

Riley
Logan
Ella
Bryce

GRADE SIX

Rubi
Will
Izabel
Nate

Mission III has been activated

BOOKINGS NOW OPEN FOR ROCKETEERS



Kick-start your school holidays with over 250 showcase experiences, at over 200 convenient locations. Your child could be using bricks to build a vast city landscape in *Project: Builders*, creating awesome science art in *Project: Illusions*, partying with pinatas in *Mission Takeoff III* or jet-setting on one of over 140 different Adventures (excursions).



EXAMPLE OF A DAY AT ROCKETEERS

- 8:30am** Breakfast
Flexible Play options: DIY Karyings, Morning Yoga.
- 9:00am** Creative Writing
Get ready for the filmmaking incursion by writing your very own movie script!
- 10:15am** Morning Tea & Briefing
The crew will brief you on the fun program for the day over some fresh fruit and snacks.
- 10:30am** Incursion time
Make your very own short movie – be the director, writer and star of the show.
- 12:00pm** Lunch
- 12:30pm** Group active game
Dodgeball Tournament:
Get into groups and avoid the ball in a knockout tournament of dodgeball!
- 3:30pm** Afternoon tea
- 4:00pm** Group games
• Wacky science experiments
• Construction fun
• Splash art • Story time

Join Mission III and receive your free mission patch and booklet.



Book now at www.campastralia.com.au/rocketeers

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Families can book into 4 distinct types of experiences with Rocketeers (but really, there's hundreds!):



OPERATION: X (Base Camp Day)

At Operation X, children will experience a program tailored around their passions and centred around a special theme.

In our Mission III, experience Operations such as Group's Origins, Minute Challenge, Cardboard Creations and more.



PROJECT: X (Incursion)

At Project X, children will be challenged with an exciting experience designed to upgrade their skill sets and enhance their fun!

In our Mission III, experience Projects such as Mission Takeoff III, Building Challenge, Illusions and more.



EXPERIENCE TAKEOVER (Incursion)

At the Experience Takeover, we'll be visited by special guests. These experts in their field will be bringing with them an exciting opportunity for the children to enjoy.

In our Mission III, you'll find Experience Takeovers such as Vag's Workshops, Pickleball, Rocketeers Film Festival and more.



ADVENTURE: X (Excursion)

At Adventure X, we'll be embarking on a journey outside their Camp. Every destination is different, every experience extraordinary.

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by Camp Australia

THE ROCKETEERS FILM FESTIVAL

- Work in a team to write, direct and star in your own short movie
- All films will be screened at the Film Festival
- Massive online Film Festival premiere, October 28th
- Films to an award

Find out more at www.campastralia.com.au/Film-fest





New Canteen Ordering System

Our school canteen is very excited to announce that we will be moving to online ordering starting with canteen lunch next week. This means that you can register today and put your order in!

It is as simple as downloading the Sentral App on your mobile phone and then completing the following steps:

Open Sentral App.

Click on the Link button on the Sentral home screen.

Click on Canteen link. This will take you to QuickCliQ.

Sign up and complete registration form.

Receive a link via email to ACTIVATE your account before logging in.

ADD STUDENT. Add your child's details, select their school and save to your account.

ADD CREDIT to your online wallet before ordering or pay as you go using credit or debit card.

Select MEAL ORDER and you're good to go.

Orders can be placed up to 28 days in advance, however weekly lunch specials will be available to order from Wednesday afternoon for the following week. You will view these on QuickcliQ through the Sentral App.

Please note that this online ordering system is only for LUNCH orders and Tuck Shop will operate as normal accepting cash over the counter at lunch time.

Things you need to know:

Cut off time for online ordering is 9.15am Tuesday.

If you need to cancel the order this must be done prior to 9.15am on the Wednesday to receive a full refund (minus booking fee).

To top up your QuickCliQ Wallet you have 3 options-

Direct Debit- 50c transaction fee. **** This is the most cost effective option****

(e.g. If you put \$50 into your Quickcliq wallet at the start of Term you will only pay this 50c transaction fee once until you need to top up again.)

Credit Card- The surcharge is 1.5%

PayPal- The surcharge is 3.8%

When placing an order there is a small 21c fee per order per student.

Families will no longer need to provide a lunch order bag. If you have recently purchased canteen bags from the school please contact the school office to arrange a credit on your school account upon return of bags. Bags must be unused.

*****Please note that it takes 2-3 business days for direct deposit money to appear in your QuickCliq wallet. Credit card payments can be used until the funds appear in your account*****

If you need any assistance with QuickCliQ their support team are available Monday to Friday, 7.30am to 4pm on 1300 11 66 37.

Families will have until the end of Term 3 to transition over to the new online system.



20/08/2021

Dear School Community,

Beleza Online Store: Free Shipping on all orders over \$100

We appreciate how challenging the last year has been for everyone, especially School communities.

We know that there's likely some families in your School Community who have been waiting for our Metro stores to reopen, or haven't been able to visit our Regional stores during this time. We understand the challenges this presents, especially for families who are transitioning to new Schools.

We want to ensure all families can access our uniforms with as much ease as possible in the current environment. With that said, our Online Store is still operational during lockdown, so we're happy to announce that we're offering free shipping via Australia Post on all orders over \$100. The shipping fee will be waived automatically once the cart exceeds \$100.

Please note that we will endeavour to ship out orders as soon as possible during this time, however please keep in mind we're currently working at reduced capacity due to restrictions in Metro Melbourne.

We hope this makes our uniforms more accessible to your School community during this time.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and understanding. If you have any questions about the above, please do not hesitate to contact our Head Office team!

Stay safe,

Beleza School Uniforms

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