

# Newsletter



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## Message from our Principals

Hello everyone,

Can you believe that next week will be November? Term 4 certainly feels like it is flying by!

As we near the end of the year, there are a number of families taking extended holidays overseas. If this is you too, please make sure you let our office know so that we can record this absence on Compass.

A reminder that our staff, students and families will all be having a 4-day long weekend next weekend. We hope that this provides a great opportunity for all students to rest and recharge ahead of a busy remainder of term 4.

### Upcoming Events in Term 4

To help with your forward planning, please see below the list of upcoming events for term 4:

#### **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> October:**

Day for Daniel.

Students are invited to wear red on this day for a gold coin donation.

#### **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October**

Halloween Dress Up Day.

#### **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

Curriculum Day.

Report writing day for teachers.

No students required at school.

#### **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November**

Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday

#### **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November**

School Council at 4pm.

### Thunderstorm Asthma Information

With grass pollen season running from October to December, there is an increased risk of Thunderstorm Asthma during this time.

Thunderstorm Asthma can occur when high grass pollen levels and specific storm conditions cause pollen grains to break into tiny particles that can be easily breathed deep into the lungs. This can trigger sudden and severe asthma symptoms, even in people who have never had asthma before. Please keep an eye out for asthma symptoms such as difficulty breathing, wheezing or shortness of breath and ensure you call 000 for assistance should these symptoms arise.

### Foundation 2026 Transition

A reminder to all enrolled 2026 Foundation students and families that our first Foundation transition sessions will start next week. Please contact the school office if you are unsure of your child's transition time for next week.

### Day for Daniel

A reminder that next Thursday we will be acknowledging the annual Day for Daniel by asking students to come dressed in red for a gold coin donation. The Day for Daniel is held annually at the end of October and honours the memory of Daniel Morcombe.

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## UPCOMING TERM 4 DATES

PLEASE PROVIDE CONSENT IN COMPASS

Day For Daniel  
Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> Oct

Halloween Dress Up Day  
Fri 31<sup>st</sup> Oct

Year 4 "Fun Day" Airborn Excursion  
Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Nov

Year 5/6 Melbourne Zoo Science Excursion  
Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Dec

Foundation End of Year Celebration  
Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Dec

Year 4 Swimming Program  
Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Dec - Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec

Year 2 Inflatable World Excursion  
Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Dec

Statewide Transition Day  
Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Dec

Year 3 United Cinemas Excursion  
Wed 10<sup>th</sup> Dec

Year 1 Kaboom Kids Incursion and Lunch  
Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec

Last Day Of Formal Classes  
Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Dec

Christmas Concert  
Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Dec

Staff Clean Up Day Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Dec

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On this day, parents, carers, and educators are encouraged to start a conversation with children and young people about personal safety. Students wearing red on Thursday the 30<sup>th</sup> of October will be asked to bring in a gold coin donation to be donated to the Daniel Morcombe Foundation.

#### Halloween Dress Up Day

Next Friday we will be holding a Halloween Dress Up Day. This day is just for fun and students are not required to bring a gold coin donation on this day. Staff and students are invited to come dressed in Halloween themed outfits, however are also reminded to ensure that costumes are appropriate and that no weapons are brought to school as accessories on this day. We look forward to this spooky celebration with our students!

#### Resolving Issues Between Students

We remind all families that adults are not permitted to approach or directly interact with students who are not their own child under any circumstances. This is a serious breach of the Department of Education policy and our school's commitment to ensuring a safe, respectful and secure school environment for all students. If you ever have a concern, please raise this with your child's teacher in the first instance, and if the issue remains unresolved, please contact the Wellbeing Team or one of our Assistant Principals. If further support is needed following these steps, you can always escalate the issue directly to Maree.

Finally, please remember, we always welcome and would love to hear any feedback you have about our school, so please feel free to pop in and see us or email us at ANY TIME at:

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with any thoughts, concerns, feedback or suggestions that you may have to help continue to make our school a wonderful place to be, to grow and to learn. We will get back to you as soon as we can and really do appreciate any feedback that you have to share.

Have a great weekend ahead everyone!

*Maree, Nat, Lachy & Josh.*

# OTHER INFORMATION



## Students of the week

FA - Harrison Allen  
FB - Deha Karaman  
FC - Mira Gurkan  
FD - Luca Cutrupi  
FF - Shadman Alam  
FH - Zion Leota  
FI - Isabella Carton

## Students of the week Specialists

Art - FA  
Performing Arts - 1H  
P.E. - FD, 4B, 56E  
Science - FG, 3B, 56C

1A - Yonel Yonan  
1B - Alisha Fatima  
1C - Mowlini Vijentherakumar  
1D - Elijah Faatele  
1E - Solomon Latuila  
1F - Hamzah Baqi  
1G - Avnoor Bal  
1H - Bianca Jardim Natal

2A - Abdullah Abedin  
2C - Tegbir Singh  
2D - Sargun Sharma

3A - Peyton Bell  
3B - Ella Metelli  
3C - Jagdeep Chahal  
3D - Claire Chhantyal

4A - Levi Khoshaba  
4B - Ojas Kambojand Tez Pratap Singh  
4C - Damon Singh  
4D - Hasina Kazimi

5/6A - Aizah Begum  
5/6B - Raha Morshedvandi  
5/6C - Harry Ifeajika  
5/6D - Mattyas Al Shaeeya  
5/6E - Samuel Muscat

## Hats



All students are required to wear their school hats during outside play for the rest of this year.

This is to ensure sun safety and adherence to the school uniform policy.

## Compass



Our school uses 'Compass School Manager' to communicate with families. This includes providing updates on important information, event consent & payments, attendance and school reports. It is important that all families are utilising this program, otherwise you will miss out on vital information. If you do not have your login details, please contact the office for assistance.

## Lost Property



Please check the lost property box, located in the administration office, for your child's lost belongings.

Please ensure to label all of your child's belongings with their full name.

## Breakfast Club



Breakfast Club runs on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 8am-8:30am.

Breakfast Club is located in the kids kitchen, near the foundation playground. We offer toast, cereal and milk.

## School Hours



Classrooms open for soft start in the morning at 8:35am and school commences at 8:45am sharp. Students arriving after 8:45am are required to get a late pass from the office.

At the end of the school day, students are dismissed at 3:15pm daily.

## Before/After School Care



If you are unable to pick up your child on time afterschool, please make alternate arrangements.

Team Kids is available for before and after school care bookings if you require.

## Foundation 2026



Letters of offer for Foundation 2026 have been sent out to families.

If you have not yet submitted your child's enrolment, we encourage you to do so as soon as possible.

Transition sessions will be held in term 4 and we wouldn't want your child to miss out on this valuable opportunity to become familiar with our school and feel confident about starting Foundation next year.

If you have any questions or need assistance with the enrolment process, please don't hesitate to contact the office.



# SCHOOL TERM DATES

Last day of formal classes for students: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec.

Staff clean-up day: Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec.

STUDENT FREE DAYS NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov (Staff Professional Practice Day) Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> November

*Thank you for reading!*





# SUN SAFETY



## SunSmart at Yubup Primary School

Sun protection is important every day, even when it's cloudy! At our school, we follow the **SunSmart Policy** to keep all students safe while enjoying outdoor learning and play. Teaching children these habits early helps protect their skin and keeps them safe in the sun.

## Top SunSmart Tips for Students

- **Wear a hat:** Wide-brimmed or bucket hats are required during outdoor play.
- **Apply sunscreen:** Put sunscreen on before school and reapply if outside for long periods.
- **Protective clothing:** Wear shirts with sleeves and sunglasses where possible.
- **Play in the shade:** Use shaded areas during breaks and outdoor activities.



## SunSmart Reminder for Families

- Pack a labelled sunscreen and hat in your child's bag every day.
- Encourage your child to apply sunscreen at home before coming to school.
- Teach children to notice shade and take breaks from direct sun.





# CURRICULUM UPDATE

## FROM MS ALICIA

### How to support learning at home



Practising what students have learnt at school is an important step for our students to become fluent in various skills. There are many ways that children can do this, and your support as parents and families is invaluable! Encourage your child to complete their home learning tasks, do nightly reading at home, and involve them in other conversations where learning links can be made (for example, writing the weekly shopping list).

#### WHY?

Reading at home is all about children building their reading fluency. The books they bring home shouldn't be tricky for them to read - they should give opportunities for students to practise reading at a good speed and with expression. Maths practise at home should be for the same reason - to build their fluency in using mathematical skills. Keep reading for an idea on what you could do at home to support the mathematics learning for your child/ren depending on what year level they are in.

<b>Prep</b>	One more/one less (up to 20) e.g. what's one more than 3? One less than 16?	<b>Year 2</b>	Addition and subtraction facts to 20 e.g. what's $14 + 6$ ? What's $20 - 3$ ?
<b>Year 1</b>	Addition and subtraction facts to 10 e.g. what's $3 + 4$ ? What's $10 - 6$ ?	<b>Year 3</b>	Multiplication facts (3x, 4x, 5x, and 10x)
<b>Year 4-6</b>		Multiplication facts (up to $10 \times 10$ )	





# FOUNDATION C

## BREAKFAST SUCCESS!



What a wonderful morning we had sharing breakfast together at school! Foundation C students did such a great job trying new foods, chatting with friends, and helping to clean up.

Our classroom was filled with smiles, laughter, and the delicious smell of toast and cereal. It was lovely to see everyone working together and showing such independence.





# This week in 1C



This term, students in 1C have been reading “Stick Man” as their mentor text

This week in 1C we worked together to create our own Stick Man character and drew settings from the story to help retell the events.

We had lots of fun bringing the story to life and showed our school values of collaboration and inclusion throughout the activity.







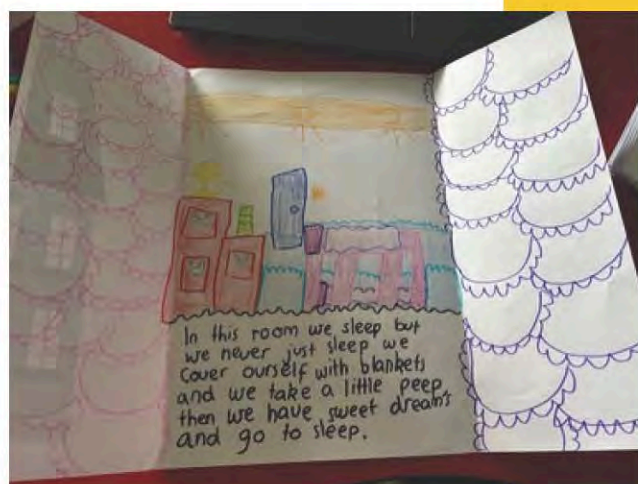
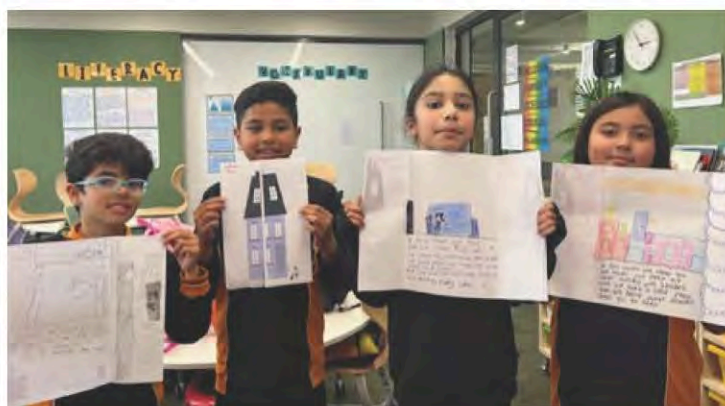
# Learning in 3B

## In Every House on Every Street

Over the past two weeks, students in 3B have been exploring the picture book *In Every House on Every Street*. They have investigated new vocabulary, made thoughtful predictions, created visualisations, and developed meaningful text-to-text and text-to-world connections.

Students also wrote their own passages inspired by the text, describing the special tasks and routines they do in their own homes.

Well done to all of 3B for their fantastic effort and positive attitude throughout this learning!





# WHAT'S ON IN 5/6B



## SWPBS



We've recently started using Class Dojo to track our SWPBS points!

Each day, our class sets a specific goal to work towards. For example, 'Today we will show collaboration by playing fairly.'

Throughout the day, students can earn Dojo points and even nominate their peers who demonstrate our school values. It's been a fantastic way to encourage positive behaviour, teamwork, and student voice in the classroom!

## Happy Diwali!

This week, we've been learning all about Diwali — the Festival of Lights! Students have enjoyed discovering the traditions, meanings, and ways people celebrate this special festival. We also loved hearing from students who shared their own Diwali experiences and family traditions. Here are some of the wonderful creations we made to celebrate!

## Numeracy

This week in Maths, we began learning about perimeter and area. Students measured items around the room and explored the perimeter of composite shapes. Next week, they'll use their new skills in a mini project to design their own park!

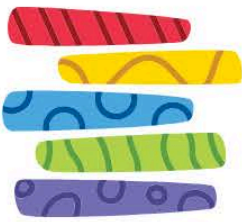


## Upcoming October Events

- Day for Daniel – 30<sup>th</sup> of October
- Halloween Dress Up – 31<sup>st</sup> of October







**Yubup**  
PRIMARY SCHOOL



Keeping kids safe!



**Day** for  
**Daniel**



**30TH OCTOBER**  
**STUDENTS TO WEAR RED FOR**  
**A GOLD COIN DONATION**





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PRIMARY SCHOOL

# CREEPY OR ADORABLE?

*You Decide!*

HALLOWEEN DRESS UP AT YUBUP.  
ALL STUDENTS ARE WELCOME TO  
COME TO SCHOOL DRESSED IN  
SOMETHING FUN FOR HALLOWEEN.  
NO TOY WEAPONS ALLOWED

Friday  
**OCT. 31**

*Dress up, show up,  
and let your costume  
shine!*





# YUBUP TEAMKIDS NEWSLETTER

Team  
Kids

## WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

This week, students enjoyed a vibrant mix of creative and active experiences. They made beautiful Diwali decorations, showing great teamwork and enthusiasm while learning about cultural celebration and creativity. Many students engaged in imaginative play with LEGO, building unique designs and sharing ideas. In the playground, children had fun playing tiggy, building their coordination and social connections through energetic play. Making charm bracelets encouraged fine motor skills and personal expression, while the soccer matches promoted teamwork, communication and good sportsmanship. Overall, it was an engaging week filled with creativity, collaboration, and active play.

## IMPORTANT DATES



 **FRI 31 OCTOBER**

Halloween party!



## TEAMKIDS CLUBS ASC WEEK: **Week 2**



### MONDAY

Lego master



### TUESDAY

Art club



### WEDNESDAY

Cooking club



### THURSDAY

Stem club



### FRIDAY

Art Attack club



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# NEWSLETTER

Team  
Kids







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Kids

# HALLO- -WEEN PARTY

31<sup>ST</sup> OCT

It's time for a spook-tacular celebration!  
TeamKids is brewing up some fang-tastic fun for  
Halloween! There'll be costumes, games, and treats so  
good it's un-B00-lievable! Don't miss out on all the  
frightful fun! 🦇

# GIRLS WANTED



NEW PLAYERS  
EXPRESSION  
OF  
INTEREST  
NOW OPEN

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(UNDER 8'S - UNDER 16'S)**



# Lifelong, life-changing savings habits



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You can put that extra money towards educational expenses for yourself or your child/children. This includes school-related expenses, such as uniforms, books, laptops and excursions.

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