



OUR COMMUNITY IS COMMITTED TO LEARNING, GROWING and ACHIEVING TOGETHER.

Enrolments for 2025 Prep are now open! This year government schools in the Outer East Region are using an online system for 2025 Prep enrolments. The portal is called VicStudents and is now open for families to enrol their 2025 Prep students. We look forward to welcoming new families and as well as siblings of current students. If you know of any families in the area with a child starting school next year, please encourage them to book a tour and enrol today.

To commence an online enrolment visit https://students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/s/ to create an account and complete the online application form. Please ensure that all documents required are attached to the application. Parents wanting to submit a paper copy of their enrolment form and documentation directly to the office, can do so, and we will assist with the enrolment process.

Next week the Grade 3/4 students are going a three-day camp to Phillip Island. This is an exciting time for the students as camp provides time with friends, engaging in activities that would not be able to do elsewhere. For some, it will be their first time away from home for an extended time and, whilst this can be a little unsettling, it is also incredibly beneficial in building independence and resilience. Students are supervised at all times when on camp and school staff enjoy nurturing the students, taking on the role of teacher and parent. We look forward to hearing all about their adventures while away.

This term is a report writing term where staff will spend time thoroughly assessing student progress and creating data which will inform Semester 1 Reports. It is important that students come to school on time, well rested and ready to participate at school in a positive way so that the Semester 2 Report is a true representation of each student.

Tanya Burton Principal





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If you would like your child to receive a free dental check at school, please complete the form that was sent home and return to school by Friday 26th April.

There are more forms at the office if required.

The dental van will be visiting our school at some stage during the week beginning 20th May.



<u>Calendar Dates</u>	School Information		
	Principal: Tanya Burton School Council President: Bev Shaw		
April			
	Parents and Friends (PFA) President: Tamara Simari		
22 nd -24 th Grade ¾ Camp 25 th ANZAC DAY-NO STUDENTS AT SCHOOL	Phone: 9758 3007 Email: Fairhills.ps@education.vic.gov.au Absence notification: via Compass Parent portal or by phone. (This must occur prior to 9.30am on the day of a child's absence) Office Hours: for communication, payments and enquiries. Monday: 8.30am-4.00pm Tuesday: 8.30am-4.00pm Wednesday: 8.30am-4.00pm Thursday: 8.30am-4.00pm Friday: 8.30am-4.00pm		

Lunch orders

Lunch orders are available on Monday and Wednesdays. Classroom Cuisine offer a variety of lunch options to suit everyone. Please log into Classroom Cuisine and create an account to order.

https://classroomcuisine.com.a



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Student of the week awards- Congratulations to all our achievers							
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Prep/1 M	Mika	For settling into the classroom routine and expectations well and showing great concentration in your work. Terrific job Mika!	Prep/1 M	Jye	For participating with enthusiasm in activities in the classroom. Your phoneme and grapheme knowledge is improving out of sight! Well done.		
1/2J	Lucas	For taking his JSC role seriously and being a fantastic example for others. Great leadership skills Lucas!	1/2J	Evelyn	For working hard on all tasks in class and consistently demonstrating the 5 STARR values. Well Done.		
2/35	Benson	For completing some amazing pizza fractions and recording them in his maths book.	2/35	Jemma	For consistently demonstrating her 5 STARR values both in class and outside in the playground.		
3/4Н	Joyann	For always asking questions and seeking help when she needs it. You make the most of every learning time	3/4Н	Hunter	For trying his best in class to work on his personal learning goals. Great work on Sentence Fluency Hunter!		
5/6B	Arisa	For the positive approach she has to her learning tasks. Keep up the wonderful attitude to your learning Arisa!	5/6B	Liam	For settling into 5/6B with ease and having a go at all learning tasks! Welcome to Fairhills Liam.		

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5/6L	Sophia	For her commitment to completing all learning tasks to the best of her ability. Keep up the awesome efforts Sophia.	5/6L	Cooper	For his consistent improvement in following instructions and staying focused on his learning. Keep up the fantastic efforts Cooper!
P.E.	Mia	For demonstrating outstanding courage and resilience during Winter Sports day. You should be very proud of your efforts in the soccer team! Well done superstar!			
Visual Art	Nala	For her amazing and creative artwork involving felting, inspired by Miro's dream-like art.	Visual Art	Alex	For independently beading his creative, Miro inspired artwork. Great effort Alex!
Performing Art	Maya	For enthusiastically performing her very humorous improvisation. Great thinking on the spot!	Performing Art	Sophie	For great thinking on the spot and enthusiastically performing her very humorous improvisation. Well done!
S.T.E.M.	Katie	For demonstrating creativity and being resourceful while making her shadow puppets. Great effort!	S.T.E.M.	Lucas	For demonstrating patience and a good attitude while creating his musical instrument. Well done!







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Visual Art

We are starting this term by creating art using clay. The first week was very engaging and we got a little messy. I apologise if uniforms had to rewashed on the first day of school. I can't wait for the students to paint and seal their clay creations. When they do, I will include some photos of their artwork.



Art Smocks

Could all students come prepared with an art smock for Art please, to avoid uniforms getting dirty. This need not be an expensive purchase an old adult shirt at home may prove very suitable. It's best if each student has their own, which is clearly named, so that it is an effective and dry at the time of use.



Performing Arts

We are focusing on Music this term. Year 5/6 are particularly excited about using musical technology to create Loops, tracks and songs.



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Helping my child with maths?

count me in:

A free workshop for parents and grandparents led by Prof Doug and Dr Barbara Clarke

Wednesday May 8, 5:45 to 7:00 pm with light dinner provided from 5:00 pm St Paul's Anglican Church Boronia (Dorset Rd, next to McDonald's) Child minding available during the session

to confirm your place:









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