

Stanhope Primary School

Stanhope Primary School is committed to creating and maintaining a positive and safe learning environment, where our children are protected from abuse and where we maximise individual academic and social growth through explicit teaching and taking responsibility for all our learning.

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LEARNING
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Inspiring Lifelong Learning



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REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO

Invoices for school fees are attached to this newsletter.

Payment plans can be discussed with Mica in the office on Tuesdays or Thursdays. Payments by cash or Bpay only please.

Reminder to all families
School hats must be worn until the end April.

Reminder to all families
Parents/guardians are not permitted to go into the change rooms & toilets at the Stanhope Pool if students other than their own are in there.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Tuesday 11th February

- ◆ ART
- ◆ Safer Internet Day (families are welcome to join the 3-6 class, time TBA)

17th—28th February

- ◆ Swimming & Water Safety Program (2 weeks)

Wednesday 19th February

- ◆ School Council Meeting 7pm

Friday 28th February

- ◆ House Swimming Carnival

Please note that our website address has changed:

<http://stanhopeps.vic.edu.au>

PLEASE READ ALL THE ATTACHMENTS TO THIS WEEK'S NEWSLETTER

From the Principal

Information Overload!

This week there are a **lot** of attachments to the newsletter. Please make sure you carefully read through them all, as they are important documents regarding your child's activities at school. Some documents require your signature to confirm that you have read through it and others ask you for specific **permissions** which you may or may not choose to give.

There are quite a lot of documents regarding the use of digital devices by students at school. Yesterday grade 3-6 went through the Acceptable Use Agreement with me to ensure they understand their obligations when using laptops and other devices in the classroom.

Please read this through with your child and **return the slip at the end of the Agreement by the 6th of March**. Please keep the document for your reference.

There is also a specifications sheet for those from grade 4 and above, who may wish to purchase their own laptop (BYOD). This is invitational and NOT compulsory.

Our school will be using Microsoft Office 365 for classroom purposes. There is an information sheet enclosed. This also has an OPT OUT box to sign and return, but ONLY if you DO NOT WANT your child accessing Office 365. If you are happy with your child using laptops and hence Office 365, then you just keep the information sheet.

Swimming and Water Awareness Program

This starts on the 17th February and will run for two weeks. Please make sure your child has independent dressing and undressing skills prior to the program as no parents or teachers will be permitted in the change rooms whilst there are students in the change rooms. Students must be able to get into their bathers in time to start their lesson and get dry and dressed again afterwards to return to school in a timely manner.

It's also a good idea to have a waterproof bag for wet bathers and towels.

Students will be attending the pool in two main groups, so there will be one group at the pool at the end of the school day. You will be advised of collection details in next week's newsletter.

Parent Payments

Families are able to make a arrangements to put a payment plan in place for school parent payments, if they find a single payment difficult. Please see Mica in the office.



**Christine
Owen**

At Stanhope Primary School we welcome families to ask questions, share concerns or information we might need about your child/ren through making a time with the principal or their child's teacher. You can now do this via 'Conversations' on uEducateUs as well as the more regular channels.

PARENTS

Please note that permission forms & money need to be returned to the school prior to the day of the excursion or your child risks not being able to attend.

Forms are unable to be printed out on the day of the excursion, so parents & guardians will have to handwrite missing permissions on the day of the excursion.

Thank you.

FROM THE

Business Manager



Mica will be in the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays. I am happy to discuss confidential payment options for fees or camps and excursions with you.

Pie Warmer

Students are able to bring lunches to heat in the pie warmer each day. Students are reminded before recess to put their items in the pie warmer and student monitors deliver the lunches at lunch time.

All items must have the student's name on it.

*Please **DO NOT** put pie warmer items in plastic containers.*

They melt!

MARC Library Van

Students were excited to welcome our new MARC Library specialist teacher Connor Bragg to the school! Mr Connor will be at the school for library every alternate Tuesday.



Grade 3-6

Mrs D & Mrs Foley

In the 3-6 class we have been discussing how we display the school values of Respect, Success, Citizenship and Learning.

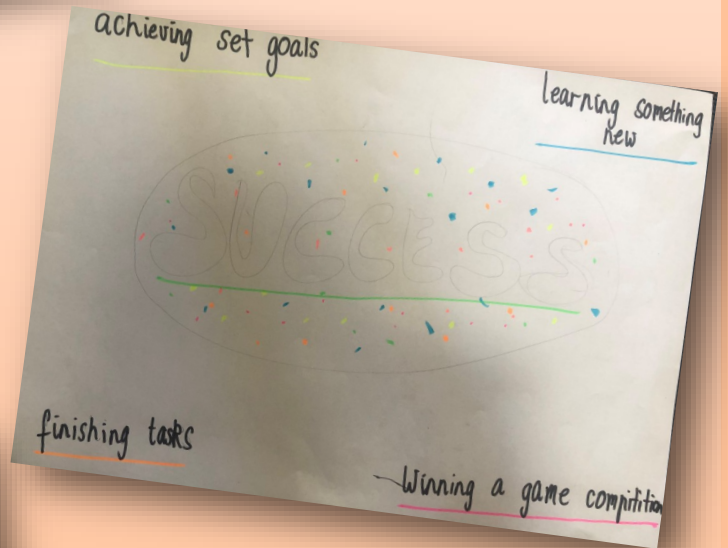
I display the value of Learning by learning about new things at school (Shaylah).



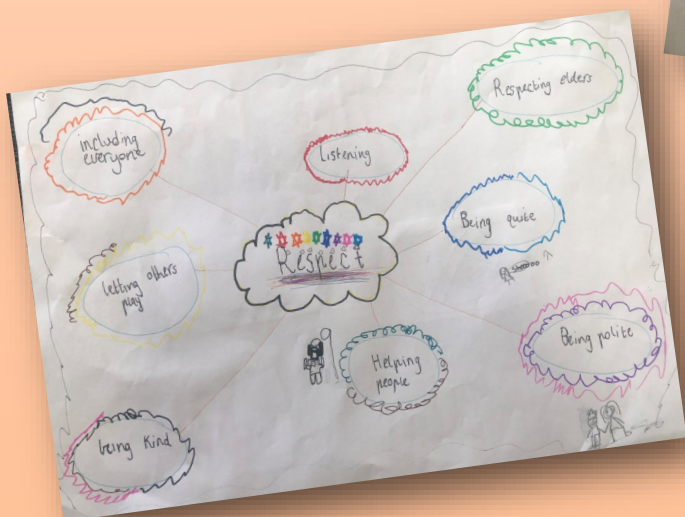
I display the value of Citizenship by looking after school property (Ashton.G).



I display the value of Success by getting awards at assembly (Bridie).



I display the value of Respect by respecting people's opinions and respecting the teachers (Wil).



I display the value of Respect by being nice to other people

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13 11 14

KID'S HELPLINE
1800 55 1800

BEYOND BLUE
1300 22 4636

AWARDS



CONGRATULATIONS!

LEARNING: Kyra, Lennon, Nick, Valary.

SUCCESS : Ashton G, Cerese, Jinaya, Lachie, Taylah, William P.

CITIZENSHIP: Alyssa.

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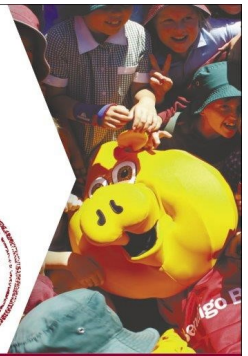


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