



# Stanhope Primary School

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## Newsletter

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### Inspiring Lifelong Learning

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#### REMINDERS & THINGS TO DO

##### **COVID Contact Tracing for Visitors & Families**

- ◆ All visitors and adults **MUST** enter via the main front door.
- ◆ All visitors and adults **MUST** sign the visitors book for contact tracing.
- ◆ All adults and students **MUST** use hand sanitiser on entry .

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

##### **Thursday 1st April**

- ◆ **END OF TERM 1** 2.15pm Early dismissal



##### **Monday 19th April**

- ◆ **START OF TERM 2**

##### **Tuesday 20th April**

- ◆ **ART**

A huge thank you to

*Bakers  
Delight*

for donating all the rolls for  
our '**Healthy Me**' Day lunch

State Schools Relief Prep  
Uniform information & form  
attached.

# From the Principal

## Hats – Term 2

Stanhope Primary School policy states that students will begin the wearing of hats from mid- August and continuing wearing them until the **end of April** each year. This means that when students return in Term 2, hats will still be required to be worn. Please make sure that all hats are maroon school hats that comply with the sun smart policy. i.e. bucket, broad brimmed or legionnaire type hats.

## Term 2 happenings

Naplan tests are held in the week beginning May 11th. Grades 3 and 5 students will sit the Naplan tests online. There has already been a practice test conducted and students are able to continue to practice via a public practice test site.

Students MUST HAVE a set of working headphones for Naplan testing, but also need them for day to day online learning tasks. This link will take you to the practice Naplan site: [Public demonstration site \(nap.edu.au\)](http://nap.edu.au) . A step-by-step guide is attached to the newsletter to assist you.

## Attitudes to School Survey

Next term is when the annual Attitudes to School Survey takes place. Students in grades 4, 5 & 6 will be responding to a range of questions about their school life. The data collected helps us plan for improvement in the way our school works and manages different areas of school life.

## Incursions and Excursions

During the term we will also be having some science incursions in both classes, from the Bendigo Discovery Centre. There are no costs for these sessions as they are being funded by DET.

We also have Science Day excursion to Lancaster Primary School on the 27<sup>th</sup> April. Permission forms and costs will be available soon on uEducateUs.

We then have two excursions to Merrigum Primary and Lancaster Primary Schools for a Cultural Day and another for a Wellbeing Day focussing on Rights, Responsibilities and Respectful Relationships.

## Winter Sports Day

These sports day occur at the beginning of May and are held at Kyabram P-12 campus. It is likely we will need families to be able to transport their own children to and from the event as hiring a bus for the small numbers involved would be prohibitive. Mrs D will provide more information closer to the day.



**Christine  
Owen**

## FROM THE

## **Business Manager**



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

## Student Leaders

At last week's assembly, our student Leaders received their official badges. Our Sports Captains also received their badges. These roles come with responsibilities and the onus is on those students to fulfil their roles and to model exemplary behaviour for others to aspire to.

## Leadership team



## Sports Captains

Absent are Sienna and Axel



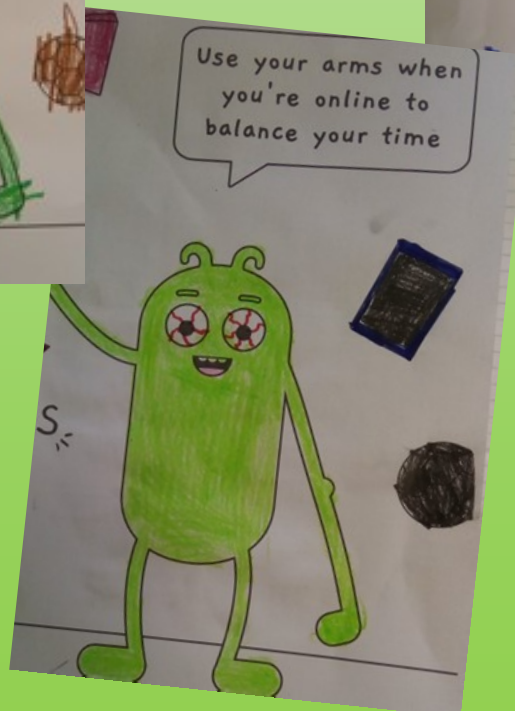
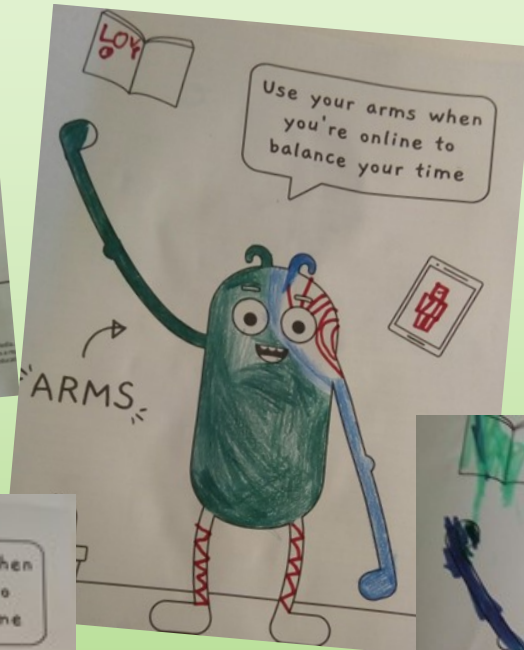
# Grade P-2

With Ms 'O'

## Digital citizenship

Students in grade Prep, One , Two, have been learning about the various aspects of being a good digital citizen. This week they met 'Arms'. Arms knows how to balance his online time with off line, face to face fun with friends.

## ***Meet Arms!***





# Healthy Me Day





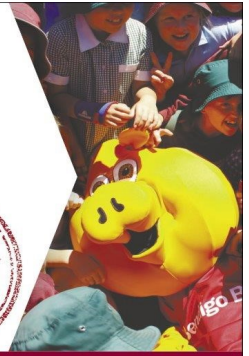
**NEWSLETTER ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE IN WRITING OR ELECTRONICALLY BY 9AM WEDNESDAY TO GUARANTEE A SPOT IN THAT WEEKS EDITION**

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## HELP IS BUT A PHONE CALL AWAY

**LIFELINE**  
**13 11 14**

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**1800 55 1800**

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**1300 22 4636**

# AWARDS



### LEARNING:

Amelia, Chelsea, Cooper, Ellie, Hudson, Kialla, Lennon, Mylie, Lilly T., Lily P. & William W.

### SUCCESS:

Breanna.

### RESPECT:

Hudson & Nick.

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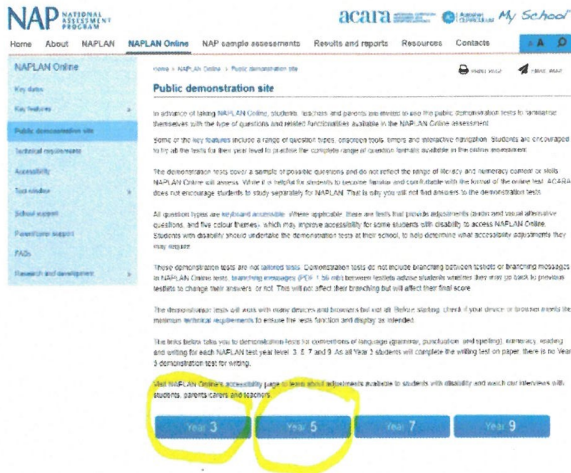
# CONGRATULATIONS!



# Some basic instructions for doing Practice Naplan Online Tests.

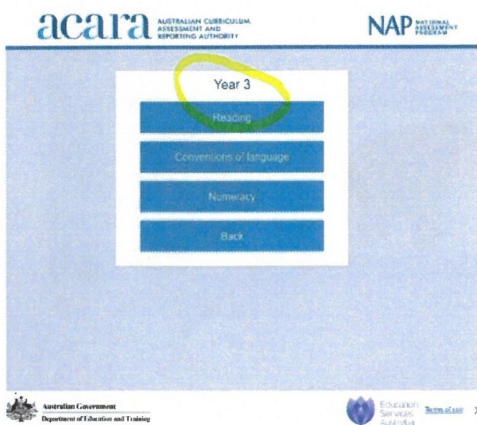
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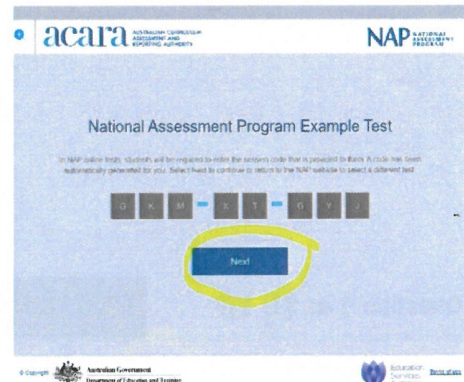


Select the year level test you wish to complete.

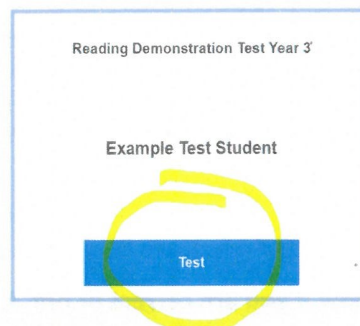
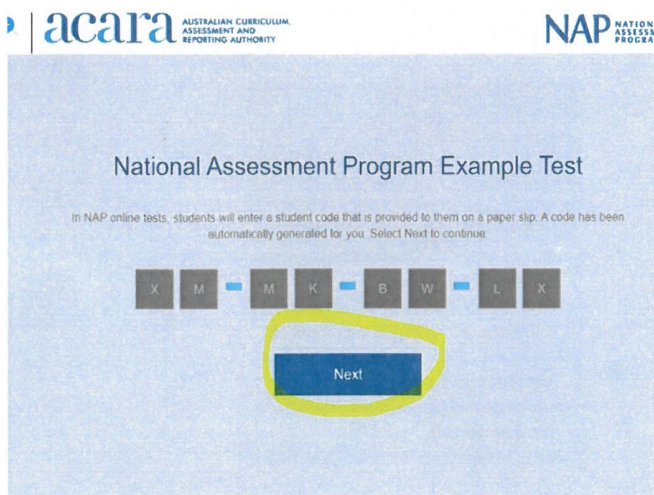
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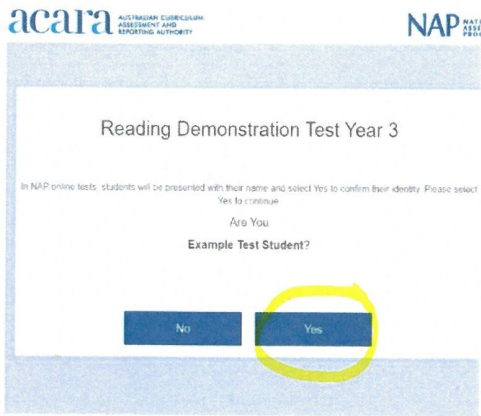


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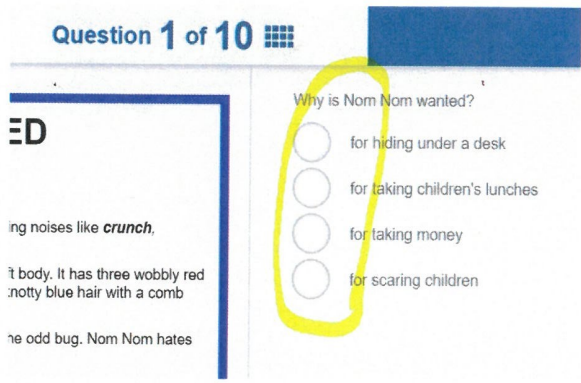
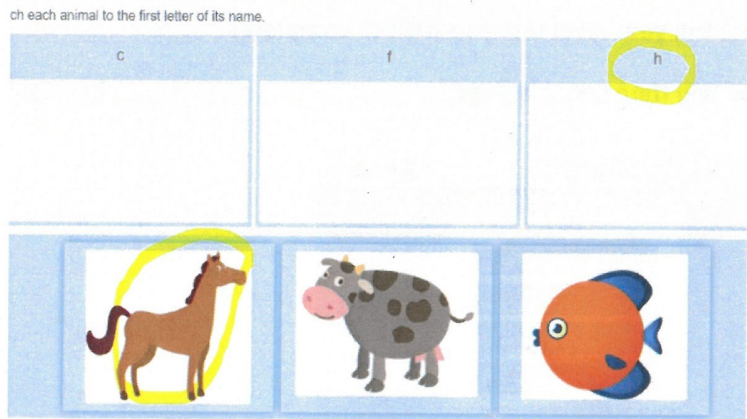


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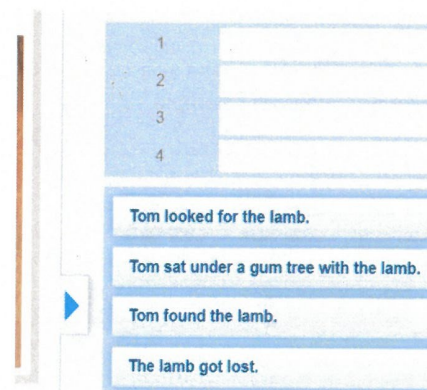
There will be different ways of answering the questions. For some you will simply 'click' while others you will need to drag items or select from drop down menus.

Drag the horse to the letter 'h'.



Click on the answer.

Drag the sentences into the correct order



That's it! Sadly, you won't know if you are correct or not. Just like in the real Naplan. Get mum or dad to work the tests with you!



# STATE SCHOOLS' RELIEF

## Prep CSEF Uniform Package 2021



**STATE  
SCHOOLS'  
RELIEF**

### UPDATE FOR PARENTS.

Applications for the Prep CSEF Uniform Package begin: **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021**

### What you need to know.

#### Who is SSR?

State Schools' Relief is a not-for-profit organisation that works closely with all government schools across Victoria. Each year State Schools' Relief provides assistance to families experiencing financial disadvantage with school uniforms and footwear.

#### Introduction to Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund

Through government funding the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) was established to provide payments for eligible students to attend camps, sports days and excursions. To find out more, or to apply for assistance, please refer to the Department of Education and Training [website](#).

State Schools' Relief provides uniform packages to families eligible to receive CSEF funding.

#### 2021 Prep Uniform Package for CSEF recipients

Prep students for 2021 that are recipients of the Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF) automatically qualify for the uniform package and/or voucher.

#### What's in the package?

The 2021 package contains the following items:

- 1 x Rugby Top or Hooded / Windcheater or Jacket (Bomber/Polar Fleece) or Long Sleeve Polo
- 1 x Tracksuit Pants or Trousers or Pants
- 1 x Pair of Shoes (Lace Up or T-Bar or Runner/Sneaker)

Please note the following:

- PE items are not included as part of this package
- Shoes must be requested in UK sizes (please contact your school for our shoe sizing chart)

#### Cost to parents

Where State Schools' Relief is unable to provide a uniform item directly (due to contractual agreements with uniform retailers) you will receive a voucher that subsidises the cost of the items. The voucher can be redeemed at your child's school uniform shop, or independent uniform retailer, which will be listed on the voucher. Parents receiving vouchers may be required to make a contribution towards the cost of these items. The amount a parent has to pay will depend on the retail purchase price and the State Schools' Relief subsidy.

The voucher provided by State Schools' Relief lists every approved item, and the maximum purchase value, that State Schools' Relief will cover. Please check your school's uniform price list to work out how much extra may be required to contribute towards the uniform item. Please note: vouchers do have an expiry date and must be used before this date.

#### How do I apply for the CSEF Uniform Package?

Applications are made through your child's school. Please refrain from contacting State Schools' Relief directly as staff are unable to accept applications directly from parents or families. Should you have any questions, or wish to apply for assistance, please speak with your child's school.

### **How do I receive the uniform package?**

- All items and/or vouchers provided by SSR will be delivered directly to your child's school. The school will then contact you to arrange handover of these items and/or vouchers.
- The voucher will advise whether you collect items from the school uniform shop or a retailer. If it's a retailer, please check with your school to find out the nearest store.
- If a uniform item costs more than the maximum subsidised amount, State Schools' Relief is unable to cover any further cost.
- If a uniform item costs less than the maximum subsidised amount, the difference cannot be redeemed or transferred to an alternate uniform item.

Please note: vouchers are not transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash; they cannot be used to purchase extra items and only the uniform item listed can be purchased with the voucher. State Schools' Relief does not make cash payments to schools or parents.

### **Terms and Conditions**

- Only Prep students for 2021 that qualify for CSEF are automatically entitled to a uniform pack.
- Each student is eligible for only one uniform pack.
- All vouchers have an expiry date, which is included on the voucher. Vouchers must be used within the time frame specified.
- Expired vouchers cannot be redeemed.
- If uniform items cost less than the stated subsidised amount on the voucher, any unused subsidy cannot:
  - be transferred to a different uniform item
  - be used to purchase an additional item; or
  - provided as cash to the school or the parent.

### **What you need to do.**

Your child's school will be in contact with you to order the 2021 uniform package.



# STATE SCHOOLS' RELIEF

## Prep CSEF Uniform Package 2021



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### ORDER FORM.

Applications for the Prep CSEF Uniform Package begin: Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

#### How to use this order form

This form has been developed to assist schools with recording individual student uniform requirements. Please record the required sizes for your child and then return this form to the school.

#### Shoes

Please select one shoe type only. Speak with the school for assistance with sizing if required. There is a shoe size conversion chart available on our [website](#). Please indicate shoe size in the appropriate column below.

**Please note:** *There are no half sizes available.*

| Shoe Type      | UK Size |
|----------------|---------|
| Girls Lace Up  |         |
| Boys Lace Up   |         |
| T-Bar          |         |
| Runner/Sneaker |         |

#### Uniform

Eligible students will receive both a top and pants. Please circle your choice of top below and indicate the sizes required for both top and pants. **Please note:** *PE items are not included as part of this package.*

| Uniform Item   | Size |
|--|------|
| 1 x Rugby Top <u>or</u> Hooded / Windcheater <u>or</u> Jacket (Bomber/Polar Fleece) <u>or</u> Long Sleeve Polo |      |
| 1 x Tracksuit Pants <u>or</u> Trousers <u>or</u> Pants   |      |

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_