

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK – ALISON REES

Online/Remote Learning - Thank you

With the announcement of another five days of online/remote learning, I would like to start by thanking all our wonderful TVPS staff members – teachers and ESO – who, despite what might be happening in their own homes, continue to be incredibly positive and flexible in creating a quality educational program that can be accessed online.



We are so grateful that our students, parents and carers have responded so positively to our online teaching program with extremely high levels of active participation amongst students. Teachers and ESO are working hard to plan and deliver lessons that are engaging, practical and continue with learning sequences and familiar content, accessible through Seesaw, the Google platform and WebEx conferences.

It can be challenging to process and manage changes to routines and the uncertainty that comes with COVID-19 and related restrictions – including moving to remote learning.

To support our school community during this time, resources and support are available for parents, carers and families.

These resources will help to support the mental health and wellbeing of our students and the young people in our care during this time.

I encourage everyone in our community to access these resources and take care of themselves during this time.

Services and Support for Students and Families

HeadSpace have developed a clip that has some practical strategies for promoting mental health and wellbeing during this time.

- **Tips for Parents and Carers**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fw3LzWe-93U>

A [Quick Guide to Student Mental Health and Wellbeing resources](#) is available for students, parents and carers looking to access expert guidance and resources to support wellbeing.

Supporting the mental health and wellbeing of our students remains our priority this year, especially during the continued COVID-19 pandemic and while students are learning from home during the current circuit breaker restrictions.

Calendar

JUNE

Fri 4 th	Y2 Water Incursion
Mon 7 th	Whole School Assembly
Wed 9 th	FlyingStart #1
Thu 10 th	Y3 – Y6 Athletics Carnival
Fri 11 th	3 Way Conversations Bookings Open
Wed 16 th	FlyingStart #2
Thu 17 th	Interschool Sport
Fri 18 th	Tree Planting Project
Fri 18 th	Reports Go Live
Sat 19 th	WorkingBee
Mon 21 st	Yr3 – Yr6 Carnival
Wed 23 rd	FlyingStart #3
Tue 22 nd	3 Way Conversations
Wed 23 rd	3 Way Conversations
Wed 23 rd	Yr5 & Yr6 Girls AFL
Fri 25 th	Last Day of Term 2 2:30 Dismissal

2021 Term Dates

19 April to 25 June 2021

12 July to 17 September 2021

4 October to 17 December 2021

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For students, the guide includes resources to support their own mental health and wellbeing.

- Advice and resources for students about ways to adapt their learning during coronavirus, to look after themselves and where to get help.
- Wellbeing activities featuring AFL and AFLW players with tips on managing stress, staying active and gratitude.
- Kick it with Victory physical activities with Melbourne Victory Football Club.
- Smiling Mind mindfulness activities for senior secondary school students, including short videos, online tip sheets and meditations

The guide also includes resources and supports for parents and carers to help them build their child's physical and mental health and wellbeing. This includes:

- resources to support children's physical, mental health and wellbeing
- wellbeing activities and conversation starters
- Raising Learners podcast series
- How to talk to your child about coronavirus (COVID-19).

Wellbeing guidance for parents and carers is also [available on the Department of Education's website](#), or through the confidential parent support hotline, Parentline, available 8am to midnight, seven days a week. Phone: 13 22 89.

From Rob Cretney and myself, please stay positive. Take each day as it comes. Enjoy this quality time with your family. Stay connected to those around you and please stay safe & healthy. Love, laughter, caring for one another and our indomitable Australian spirit will help us to get through this, (plus a little bit of the ridiculous every now and then!!!) We will get through this.



LAUNCHING OUR NEW TVPS WEBSITE

Over the last 9 months, with School Council's support, we have been transitioning to a new website. Our old one was becoming a bit clunky and causing issues, so we felt it was time to reinvent and re-brand ourselves.

Rob Cretney has been coordinating the development of our new website, and is very proud to announce its launch on Friday. We can't thank him enough for all the hours of work that he's put in to make our website something special.

On the website you will find:

- Interviews with teachers and students
- Virtual tours
- Information for our TVPS community, as well as
- Information and booking tools for new families and visitors.

The web address is: <https://www.tempvalprimary.vic.edu.au/> or it can also be accessed through this QR Code.



Please take the time to have a look at the new format and let us know what you think.



NAPLAN

Congratulations to all our Year 3 and 5 students who took part in NAPLAN testing over the last few weeks. We know they tried their very best and we'll be proud of their achievements.

We were fortunate not to have some of the technical glitches and connectivity issues that a number of schools did – thanks very much in part to the hard work and efforts of Rob Cretney in setting up the technology in advance, as well as training of staff.



As you can imagine with all Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students across Australia taking part in NAPLAN, processing of the tests and sending out results will take time. We do send them away – they are not marked at school. We normally receive student results in late Term 3 or early Term 4, so parents of Year 3 and 5 students will be notified when they arrive.

REPORTING - 3 WAY CONVERSATIONS ~ TUESDAY JUNE 22nd & WEDNESDAY JUNE 23rd, 2021

3 Way Conferences for **ALL** Prep – Year 6 students are being held on **Tuesday June 22 and Wednesday June 23** (Yes – we’re being optimistic that we will back at school next Friday!)



These conferences are very exciting and an integral part of our program as they give our students the opportunity to:

- celebrate the learning that they have done throughout the first semester, and
- articulate their learning goals for the next 6 months with their parents and teacher/s

In brief, both research and experience have demonstrated that 3 Way conferences offer many benefits including the following:

- stronger sense of accountability among students
- stronger sense of pride in achievement among students
- development of leadership skills among students
- promotion of reflection and engagement with learning
- helping parents to understand learning from the child’s viewpoint
- celebration of the whole child
- showing trust and confidence in the child as a learner

Conversations are limited to 15 minutes. All booking of conferences will be done through the Compass system.

Bookings for these will be opened on Compass on Friday 11th June at 9am and will remain open until 4:00pm Friday, 18th June.

If you have difficulties with the bookings, please ring the Office for assistance on 8850 5777.

We will have a Plan B in place should there be any Covid-19 restrictions in place at the time and will notify you if that is the case.

PREPS 2022!!!

We've already started our planning for our 2022 Prep classes, as well as our Transition program for children who will be enrolling.

So a few important questions for our current families:

- **Do you have a child who will be starting school in 2022?**
- **Have you completed and submitted an enrolment form?**
- **Have you booked a place in our Flying Start program?**

If you do have a Prep child starting with us next year, please contact us ASAP to:

1. **Have an enrolment form sent home.**
2. **Book your child in for our Flying Start program.**

Here’s the information about our Flying Start program.

(Please note that this program has needed to be moved to Term 3 due the current lockdown restrict visitors on-site.)

FLYING START

Your child is invited to participate in three enriching sessions to experience some exciting aspects of school at TVPS. Please call the Office to make a booking. No cost involved.

DATE & TIME	ACTIVITIES
Wednesday 28th July 2:00 - 3:00pm	STEM Visual Arts
Wednesday 4th August 2:00 - 3:00pm	Story Time in School Library Lettergetter Fun
Wednesday 11th August 2:00 - 3:00pm	Performing Arts PMP Perceptual Motor Program

SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

DUE TO THE SUDDEN RESIGNATION FROM THE TVPS SCHOOL COUNCIL, WE ARE LOOKING FOR TWO (2) NEW SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERS. THESE POSITIONS INCLUDE:

- **A TWO (2) YEAR PARENT REP POSITION TO REPLACE THE RESIGNED MEMBER – This can be a 12 month position if required**
- **A TWELVE (12) MONTH COMMUNITY MEMBER - Seconded**

If you would be interested in learning more about a role on School Council, or wish to apply for one of the positions, please contact TVPS School Council President – EVA WONG ASAP on:

- **Email - evakjm@bigpond.com**
- **Phone – 0419 571 988**

SCHOOL REVIEW NEWS

Fieldwork Day: Wednesday 26th May

A very big THANKYOU to all the parents, students and teachers who met with our School Review panel members on Wednesday May 26. It was wonderful to have a number of representatives from across our community giving feedback to the panel and helping us determine the direction of our next Strategic Plan.

The final day for our School Review has been moved to Wednesday June 16. The panel will meet to review all the evidence provided, and set the goals and targets for our new School Strategic Plan.

A very big thank you to our

Parent Representatives:

(Apologies if your name has been omitted. We did have a few changes on the morning.)

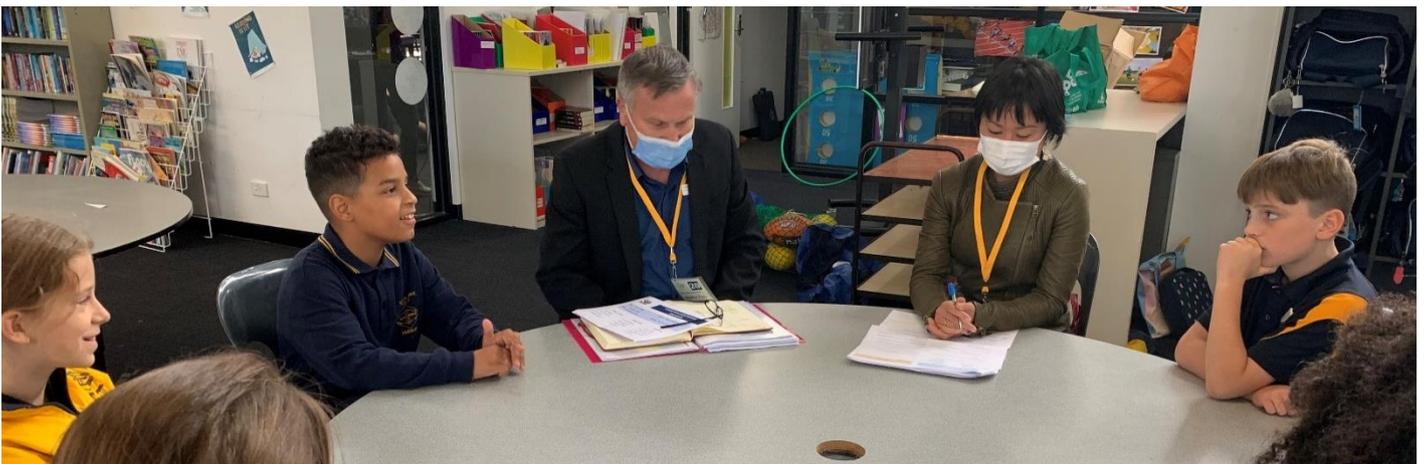
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| • Cathy Stefanidis | • Bec Crouch |
| • Hesam Zamani | • Faith Toy |
| • Rebecca Canizzo | • Danita Humphreys |
| • Stephanie Batticciotto | • Daphne Pena Vargas |
| • Cathy Shum | • Darren Igoe |
| • Heidi Alysandratos | • Quevy Vu |
| • Chrissie Edwards | • Wendy Ho |



Student Representatives:

Prep	Year 1	Year 2
• Amelia S	• Liana F	• Clayton
• Sean R	• Ariana B	• Keira L
• Sienna M	• Leith C	• Erin P
• Elijah H	• Esme F	• Lachie B
• Abi C	• Jamie A	• Samantha B
• Mili L		

<p>Year 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Levi L • Kaitlyn D • Iza T • Owen F 	<p>Year 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maia F • Jin N • Isabella A • Sabrina S • Vivienne P • Patrick B 	<p>Year 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angelique P • Mateo H • Jesse B • Mikayla E • Campbell M • Mackenzie C
<p>Year 6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joshua G • Zara N • Erin C • Christos S 	<p>Yr 6 Student Leaders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lucy C • Jana B • Jaimee S • Tom A • Sammie H • Raph D-J 	<p>JSCReps – Yr 4 To 6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zoe K • Harley LG • Jayden PV • Amara N • Matthew W • Aliyah EA • Alicia W





STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

WEEK 5			WEEK 6	
CLASS	NAME	AWARD	NAME	AWARD
0CP	Mikey S	Always putting in 100%	Max K	Enthusiasm in learning
0EP	Miranda K	Fantastic participation in reading groups	Anna S	Fantastic work
0NH	Mili L	Trying her best in all tasks	Giselle T	Dedication in learning all her letter names and sounds
1BD	Alex B	Well thought-out solution to finish his writing piece	Mitchell B	Great effort with his writing ideas
1JM	Harry H	Excellent work on time	Elza M	Excellent attitude to learning in all areas
1ES	Gabriel B	Excellent focus during writing time	Naseem L	Excellent work in number
2NC	-	-	Basheer M	Showing great initiative to improve his work
2SM	Summer S	Trying hard to improve her writing	-	-
3LR	-	-	Maya S	Being a caring class member
3GO	Charlotte T	Trying her best all the time	Ethan L	Working well in the class
4CC	Nicolas K	Showing great initiative to improve his work	Mason N	Trying hard to complete his work
4EH	-	-	Hugo P	Fantastic effort in Maths
4GC	Max A	Following the correct structure when writing an Information Report	Patrick B	Completing learning tasks with his best effort
5JV	George A	Conscientious student	-	-
5ME	Billy D	Taking responsibility and give 100% effort in tasks	Dhyey S	Outstanding narrative about space
5AH	Neve C		-	-
6NB	Jodi G	Dedication to our school	6NB	Showing resilience and determination
6KS	Zara N	Always working hard	-	-

TEMPLESTOWE VALLEY PRIMARY'S
PRODUCTION OF

Disney
Aladdin
JR.

Music by
Alan Menken

Lyrics by
Howard Ashman, Tim Rice
and Chad Beguelin

Book by
Chad Beguelin

BESSEN CENTRE **AUGUST**
BURWOOD 30th & 31st @ 7pm

Based on the Disney film written by Ron Clements, John Musker, Ted Elliott & Terry Rossio and directed & produced by Ron Clements & John Musker
Licensed exclusively by Music Theatre International (Australasia). All performance materials supplied by Hal Leonard Australia.

Templestowe Valley PS - 2021 - Student Opportunities

Clubs/Activities

Day	Club or Activity	With	When	Who	Where
Monday	Slamin' Tennis Lessons*	Vicky	Lunchtime	Registered students	Undercover area – ½ court
	 Library	Mrs M.	First Half Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Library
	Production Rehearsal	Miss McCormack	Lunchtime	Specific Cast members	Hall or PA Room
	Chess Club** (TBC)	TBC		Registered students	
Tuesday	Kelly Sports Dance*	Louisa	Lunchtime	Registered students	Hall
	Sports & Games	Yr 6 House Leaders	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 2	Undercover area – ½ court
	 Lego Club	Mr Cretney	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Yr 3 & 4 Open Area
	Visual Arts Club	Mrs Bevacqua	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Visual Arts Room
	Shubi Chikara Karate*	Anthony	Evening 6:30 – 7:30pm	Registered students	Hall
Wednes .	Valley Titans Miniball*	Jaime & Emma	Lunchtime	Cheetahs players	Undercover area – ½ court
	 Blues/Jazz Band	Jeremy	Lunchtime	Selected students	Music Room
	Library	Mrs M.	First Half Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Library
	Production Rehearsal	Miss McCormack	Lunchtime	Specific Cast members	Hall or PA Room
	 Sports & Games	Jana & Yara	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 2	Undercover area – ½ court
	Garden Club – Sustainability	Mrs O'Donnell & Mrs Girolami	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Sustainability Garden
Thurs .	Slamin' Tennis Lessons*	Vicky	Before school 8:00 – 8:45am	Registered students	Undercover area
	Valley Titans Miniball*	Liam, Sam & Andy	Lunchtime	Shooting Stars players	Undercover area – ½ court
	 JSC Meeting	Mrs Drew	First Half Lunchtime	JSC Representatives	Mrs Drew's Room
	Writers Club - Senior	Mrs. Hillman	Lunchtime	Years 5 & 6	Yr 5 end of SLC
	Writers Club - Junior	Alison	Lunchtime	Years 2 - 4	Principal's Office
	 Garden Club – Asian Garden	Mrs. Goh	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Asian Garden
	Games Club	Mr Cretney	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Library
	Let's Write Creative Writing*	Sandy	After school 3:45 – 4:45pm	Registered students	Staffroom
Fri.	 Student Leaders' Meeting	Miss Bisas & Miss Shannon	First Half Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Yr 6 end of SLC
	Valley Voices	Michelle	Lunchtime	Prep – Year 6	Music Room
	Production Rehearsal	Miss McCormack	Lunchtime	Specific Cast members	Hall or PA Room
Saturday .	Female Football Fanatics*		9:00 – 11:00am	Registered students	Oval
Every Day	Valley Titans Basketball		After school 3:30 – 4:30pm	Registered players	Basketball Courts

Working with Children Checks

As part of the Templestowe Valley PS commitment to child safety, at their June 3, 2019 meeting, the TVPS School Council endorsed the [Child Safety Policy](#) which included the recommendation that all volunteers and visitors to TVPS be required to hold a current WWCC.



So, from the start of Term 3, 2019, **ALL** volunteers, contractors, visitors, etc. coming into TVPS during school hours, or helping/supervising with out-of-school hours events, such as the Disco, etc. will be required to hold a current [Working with Children Check \(WWCC\)](#).

This will include adults who are attending school to help in the classroom, at the canteen, during an excursion or in-school event, swimming or sport event, etc. – any event that might require them to be in contact with children or working within an area where children might be frequenting without supervision, e.g. the canteen/OSHC rooms.

The requirement does **not** apply to:

- parents/carers or their delegates involved in the pick-up or drop-off of students at school.
- adults who are registered teachers, police officers or part of an allied service. *(Not required to hold a WWCC in addition to the associated Police Check if part of their professional registration.)*

Obtaining a WWCC

- No cost when applied for in a volunteer capacity
- Online applications can be made at:
<https://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/individuals/applicants/how-to-apply>
- *Please nominate Templestowe Valley PS as the place where the volunteer work will occur and we will be sent through an official copy of your card.*

TVPS WWCC Register

- A register of volunteers with a current WWCC will be maintained at TVPS
- Current WWCC registration - please check at the TVPS Office to see if a copy is on file and you are on the register
- New applicants:
 - If volunteers nominate TVPS on their application form, TVPS will automatically receive a copy of their WWCC card when issued
 - If not, then volunteers are asked to take their valid WWCC card to the school Office where a copy will be made and included in the register

Questions:

- Answers to General and FAQ can be found at <https://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/>
- Relating specifically to Templestowe Valley PS, please contact the school Office: either by phone on #8850 5777 or email: templestowe.valley.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au



MACEDON BLUES
UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB

SOCCER FOR CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS

Saturdays, 10.30-11.20am
Doncaster East Secondary College,
20 George St

Ages 6-18, \$100 per term
E: contact@macedonbluesunitedfc.com.au
M: 0421 415 223
W: macedonbluesunitedfc.com.au



COMMUNITY GRANTS | MANNINGHAM

This program is supported by Manningham City Council's Community Grant Program

POKER NIGHT!

Raising funds for Broken Crayons Still Colour Foundation
- for Victims of Domestic & Family Violence

WHERE: Rosanna Golf Club
54 Cleveland Avenue, Lower Plenty

WHEN: Friday 23rd July @ 7pm

Over \$2,000 in prizes to be won!
Final 9 all win prizes including:
1st: Private Poker game
2nd: Poker Table and Chip Set
3rd: Android Tablet
4th: 2x Gold Class Movie Tickets

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