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The teaching and learning pedagogy at Cranbourne Primary School is developed on a

RECIPE (Relevant Engaging Challenging Innovative Personalized Enjoyable)

based curriculum that supports the members of the school community to develop intrinsic

PRIDE (Persistence Responsibility Independence Discipline Enthusiasm) *in their learning.*

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20th March 2019

CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS



Month of March

19th-25th March

Life Ed Van

Friday, 22nd March

Scholastic Book Club
orders due

Monday, 25th March

School Council AGM

Wednesday, 27th March

School Cross Country

Friday, 5th April

3:15 Finish

End of Term 1

Tuesday, 23rd April

Term 2 begins - 8:50 am

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

The events that unfolded last week in New Zealand have impacted people around the world. How can we be united to prevent this from happening again?

Teaching children to have a 'peace' mindset begins **early**. CPS students participated in activities last week to educate them to 'take a stand against bullying.' We teach respect through a program called 'Respectful Relationships'. Our PRIDE values that promote peace are; patience, respect, integrity, discipline and ethics. Next term we will be celebrating Harmony Day. It is our responsibility as a community to educate our children to ensure a peaceful future. How do you promote these values at home?



Quote of the Week

Let's work together to 'Teach Peace'.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR MARCH BABIES!

Mary L
Josh B
Mehria R
Ha V
Udan L
Monty M
Fariba N
Lampstand M

*Happy Birthday to
those students who
are celebrating
their special day!*



Stars of the Week

These students have demonstrated intrinsic
PRIDE (**P**ersistence, **R**esponsibility,
Independence, **D**iscipline, **E**nthusiasm)

Learning Community	Home Group	Student
FOUNDATION	FA	Nathaniel M
	FB	Tahlia R
	FC	Rayhana S
JUNIOR	JA	Rishik S
	JB	Joban P
	JC	Shanvi G
	JD	Abhi
	JE	Marcus O
MIDDLE	MA	Henil
	MB	Dora
	MC	Mansoor A
	MD	Tehaamaru
SENIOR	SA	Danish
	SB	Tai
	SC	Maali A
	SD	Amelia
ICT	JE	Marcus O
MUSIC	SA	Ali B
ART	MB	Siena N
PE	FC	Mackenzie E
Ms Whittle	JA	Rishik S
Mrs Bloomfield	SA	Mia C
Mr Clydesdale	SA	Nasrin
Mrs Fernand	FB	Tristan H
Principal	SC	Vena N

FROM THE OFFICE

You should have received a statement yesterday or today asking you to come to the Office if you have a Healthcare or Pension Card and haven't received/applied for CSEF. Anyone who applied with our school last year and still has a valid card need not apply again. The school has applied on your behalf and the payment has come through. If you believe you should have received CSEF but haven't, please come to the office ASAP so we can apply for you.

CPS BANK DETAILS

BSB 013 593

Account Number
499102494

*Please put your
child's name in the
subject line.*

Curriculum

We often focus on Reading as the main homework for students in primary school. Writing is also something you can help with, just by doing some of the following activities with your children:

- Write a shopping list
- Keep a board to write and read family messages/reminders
- Give your child a pad of sticky notes to write reminders for themselves
- Plan and write the family weekly menu together
- Write captions/titles for family photographs in albums
- Write labels and descriptions for your child's art works and creations
- Make words using magnetic letters and display on the fridge
- Make and write greeting cards, birthday cards, thank you notes and letters to family members
- Keep a family calendar on display and record family events/special occasions

Writing for a purpose and an audience is an important component to learning/improving to write.

Dí Fernand

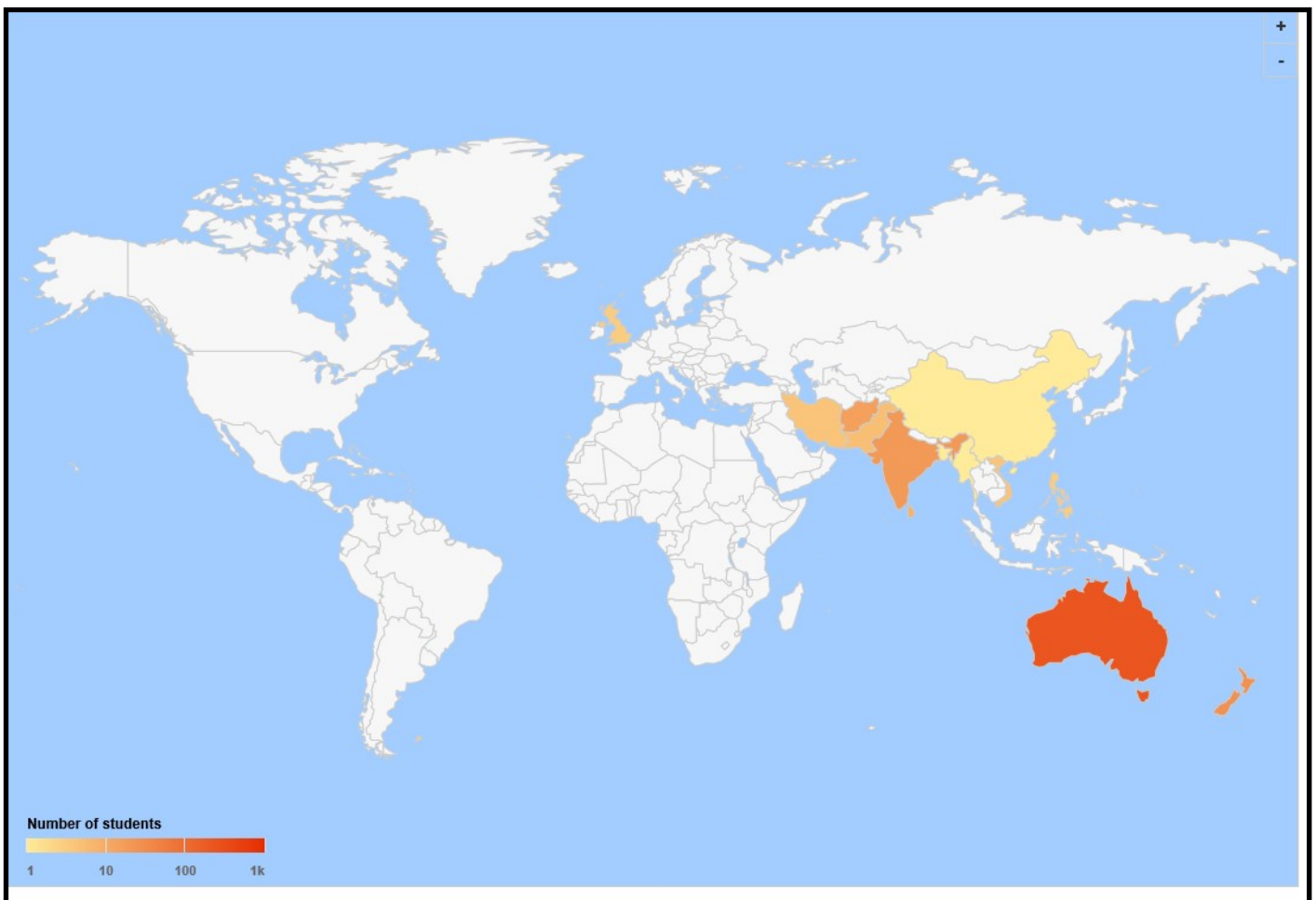
Assistant Principal



Celebrating our community diversity

The map below highlights the backgrounds of the families at our school.

We are proud of the cultural diversity represented at our school.



Our students' places of birth include; Australia, India, Afghanistan, New Zealand, Samoa, Sri Lanka, Cambodia, Sudan, Philippines, Cook Islands. The languages spoken at home include; English, Russian, Dari, Persian, Hazaraghi, Arabic, Turkish, Malayalam, Tamil, Telugu, Bengali, Gujarati, Hindi, Konkani, Marathi, Punjabi, Sinhalese, Burmese, Khmer, Vietnamese, Cebuano, Tagalog, Filipino, Chinese, Mandarin, Wu, Nuer, Japanese, Rundi, Samoan, Auslan

C.P.S 2019

WELLBEING NEWS

Monday 18th our student leaders participated in the Halogen National Young Leaders Day. Throughout the day, students participated in an interactive session with a guest speaker focusing on strategies and tips on how to improve student leadership skills. Speakers included Leisel Jones, Tim Diamond and Cal Wilson. The students had a fantastic day and obtained some fantastic lifelong skills.



C.P.S 2019

WELLBEING NEWS

Friday 15th march Cranbourne Primary School joined schools across Australia in taking a stand against Bullying! Students were exposed to a number of activities aimed to increase their awareness around bullying and what they can do to help others. All students signed a pledge that is now displayed in all classrooms. Once students signed their pledge to take a stand, they were provided with a wrist band that symbolises our whole school approach to this behaviour.



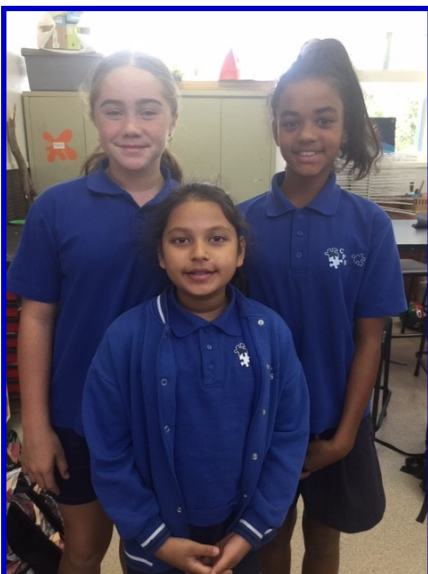
‘I Sea, I Care’

Dolphin research Foundation

Thank you to everyone who has supported our request to use refillable bottles instead of single use bottles

We conducted a survey this week of our school.

- ⇒ 45 % of Preps had refillable bottles
- ⇒ 55 % of Juniors had refillable bottles
- ⇒ 41 % of Middles had refillable bottles
- ⇒ 47 % of seniors had refillable bottles
- ⇒ 100 % of Staff had refillable bottles. This is 47.7% of our school have refillable bottles.



We would like all of our students to have their own refillable bottle by the end of Term 1.

Thank you for your support—

“Together we can make a difference”

Taylah, Aastha, Valentine

‘I Sea, I Care’ ambassadors





School Cross Country

- Who:** Students in grades 3 – 6
- When:** Wednesday 27thst March
Races begin at 11:40am
Races will finish by 1.25pm
- Where:** CPS School Oval
- What to wear:** House Colour clothing + runners. (students can wear their house colour clothing for the entire day of the event)
(Blue – Childers, Red - Bakewell, Green - Russell, Yellow - Cameron)

Looking forward to seeing all middle and senior students in their bright house colours next week and hope see everyone's BEST EFFORTS 😊

Ms Gramc

“Woof! Don’t forget me.”



**School
Banking
day is
Thursday**

GET CUT @ Community Cuts



FREE
haircuts!

- Everyone welcome
- Top stylists from the Industry
- BBQ & drinks fundraiser

Sunday, March 24, 2019

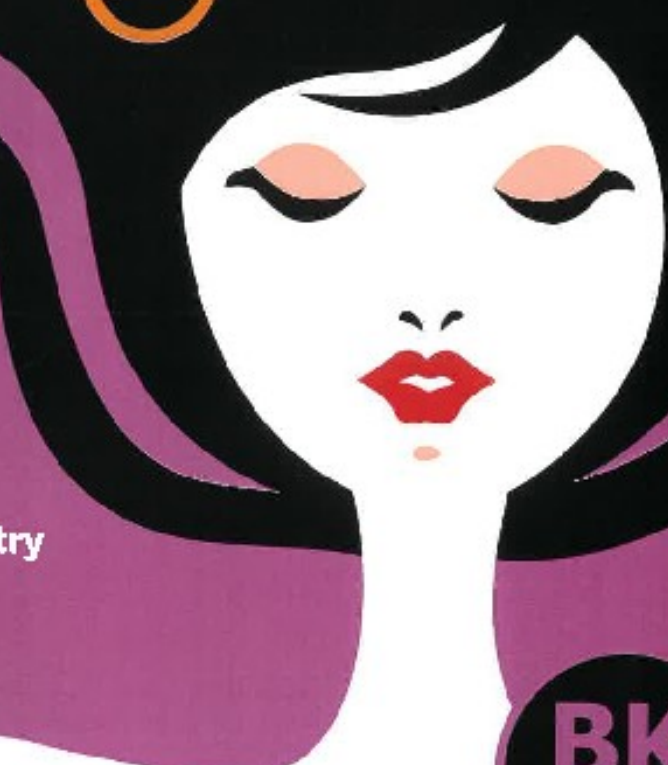
9 am - 4 pm

Vogue Academy
1 Malcolm Court
Narre Warren

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HARMONY DAY

On Wednesday the 3rd April 2019, Cranbourne Primary School will be participating in Harmony Day.

Harmony Day is a special day where we will be celebrating Australia's multicultural diversity. The students will participate in activities that will teach them all about inclusion of people from different cultures.

Stomp Dance Company will be coming to the school and conducting a workshop with each of the Learning Communities. During this workshop the students will learn a full dance routine suited to their age group. These routines will then be presented to the whole school in a concert from 2.30pm. Parents are invited to attend.

As part of Harmony Day, the students will be creating a Class Museum. All students are asked to bring an item, or a photo of an item to school where they will present it to the class and discuss the meaning behind it and how it relates to their family or culture.

Orange is the official colour of Harmony Day, therefore students are invited to wear an item of clothing that is orange or their school uniform.





Casey Academy Homework Club

Free club!

The Community Support Group and City of Casey have worked together to create a homework club at Selandra Community Hub.

The Casey Academy Homework Club gives South Sudanese young people in Years 3 – 12 a space to learn, enhance their literacy skills, develop relationships and call it their own.

Starting on Saturday 16 March, 10am – 11.30am
Selandra Community Hub, 7-9 Selandra Blvd, Clyde North

Parents should register with Dandenong CSG Team at 199 Lonsdale Street, Dandenong.

For enquiries & to register, please contact:

Tempest Alphonse, Multicultural Youth Worker: 0417 103 980

Proudly supported by City of Casey



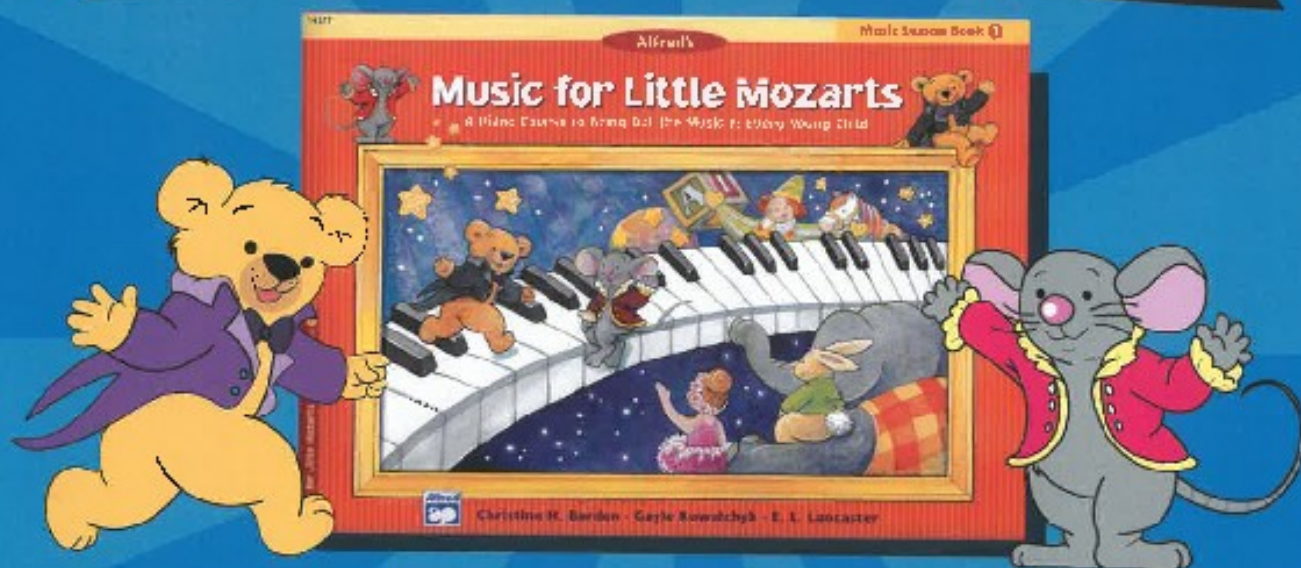


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- Annual Evening Concert (this is loads of fun!)
- End Of Year Certificate

HOW DOES IT WORK?

All music lessons are conducted at the school and within school hours. After hours lessons do apply to selected schools.

HOW LONG ARE THE LESSONS?

30 minutes.

HOW DO I ENROL?

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Hurry, as places are filling fast!

To avoid disappointment, enrolment forms
need to be lodged today.





Moonlit Sanctuary Keeper Club

Kids enjoy environmental activities, animal encounters and native animal care.

Day includes: interactions with dingo, python, off-limits animals, feeding animals & food prep, animal enrichment activities. Learn about our animals, their conservation and the environment. For ages 7-14 years.

Autumn 2019 school holiday dates:

- Week 1: 8 April, 9 April, 10 April, 11 April, 12 April
- Week 2: 15 April, 16 April, 17 April, 18 April

Cost: \$80.00 per day, or \$220 for 3 days (pro rata for additional days).

Maximum 16 children per day.

Bookings essential as spaces are limited

Dress for the weather and wear closed-toe shoes, long pants and remember your hat or raincoat. BYO lunch or purchase at the café.

Moonlit Sanctuary

550 Tyabb-Tooradin Rd, Pearcedale

Phone 5978 7935

Web: www.moonlitsanctuary.com.au

Open daily between 10am and 5pm



Moonlit Sanctuary KEEPER CLUB

Go wild these school holidays!

If you have some junior wildlife lovers looking for fun over the holidays, check out our Keepers Club holiday program.

In a day full of fun hands-on activities, they will get up close to many animals including dingos and pythons and learn how their keepers work to keep them happy and healthy.

Places are limited so book early and make your junior keeper's day!

For ages 7-14. Cost: \$80



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What is the Academic Excellence Program?

Cranbourne Secondary College has a long and proud history as the school of choice in the Cranbourne community. We understand that students have a range of abilities and our teachers have the experience and training to accommodate the specific needs of every student. Our VCE results have historically been strong and reflect the high standard of teaching and education required to maximise student potential and performance.

Our College has a culture of continual self-improvement and it is with this in mind that we introduce our new "Academic Excellence Program". The aim of the program is to place the students who are ready for a greater level of challenge in an environment with like-minded others so that they are suitably challenged to achieve the best possible outcomes. We understand that high achievers are intensely curious, highly alert, have great concentration and they are very imaginative and creative. The Academic Excellence Program accommodates these abilities and promotes outstanding outcomes from all learners in such a program.

CRANBOURNE SECONDARY COLLEGE



Important Dates

College Open Night Tuesday 20th April 2019 - 7.00pm

Academic Excellence Program Registration Closes Wednesday 1st May 2019

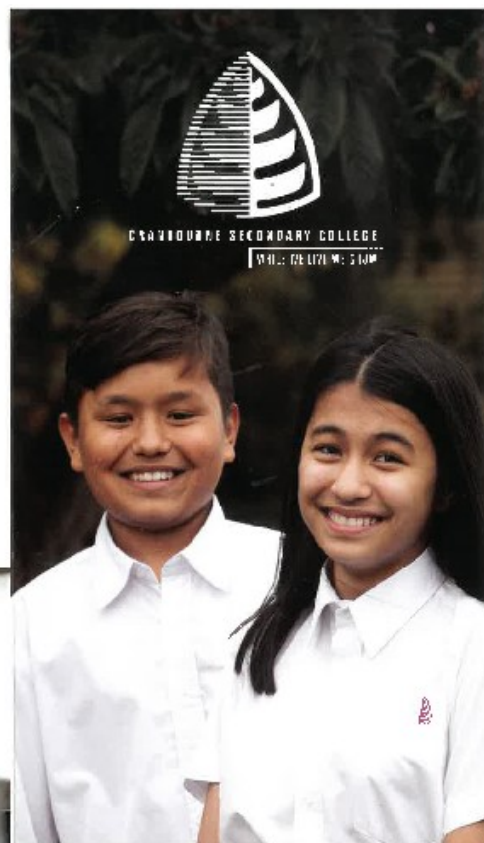
Academic Excellence Program Entrance Exams Friday 3rd May - 9.00am - 12.00pm

School Interview Between Wednesday 15th May - Wednesday 22nd May 2019



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ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PROGRAM

For students commencing Year 7 in 2020

Academic Excellence Program

Key features of the program include

- \$250 bursary for every successful applicant in the Year 7 program
- Students are challenged with work that is well above their expected age appropriate levels
- Students will undertake learning through authentic intellectual pursuits such as excursions, real life problems and current issues as well as a variety of competitions
- Students will have access to accelerated VCE subjects in Year 10, and also access university subjects
- A curriculum that promotes problem solving and deep thinking where students can synthesise knowledge to enable greater understanding
- Student placement in the program is reviewed on a case-by-case basis to ensure that students maximise their learning opportunities

For more information please contact:
Greta Burns
Academic Excellence Program Coordinator
Phone: 5996 2544

A program where participants experience deep learning in an environment that extends, challenges and unlocks their full potential.

Cranbourne Secondary College are proud to introduce an Academic Excellence Program for students commencing Year 7 in 2020.

Program Application

Students applying for the Academic Excellence Program are required to undertake an examination administered by Edutest. An interview with the school panel to support your child's application will also be required. Every successful applicant will receive a bursary worth \$250 towards their educational fees.

Application Form

Applications must be completed online, with payment to Edutest via a secure site. A link is available on our college website: www.cranbournesc.vic.edu.au

Application Fee

The application fee of \$50 (including GST) is payable online.

Closing Date

The closing date for applications is Wednesday May 1st 2019.

Examination Date

The examination will be held on: **Friday 3rd May 2019.**

The examination commences at 9.00am (students will need to be at Cranbourne Secondary College by 8.45am). Students are free to be collected from 12.15pm.



What to Bring

Students should bring two 2B or 4B pencils and a pencil sharpener, two blue or black pens and an eraser in a clear plastic pencil case or plastic bag. Calculators, mobile phones, programmable watches and liquid paper are not permitted. Students should bring a mid-morning snack and a bottle of water will be provided by the school on the day.

Educational Profile to Parents

After the examination, parents will receive an individual profile that reports their child's performance in each exam.

Interviews

Further to the examination, applicants will be required to attend an interview to further support their application. Students are highly encouraged to bring a copy of their most recent school report.

Registration/Application

The registration process for scholarships must be completed online. There will be an opportunity while registering to purchase sample questions online. A link will be published on the school's website when registration opens.