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.

### CALENDAR

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Wednesday 3rd August**
- Whole School Movie Night

**Friday 5th August**
- Whole School CPS Olympics-Dress in House Colours!

**Wednesday, 10th August**
- $25 due for Foundation & Junior Jurassic Excursion by 4.00pm

**Wednesday, 17th August**
- Balance of Senior Camp Due by 4.00pm

**Monday, 22nd to Wednesday, 24th August**
- Senior Camp

#### PRINCIPAL’S NEWS

We are looking forward to sharing the upcoming events with families — ‘movie night’ tonight and ‘Cranbourne Olympics’ this Friday. Our community engagement committee have been working diligently to set up these wonderful events to provide opportunities for our students and families to ‘get involved’.

The movies will be held in the main building (check signs for which area to go to—allocation will be based on your child/ren’s house—Bakewell, Cameron, Childers, Russell). Doors will open at 4.45pm to allow for families to get organised and be settled for a **prompt 5.00pm start**. Please remember to BYO bean bag or picnic rug.

Friday’s event has been arranged as an introduction for our students to the upcoming Olympics, which commence on August 6th in Rio.

The Olympics is only held once every four years. The best athletes from around the world come together to compete in track and field events. The opening ceremony will be broadcast from 6.00am on Saturday August 6th. This is usually a spectacular event and often covers the history of the Olympics and/or the country who is hosting the event. Students will be involved in many discussions and learning activities about the Olympics over the next fortnight so any conversations or viewing you can have together at home will be advantageous to your child/ren’s learning.

**Quote of the Week**

‘If you don’t have confidence, you will always find a way not to win’

-Carl Lewis
HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR AUGUST BABIES!

Happy Birthday to those students who are celebrating their special day

HAYDEN J
JAYDE M
SHARUSHI D
JAI A
HINDUJAA S

Stars of the Week

These students have demonstrated intrinsic PRIDE (PERSISTENCE, RESPONSIBILITY, INDEPENDENCE, DISCIPLINE, ENTHUSIASM) in their learning:

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From the Office

Medication

If your child is on medication that is to be taken 3 times a day please administer before school, at the end of school and at bed time. There is no need for them to be medicated at school. This helps alleviate you having to remember to pick up the medication at the end of the day.

Thank you to the parents who have paid the Essential Items in full and those that are making part payments. Remember you can make a direct deposit to the school account using the details provided below our birthdays.

CPS Bank Details

BSB 013 593
Account Number 499102494
Please put your child's name in the subject line.

Happy Birthday to those students who are celebrating their special day

Our Chemical Science Units of Investigation are drawing to a close this week, so students will now be starting to investigate “The Olympics”.

The opening ceremony will be broadcast this weekend, and events and highlights will be televised over the next few weeks.

I encourage you to watch and discuss some of the sports and events with your child, as this will give them some background for discussions and learning activities that will be taking place at school.

Learning associated with The Olympics may cover History and Geography related to the Games and the countries that participate, as well as being integrated into other curriculum areas, such as English, Maths, Art, Phys. Ed and ICT.

Di Fernand
Assistant Principal
For the past 4 weeks we have been looking at Chemical Science. We have been having lots of fun making jelly, playdough, spaghetti towers, popcorn and melting ice. We have discovered what solids, liquids and gases are. We have also looked at what an irreversible change is and what heat does to change the state of an object.
Professional Development
Behaviour as a form of communication

Promoting positive behaviour by understanding communication and responding appropriately.

Do you want to learn more about behaviour?
Do you work with children whose behaviours sometime concern or confuse you?
In this seminar you will learn how to unpack what a child may be communicating through their behaviour and how to provide positive behavioural supports.

When:
Thursday 18th August 2016

Time:
6.30pm – 8.30pm (registration from 6.15pm)

Location:
Toomah Community Centre
18 Golden Green Street, Pakenham 3810

Cost:
Free for Windermere families and $50 for professionals and other families.
Please note this session may be cancelled if minimum numbers are not reached.

Places are limited so bookings are essential.
To book contact Deepti 9709 6900 or ECDS@windermere.org.au
When kids bend the truth

By Michael Grose

As a rule of thumb, step back and try to identify the purpose of a child’s untruths. This indicates to parents how they should deal with the behaviour.

Children often bend the truth to suit themselves. They sometimes tell fibs to escape punishment or avoid being caught when misbehaviour occurs. Some kids fantasise about their exploits to make themselves appear bigger, more daring or more exciting than they really are. These children often think that they are not much good and so invent a few tales to make themselves seem more interesting. Of course, some children fantasise purely because it is fun to stretch the truth a little. It is more fun to run away from ‘a ferocious man-eating tiger’ than be scared of the next-door neighbour’s moggie.

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Escaping negative consequences

Eight-year-old Pamela spilt a container of milk on the kitchen floor. She panicked, replaced the empty container in the refrigerator and went off to her bedroom to read. When her mother saw the mess, she asked Pamela if she knew what had happened. The child denied any knowledge of it. ‘What milk do you mean, Mum?’ said Pamela, with an innocent look on her face. Her mother, knowing immediately that her daughter was responsible, asked her to help to clean up the mess. Avoiding a scene, she made sure that her daughter didn’t escape the consequence of cleaning up the mess that she had made.
A matter of trust

Thirteen-year-old Britta was refused permission to visit an older friend after school, as her mother thought the friend unsuitable company for her daughter. Resenting her mother’s interference Britta frequently visited her older friend. When her mother asked her where she was going after school she would lie and tell her that she was visiting a friend that her mother approved of. Eventually her mother found out through an acquaintance that Britta had been lying to her about her visits. She confronted her daughter with the truth. Her mother dealt with the matter of the illicit visits. She was not permitted to go out after school for two weeks. This was an appropriate consequence that matched the misbehaviour. She dealt with the matter of lying separately; pointing out that it was difficult to trust her daughter when she didn’t tell the truth.

Fantasising

Some children continually exaggerate to make everything appear bigger or better than in real life. In this way they appear more exciting or interesting than they think they are. This is a sign of discouragement. It is best to go along with these children’s tales, although you should let them know that you are aware of the truth without bursting their bubble. It is fine to exaggerate, but they should never be too far away from reality. Persistent fantasisers often need plenty of encouragement. Let them know that they are OK as they are. Fantasising and telling tall tales may be fun but they don’t need to fantasise to build themselves up. Youngest children in the family often tell whoppers in an effort to make themselves seem important in the eyes of older siblings.

Imaginary friends

Some children will use imaginary friends to avoid doing things they don’t want to do. ‘Mr. Bear says I don’t have to go bed.’ If it only happens once in a while then it’s a bit of fun. It can become wearing if it’s a continuous avoidance strategy. If that’s the case, try the direct approach. ‘Mr. Bear could be right. But I’m your mum and I know it’s bedtime. Mr. Bear can join you if he likes.’

Don’t overreact

Be careful not to overreact when children tell lies. It is better to recognise the child’s goal and act in a way that prevents the behaviour from achieving its purpose. There is little point moralising about the evils of lying. Children know that they should be good; they don’t need to be reminded all the time. Children will continue behaviours that serve a purpose, regardless of whether the actions are morally good or bad. It is more useful to ensure that lying doesn’t achieve its goal and to encourage children at every conceivable occasion.
CRANBOURNE MEADOWS CRICKET CLUB
REGISTRATION DAY

Saturday 20th August
11:30 - 1:30
Lawson Poole Reserve
- Registration
- Free sausage sizzle!!
Seniors & Juniors welcome

For further info please contact Shaun Matthews 0414 921 049
cmccrebels@club.cricketvictoria.com.au
http://cranbournemeadowsscc.org.au
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WE HAVE NEW TRADING HOURS

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1st to 6th AUGUST 2016

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