



“Big enough for opportunity,  
small enough to care.”

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## Newsletter Term 2 - April 2024 Issue 3

*Children are supervised between the hours of 8:30am and 3:45pm within the school grounds.*

### Word from the Principal

Wunman Njinde

Welcome Back everyone!

It is wonderful to see all our families and children again. The children have settled into their classroom learning beautifully. The year 6 children are ecstatic, for on the first day back their Year 6 T shirts arrived.

All student designed a t-shirt and then the students voted on the t shirt they preferred. Alla's design won. Alla linked the design to her Mob the Yorta Yorta and Gunai Kurnai peoples.

Please see photos, the t-shirt are beautiful.

We are looking forward to an exciting fun filled term of learning.

Week one: Five-day Swimming Program at Kemp

FUN DAY MONDAY is back:

- 9:15 – 10:00 Assembly, all welcome
- 10:00 – 11:00 Buddy Reading. If our families would like to join us in the library you are all most welcome, this will help promote a community of lifelong readers. Reading is FUN together and creates a love for reading.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kjHqJQ8sxs4>
- Bike Education & Health
- STEM  
Junior: External Features of Living Things,  
Middles: Lifecycles  
Seniors: Adapting to Survive
- MARC Van

## CALENDAR

### TERM 2—11 weeks

#### APRIL

Thur 18th	Swimming program
Fri 19th	Swimming program
Tue 23th	Yr 7 2025 Sale College tour 4pm
Thur 25	ANZAC day public holiday

#### MAY

Mon 13th	Sale Rurals Cross Country Yr 3-6
Thur 30th	School photo day

#### JUNE

Tues 4th	Yr 7 2025 Sale College transition
5th-7th	3/4 Camp Woorabinda
Mon 10th	Kings Birthday public holiday
Fri 28th	Last day term 2

### TERM 3 - 10 weeks

#### JULY

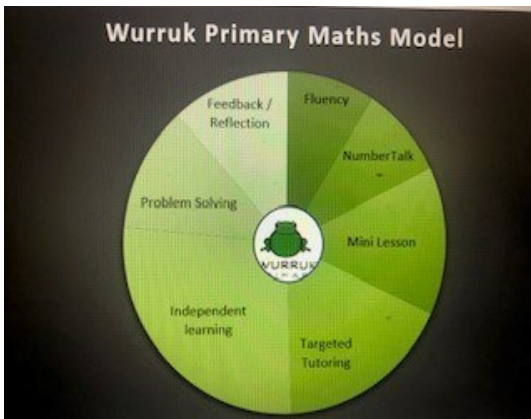
Monday 15th - First day term 3

## Literacy:

- Readers and Writers' Workshops
- Mentor text Bowerbird Blues
- Book clubs
- LLI tutoring groups
- Tutoring groups with Mrs Swarbrick
- Spelling Mastery and Synthetic Systematic Phonics.
- Marc Van
- Buddy Reading

## Numeracy:

- New instructional model



- Following the Top Ten Maths program
- Running an AFL project
- Focusing on Addition and subtraction
- Maths tutoring groups

## RRRR:

- Emotional and Social Wellbeing.
- Zones of Regulation.



## Art:

- WILD at ART
- Australian Conservation Foundation
- Threatened Species Art Competition for Kids

[Wild At Art: threatened species art competition for kids - Australian Conservation Foundation \(acf.org.au\)](https://www.wildatart.com.au/)

## Cultural Language Perspective (CLP):

- Places of significance on country
- Staring with the Gippsland lakes

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sv0TBm-Q1bQ>

## Kitchen Garden:

- First week is focusing on a health Breakfast.
- Based of the Stephanie Alexander program

<https://www.stephaniealexander.com.au/>

Kirraley and Russell volunteer their time to keep our gardens fully maintained to support this wonderful program. Thank you.

I would like to reflect on the end of term before I sign off.

We had a 'FROGS' Values hunt where the children jumped into pairs and searched the school for chocolate FROGS. The aim was to spell the word FROGS together and share the chocolate evenly stating what value your partner showed at school that term.

Our Share our Learning BBQ Day was a fabulous success.

The children's performances were superb starting with the whole school Footloose dance, Juniors: Drumbeats, Seniors: Boot Scooting Boogie dance and Middles; kids alive do the five.

The grand opening of the toilets was a hit, thank you Phayton

Our children loved becoming the teachers for the day, sharing their learning:

Numeracy: Maths Games

race to 100

tower of terror

& T twenty

Literacy: Verdi deep dive into text.

Brain break drumming: With pool noddles

STEM in the stadium: Recycling and bubble blowing

Whole School Assembly games: working as a team.

Thank you all for making Wurruk Primary School a wonderful place to be.

*Gaige Coleman*



*Every student will learn, achieve and succeed*

For more information visit our website:

[www.salecollege.vic.edu.au](http://www.salecollege.vic.edu.au)

Or phone 51443711 or 51441711

**Macalister Campus:**

Corner of York and Macalister Street Sale

**Guthridge Campus:**

279-295 Guthridge Parade Sale



## Year 7 2025 School Tour

Sale College invites all prospective families who were unable to attend the Information Night last term to a School Tour of the Guthridge Campus on **Tuesday 23rd April at 4pm.**



## 2024 Camps

3/4 Camp Woorabinda Camp 5—7 June 2024

5/6 Melbourne Doxa Camp 31 July—2 August 2024

# Share our learning term 1



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# FROGS value hunt





# Year 6 tops





# Swimming







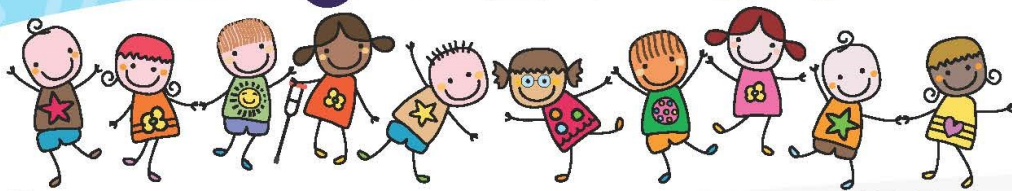
WELLINGTON SHIRE COUNCIL'S **NEW**

# KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

*Kindergarten registrations and expressions of interest can now be made through Council's NEW Kindergarten Central Registration Service.*

Register  
between  
1 May - 30 June  
each year  
or lodge an EOI  
anytime.

Scan the  
QR code



# KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

## When should I register my child for kindergarten?

If your child is turning three or four years old before 30 April, they can be registered for 3 or 4 year old kindergarten.



You can complete an **Expression of Interest** any time before your child is due to start kindergarten, we will notify you when it's time to complete a registration for 3 or 4-year-old kindergarten.

Lodge an EOI online for free.

If your child is old enough for 3 or 4 year old kindergarten, make sure you apply using Council's **Kindergarten Central Registration Service** between 1 May and 30 June to be eligible for first round offers.

Online registration is free.

Complete an online Expression of Interest Form or Registration Form at [www.wellington.vic.gov.au/earlyyears](http://www.wellington.vic.gov.au/earlyyears), or contact us for assistance on 1300 366 244 or [earlyyears@wellington.vic.gov.au](mailto:earlyyears@wellington.vic.gov.au)

**Our Early Years team is here to help!**

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