



# SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 4, 4th of August

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Creswick Primary School's Vision is to create a respectful and welcoming environment where parents, teachers and community members nurture students to achieve their best on an academic, social and emotional level.

## CALENDAR

Monday 14th August

Curriculum Day — Pupil Free Day

Saturday 19th to Friday 25th August

Book Week

## *From the Principal's Desk*

Dear Families,

We have had a busy two weeks again here at school. Students have been participating in many learning activities and extracurricular activities, such as the Fire Awareness sessions. It is great to see the oval back in action during recess and lunch, even if it is still a bit muddy!

### **Before and After School Supervision**

Student supervision is very important to us here at Creswick. Please remember that school supervision starts at 8.45 am. Students can attend Breakfast Club on Tuesday and Friday mornings in the Multi-Purpose Room from 8.15 or attend our before and after school care program, Extend outside of this time. For more information, see our Supervision Policy on our website.

### **2024 Enrolment Reminder**

We look forward to meeting all of the new Prep students in our school very soon. Enrolments are open, and if you know anyone in the community enrolling at Creswick Primary School in 2024, remind them to get their form into the school office. If anyone would like a school tour, please contact the office on 5345 2044 to arrange a time.

### **Student Led Conferences**

Thursday saw our students and families coming together to celebrate learning with our student-led conferences. It was wonderful to see so many families involved and students proudly sharing their work.

### **Multi-Age Day**

On Friday, students participate in a Multi-Age Day for National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day. Students will be working in their house groupings and engaging in various activities. These include cooking, Totem/Rock Painting, Artefacts and Dance Sessions supported by BADAC and Bush Toys and Bracelets.

### **New Lunch Order Provider**

Very soon we will be sending out details of our new lunch ordering system. S and P Catering will be doing our lunch orders. They provide lunch orders for 17 schools in Ballarat and surrounding suburbs. Ordering is all done online through the QuickCliq website. Lunch orders will be on Wednesdays. We will send out further information via Compass, including the starting date.

Thank you, and have a nice week.

Helen

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The Values Winners have demonstrated our School Values

# Winners

- Personal Best
- Safety
- Respect
- Resilience

Term 3, Week 2



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# INDONESIAN NEWS

We have had a very busy start to the term in Indonesian! Across the year levels we are learning colours, questions and answers about feelings, name and age; and greetings for the different times of the day. To answer the roll this term, students are answering a multiple choice question in Indonesian. Our first question related to which fruit they prefer. I asked Kamu lebih suka buah apa? Apel, Stroberi, Jeruk atau Mangga? To which the students replied Saya lebih suka buah..... (insert preferred fruit here!). They are doing a fantastic job answering my questions so far, lots of students love Apel (apples) and Stroberi (strawberries). Not many students preferred Jeruk (oranges) or Mangga (mangoes).

In the Junior Unit students have just finished asking each other Apa Kabar? How are you? They can answer with three responses – Baik baik saja, Biasa saja and Kurang baik, meaning Good, OK, and not so good. We wrote these feelings on cards that we could use to react to some fantastic stories about a topsy turvy day that we also wrote in pairs.

We shared these with each other and had a laugh hearing about yummy breakfasts (Baik baik saja), annoying siblings (kurang baik) and plates of vegies for tea (biasa saja). It was fun to see all the different reactions to the topsy turvy days.

Below is a photo of 1/2B with their feelings cards!

Sampai Jumpa!

Mrs Egan (Bu Egan)

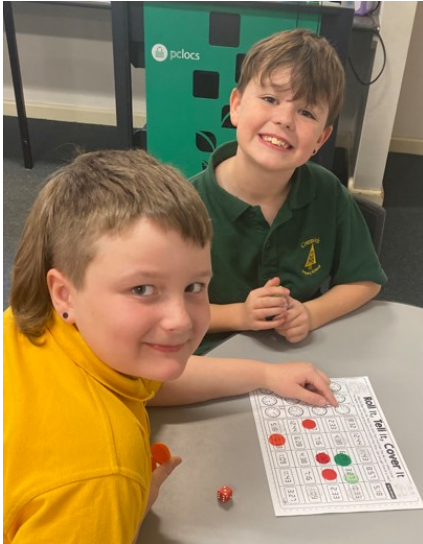


# PARKING REMINDER

Please ensure you are respecting this designated parking space and ensure you display your disability parking permit when using it. We also ask that parents avoid parking in the yellow section, so our double gates are not blocked off.

Thank you!

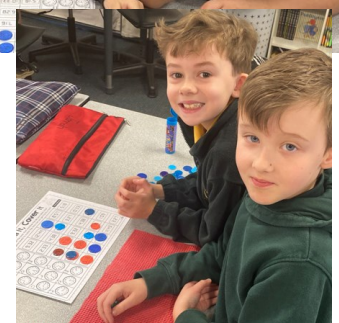
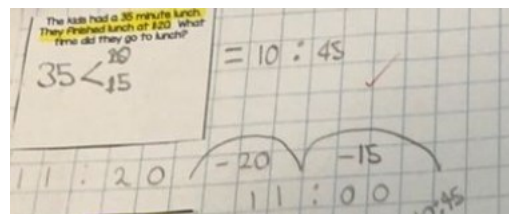
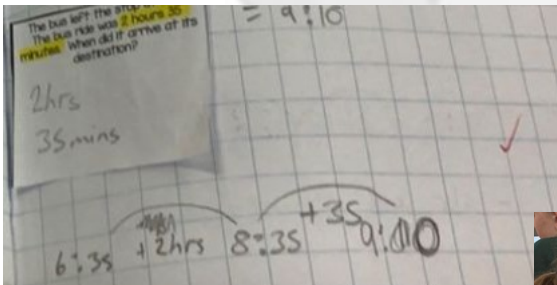




Seconds in a minute?	60 secs ✓	How many weeks in a year?	52 weeks ✓
Minutes in an hour?	60 mins ✓	How many days in a year?	365 day ✓
Hours in a day?	24 Hours ✓	How many days in a leap year?	
How many days in a week?	7 days ✓	How many hours in a day?	
How many years in a decade?	10 years ✓	How many months in a year?	
How many years in a century?	100 years ✓	How often does a leap year occur?	
How many days in September?	30 days ✓	What month does a leap year occur?	
How many days in March?	31 days ✓	How many days in January?	
Challenge... These questions require you to work them out using one of the four operations (x - + or divide)			
How many minutes in 2 hours?	✓ 120 mins <del>2x60</del>	How many minutes in ¼ a day?	
How many hours in 3 days?	✓ 72 Hours 24x3	How many hours in 2 days?	
How many seconds in 3 minutes?	✓ 180 secs = 3x60	How many seconds in 3 minutes?	
How many years is 3 decades?	✓ 30 years = 3x10	How many years in 5 decades?	
Create your own for a friend to solve... How many = 11 days in with time			

# Maths in 3/4

During maths, students in Year 3/4 have been working on telling time to the minute, comparing elapsed times, identifying units of time and converting between units. It has been a busy start to the term but lots of learning has taken place!



# Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

## Aiden

**School Roles/Responsibilities:** Hands on Learning

**Family Members:** Mum, Reilly, Dad, Grandma

**Education:** Black Hill + CPS

**Favourite Colour:** Red/Green

**Favourite Number:** 12

**Favourite Food:** Parma

**Favourite Drink:** Water



**Favourite Artist/Music Group:** Zach Bryan

**Things I Like To Do:** Footy/Harvest

**Favourite AFL/Sports Team:** Cats



# Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

## Beau

**Family Members:** Mum, Dad, Bella

**Education:** CPS

**Favourite Colour:** Red

**Favourite Food:** Pizza

**Favourite Drink:** Lemonade

**Favourite Book:** Graphic Novels

**Favourite Holiday Destination:**

Loveday 4 x 4 Adventure park SA

**Favourite Artist/Music Group:**

Snoop Dogg and Michael Jackson

**Things I Like To Do:** Ride my Motorbike, Cruising in the Range Rover

**Favourite AFL/Sports Team:** Collingwood

**Most Exciting Time of My Life:** When we picked up the Range Rover

**Advice I have for New Preps:** Do your best.

**My Goals for 2023:**

Become Ripped!



# Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

## Makayla

**Education:** Colac Primary + CPS

**Favourite Colour:** Blue

**Favourite TV Show:** Total

Drama Island

**Favourite Food:** Pizza

**Favourite Drink:** Water

**Favourite Book:** A Girl Called Corpis

**Favourite Movie:** Onward

**Favourite Holiday Destination:** Jamo

**Favourite Artist/Music Group:** Katy Perry

**Things I Like To Do:** Relax in Bed

**Favourite AFL/Sports Team:** Geelong Cats

**Most Exciting Time of My Life:** Getting a Phone

**People I Admire the Most:** My Mum and Sister

**Advice I have for New Preps:** Try your best and settle in.

**My Goals for 2023:** To know all of my time tables.



### Multiplication Tables

1 times table	2 times table	3 times table	4 times table	5 times table	6 times table
1x1=1	1x2=2	1x3=3	1x4=4	1x5=5	1x6=6
2x1=2	2x2=4	2x3=6	2x4=8	2x5=10	2x6=12
3x1=3	3x2=6	3x3=9	3x4=12	3x5=15	3x6=18
4x1=4	4x2=8	4x3=12	4x4=16	4x5=20	4x6=24
5x1=5	5x2=10	5x3=15	5x4=20	5x5=25	5x6=30
6x1=6	6x2=12	6x3=18	6x4=24	6x5=30	6x6=36
7x1=7	7x2=14	7x3=21	7x4=28	7x5=35	7x6=42
8x1=8	8x2=16	8x3=24	8x4=32	8x5=40	8x6=48
9x1=9	9x2=18	9x3=27	9x4=36	9x5=45	9x6=54
10x1=10	10x2=20	10x3=30	10x4=40	10x5=50	10x6=60
11x1=11	11x2=22	11x3=33	11x4=44	11x5=55	11x6=66
12x1=12	12x2=24	12x3=36	12x4=48	12x5=60	12x6=72

7 times table	8 times tables	9 times tables	10 times tables	11 times tables	12 times tables
1x7=7	1x8=8	1x9=9	1x10=10	1x11=11	1x12=12
2x7=14	2x8=16	2x9=18	2x10=20	2x11=22	2x12=24
3x7=21	3x8=24	3x9=27	3x10=30	3x11=33	3x12=36
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8x7=56	8x8=64	8x9=72	8x10=80	8x11=88	8x12=96
9x7=63	9x8=72	9x9=81	9x10=90	9x11=99	9x12=108
10x7=70	10x8=80	10x9=90	10x10=100	10x11=110	10x12=120
11x7=77	11x8=88	11x9=99	11x10=110	11x11=121	11x12=132
12x7=84	12x8=96	12x9=108	12x10=120	12x11=132	12x12=144

Timestables.com



# Introducing Our 2023 Grade 6 Students

## Xavier

**School Roles/Responsibilities:** Vice School Captain

**Family Members:** Mum, Dad and I

**Education:** CPS

**Favourite Colour:** Orange and Blue

**Favourite Number:** 27/28

**Favourite TV Show:** Home and Away,  
Lego Masters

**Favourite Food:** Tacos

**Favourite Drink:** Peach Ice Tea

**Favourite Book:** Tree House

**Favourite Movie:** Too Many To Name

**Favourite Holiday Destination:** The Murray

**Favourite Artist/Music Group:** Queen

**Things I Like To Do:** Play Cricket and Football

**Favourite AFL/Sports Team:** Essendon and Melbourne  
renegades

**Most Exciting Time of My Life:** Water Sport

**People I Admire the Most:** My Uncles, Dad,  
Mum and Poppy

**Advice I have for New Preps:** To have fun and listen to  
your teacher.



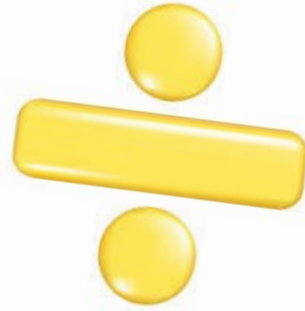
# MATHS

## QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Question 16

### Junior Unit Problem 16

5 children were invited to a birthday party, and were provided three cupcakes each. How many cupcakes were there in total?



Question 16

### Senior Unit Problem 16

Alice started school at 8:30 am and finished school at 3:15 pm. How long was Alice at school for?



Question 17

### Junior Unit Problem 17

The florist has 3 sunflowers, 8 roses, 2 gerberas and 6 carnations. How many plants did the florist have in total?



Question 17

### Senior Unit Problem 17

Mrs. Campbell had 19 students in her class at the start of the school year. At the end of the school year, Mrs. Campbell had 32 students in her class. How many students joined Mrs. Campbell's class throughout the year?



# You Got Caught!

“You Got Caught” has been created to develop students’ connections between numeracy and the real world, while also supporting students to make positive connections towards Maths.

For this we are asking that if you **notice your child doing Numeracy in everyday life, take a photo** and either send your child to school with a copy of the photo, add it to SeeSaw or email a copy to the school.

Some examples include; measuring when cooking, telling the time, calculating the score at the football, adding amounts or calculating change when shopping and so much more.

We look forward to seeing how your child uses numeracy everyday!

Your child’s photo maybe shown at assembly or be displayed on our ‘You got caught’ wall.



Mrs Kennedy measuring while cooking.



Measuring out the ingredients



Counting as we add 5 smarties to each cookie



Mrs Davies calculating the score at the football!

## Mathematics

## Values Trophy – Term 3, 2023

Week	Value	Area	Behaviour
1	Respect, Resilience, Personal Best & Safety	Classrooms	The grade with the most Positive Behaviour awards in the room
2	Personal Best	Classrooms	Having the cleanest classroom
3	Respect	Play Areas	Displaying manners and sportsmanship towards others when playing games outside eg. through actions, speaking nicely, etc.
4	Resilience	MPB, outside playing areas	The grade demonstrating the most resilience in PE during classes
5	Respect	Library	The grade demonstrating the most respect during Library & Well-being classes
6	Respect	LOTE room	The grade demonstrating the most respect in LOTE during classes
7	Resilience	Tech room	Working as a team in Tech
8	Respect	Art room	The grade demonstrating the most respect in Art during classes
9	Respect, Resilience, Personal Best & Safety	Classrooms	The grade who has the cleanest students – no mud on their clothing or themselves
10	Safety	Courtyard, inside, etc	Lining up safely and respectfully when coming in from recess and lunch times

**SAFETY**

### VALUES TROPHY

**PERSONAL BEST**

**RESILIENCE**

**RESPECT**

Our School Captains will be looking for students who demonstrate the following values:

WEEK	VALUES	WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR
5	Respect	The grade demonstrating the most respect during Library & Well-being classes.
6	Respect	The grade demonstrating the most respect in LOTE during classes.

# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

## TERM 3 WEEK 2



RESILIENCE



PERSONAL  
BEST



RESPECT



SAFETY

GRADE	STUDENT	VALUE	REASON
Prep S	Hendrix	Resilience	For having a go at reading a book independently.
	Joe	Personal Best	For thinking creatively when responding to the Poem 'Bubble Trip'.
1/2B	Alexis	Resilience	For doing all of her work this week despite not feeling 100%. Well done!
1/2C	Genevieve	Personal Best	For her exceptional maps of the school and her bedroom, using location vocabulary to describe where things are!
3/4D	Ivy	Personal Best	For her positive attitude in Maths when learning about time. Great Work.
3/4S	Patrick	Personal Best	For writing outstanding Haiku Poems that offer the reader a visual.
	Ellie R	Personal Best	For writing outstanding Haiku Poems that offer the reader a visual.
5/6H	Xavier D	Personal Best	For high achievement across all Literacy areas.
	Jaxson	Personal Best	For his positive interaction in all discussions and activities at BioLab.
ART JNR	Sam T	Respect	For listening carefully to instructions, tips and to the steps to use water paint.
ART SNR	Harley	Resilience	For taking feedback from others positively in Art and with a growth mindset.
PE JNR	Penny	Resilience	For having a go at all games and activities in PE this week.
PE JNR	Sam A	Personal Best	For working really hard to learn the correct technique for catching in PE.
PE SNR	Gabriel	Personal Best	For always having a go at all activities with a smile on your face.

# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

## TERM 3, WEEK 3



RESILIENCE



PERSONAL  
BEST



RESPECT



SAFETY

GRADE	STUDENT	VALUE	REASON
1/2B	Lylah M	Personal Best	For working hard to skip count by 2, 5 and 10! Well done!
1/2C	Annie	Respect	For helping her peers with their learning in a respectful manner.
3/4D	Mason	Personal Best	For working in a focused manner across all learning areas and being a positive role model to others.
3/4S	Billy	Respect	For displaying respectful behaviours during whole class instruction at all times.
5/6H	Jimmy	Personal Best	For his commitment to his spelling work.
5/6K	Veronica	Respect	For listening and working cooperatively with her group during the creation of her radio ad.
5/6K	Mike	Personal Best	For the superb manner in which he responded to the impromptu interview about BioLab.
ART JNR	Patrick	Personal Best	For his excellent understanding of water paint.
ART SNR	Amara Lainey Olivia	Personal Best	For the effort, time and dedication placed into their Zentangles background. It looks amazing.
PE JNR	Levi Q	Respect	For working cooperatively with his partner in PE.
PE SNR	Amelia	Personal Best	For creating an engaging and fun warm up for her class.
PE SNR	Waylon	Respect	For always being a thoughtful, honest and caring class member in PE.
INDO JNR	William J	Respect	For always following instructions and doing his best work in Indonesian.
INDO SNR	Jethro	Resilience	For reading aloud to the class in Indonesian.

# HANDS ON LEARNING

Thursday 27th of July

Today in Hands on Learning we did weeding and cooking a peppermint slice.

We are also making toasties for Breakfast Club. We also cleaned the bricks.

By Bella and Charlie



## TERM 3



# CRESWICK PRIMARY AFTER SCHOOL NETBALL

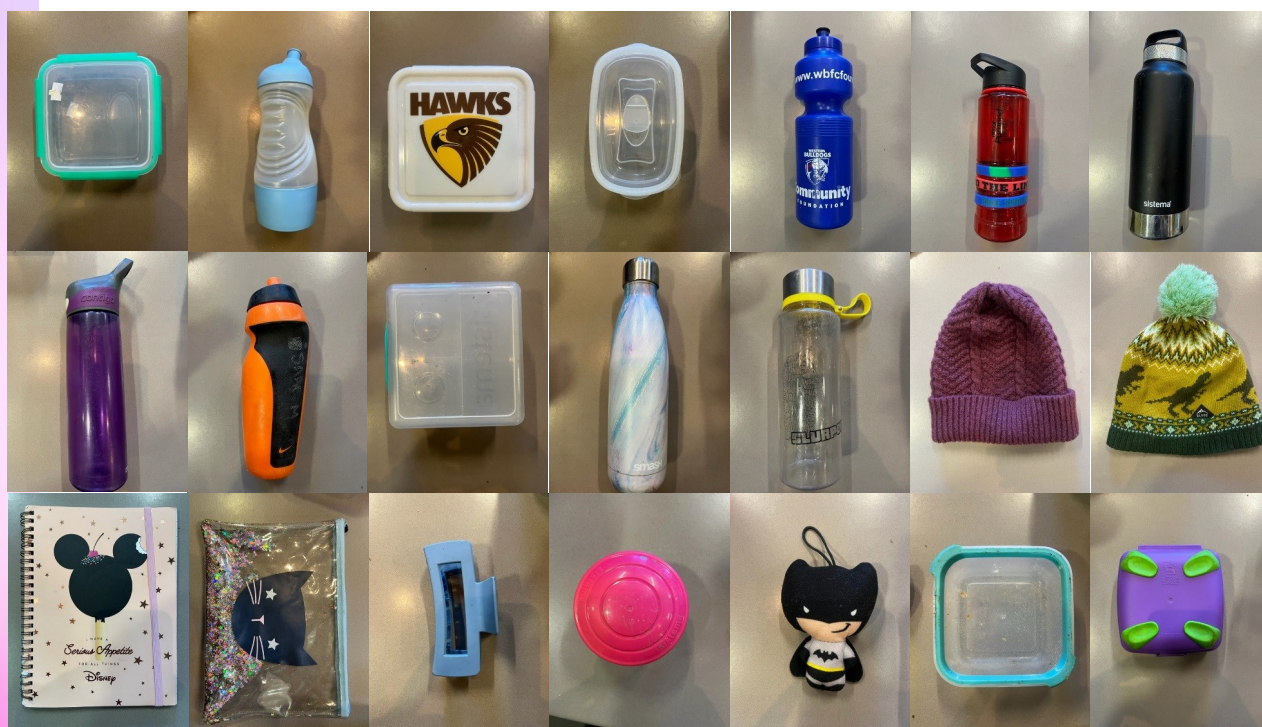


*Another Term of After-School netball has started up on Wednesday nights at Ballarat Netball Association. If your child is in the Senior Unit (Years 3-6) and wishes to join our After-School Netball side, please contact Miss Katelyn Sutton for more details. All welcome. No prior experience required.*

# LOST PROPERTY

We have a large number of containers, drink bottles and general items in lost property at the front office. If you notice anything below that may be yours, please come have a look.

Thank you!





# DONATIONS WANTED

Do you have any sandpit toys laying  
around collecting dust?

or

In that ever growing pile waiting to be  
taken to the Op-Shop?

We are seeking donations of any old (but in good condition) sandpit toys, pots and pans and Tonka Trucks that you have laying around the house and no longer want or need.



Donated items can be  
dropped off at the  
school office.

Items will be much loved and  
used in both the Mud Kitchen  
and Sandpit.



Thank you in advance, from all the students at Creswick P.S.

## SAFETY

## RESILIENCE



Students show **Respect** by listening carefully to all instructions.



Showing our school value of **Safety** by listening and waiting for the signal to play.



"I show **Resilience** by having a go at all activities with a smile on my face"



# OUR SCHOOL VALUES IN PE

"I show **Respect** in P.E by sharing the ball and making sure everyone gets a go"



Students display our school value of **Respect** and **Personal Best** when they work cooperatively with their peers in activities and games.



Students help each other do their **Personal Best** in PE. They support each other to succeed.



## RESPECT

## PERSONAL BEST



## Book Week is BACK!

Get ready for...  
 Dress Up Parade  
 Whole Class Competition  
 Creswick Library Visits  
 Colouring In Competition



## DONATIONS NEEDED

Can you help??

We are seeking round margarine containers or small ice cream containers for the Art room.  
 These can be dropped off at the office.  
 Your help is greatly appreciated.



Thank you,  
 Jessica Sutton

## If Your Child Is Sick...

If your child has a sore throat, runny nose, cough or other cold/flu like symptoms

### PLEASE DO NOT

send your child to school.

Where there are signs and symptoms of Gastro, there is a 24 hour exclusion period where your child

### MUST

be kept at home.



**GET READY  
TO HAVE A BALL  
WITH EXTEND!**



Extend is launching back into Term 3 with piles of fun activities and a wide variety of creative programs.

With Extend, you'll be able to experience a brand new term that offers pure comfort and joy!



Have a ball in Term 3 with Extend!  
Make your bookings at [extend.com.au](http://extend.com.au) today!



**JOIN THE  
GIRLS!**

**BALLARAT & SURROUNDS TERM 3 ALL GIRLS  
AUSKICK CENTRE**

**City Oval Ballarat, Tuesday 4.00pm**  
For any enquiries please email [mat.begbie@afl.com.au](mailto:mat.begbie@afl.com.au)



Term 3	<p>Thursday 3rd August – Student Led Conferences</p> <p>Curriculum Day Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August - Extend Open</p> <p>Finish Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September</p>
Term 4	<p>Start Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October</p> <p>Curriculum Day Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November - No Extend Care</p> <p>PUBLIC HOLIDAY TUESDAY 7th November (Cup Day)</p> <p>Finish Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December</p>

**FROM THE OFFICE**

**Voluntary Fees**

Voluntary Fees can be paid at the office by cash, credit card or via BPay. The fees are:

- ♦ \$95 per child for Grade Prep,
- ♦ \$125 per child for Grades 1-2
- ♦ \$115 per child for Grades 3-6.



**Physical Education Reminder**



PE Timetable – Term 3	
Wednesday	3/4D, 3/4S, 5/6H and 5/6K
Thursday	Prep S, 1/2B and 1/2C



For the safety of students, it is important they wear appropriate footwear in P.E. Please ensure your child/ children wear runners for P.E on their allocated day.

