



Yarra Road

Prep Newsletter

Term 1 Week 6

Friday 6th March 2020

What have we been up to this week?

This week had so much fun at the Teddy Bears Picnic with our Grade 5 buddies. We really enjoyed coming to school in our pyjamas with our special furry friends and sharing our special snack with our buddies.

We have been learning how to use our Chromebooks. Every student at Yarra Road has been assigned their own chromebook that they need to take care of. The preps have really enjoyed the opportunity to use Typing club.

Parent Teacher Interviews

From Tuesday the 17th March until Thursday the 19th of March we will be commencing our parent teacher interviews. This will be focussed around your child and how they are settling into school. Bookings will be made through COMPASS in the coming weeks. We will let you know when the event is open.

Athletics Day

On Monday March 16th will be our whole school athletics day. Students will catch a bus and compete in different events. Permission and payment are now live on COMPASS. No late payments are accepted and close 2 days before the event. Students wear their house colours and comfortable shorts and shoes. More information will be available closer to the day. Parents are encouraged to attend and cheer for their children on the day.

FACEBOOK

Our Prep Facebook page is up and running. You will find the link the page on the class news feed in COMPASS and in a recent email from Rhiana and Nicole. Please make sure that you answer the questions required to gain approval. This is for security purposes.

Ride2school Day

Friday the 13th is Ride2School day. Students are encouraged to ride, scoot, skate or walk to school.

Term 1 Important dates

March

- Monday 9th - No school - Labour Day Public Holiday
- Friday 13th - Crazy Hair Day / Ride2School day
- Monday 16th - Whole school Athletics Day
- Tuesday 17th- 19th - Parent Teacher Interviews
- Friday 20th - Grandparents Day - Check the event on COMPASS
- National Anti-Bullying Day
- Monday 23rd - School Photos
- Friday 27th - Last Day of Term 1 2:30pm finish

Timetable

Monday: Art and LOTE
Tuesday: Music and PE
Thursday: PMP - Mr Quick still needs helpers.
Friday: Library

PMP

Mr. Quick is looking for parents with working with children checks to assist with the PMP program each Thursday morning between 9.00 and 11.00am

If you would like to help, please let your class teacher know.

School Information

Don't forget to check out the [whole school newsletter](#) for information about all school activities

Reminders for the week:

- Please check the COMPASS App for all events.

<u>LITERACY</u> Alphabet Practise Reader's Workshop Writer's Workshop	<u>MATHS</u> Position and Location
<u>COOPERATIVE LEARNING</u> Timed pair, share	<u>VALUES</u> RESPECT



(Presented at Assembly on Monday the 2nd of March)

PREP MAC

Myla J: For being there for her classmates and for Mrs Macrae

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Lola O : For being a kind and caring friend to all her classmates.