



Eaglehawk Primary School



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We acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung people who are the Traditional Custodians of this land.
We pay respect to the Elders both past and present of the Kulin Nation and extend that respect to other Aboriginal people.

Eaglehawk Primary School is committed to the safety and wellbeing of children and young people.

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Calendar 2020

Monday 8th June	Queen's birthday public holiday
Tuesday 9th June	Grades 4-6 students resume face-to-face teaching at school
Thursday 18th June	4.15pm School Council
Friday 19th June	Semester 1 reports due home
Thursday 25th June	3 way interviews – parent/student/teacher meetings Students only attend for interview
Friday 26th June	1.30pm end of term dismissal

The office will be open 8.30-4pm daily

Prep 2021

If you know of any families with kinder age children, please encourage them to either call or email the school for further information. The due date for Foundation 2021 enrolments has been extended until 31st July.

Website

Our new website is active. Here is the link. Please share it with family and friends. It has a virtual tour of the school and hopefully this week will have student thoughts.

<http://www.eaglehawkps.vic.edu.au/>

'Return to face-to-face teaching'

Tuesday 9th June we welcome Grades 4-6 back to school Thank you to all families for the hard work you have done during term 2 supporting home learning and especially in the past couple of weeks preparing your child to return to school. The grade Prep-3 Students have been amazing the way they have resumed the school routine. As part of the return to school, the department has limited attendance on school sites by non-essential visitors and parents/carers. Because of this, the front doors of the school and all gates will remain locked. Families are encouraged to drop their child/children at the back of the school where a staff member will be on duty at the playground gate to welcome students at the start of the day and say goodbye at the 3pm.

Extra cleaning

Additional cleaning will commence from next week and continue until the end of term 3, including cleaning and disinfecting key touch points, play equipment and other high use areas.

Drink Bottles

All students are required to have their own drink bottle so they are NOT using drink taps.

Hygiene

Students will be reminded to wash/sanitise their hands at the following times throughout the day:

- on entering school
- before eating
- at the start and end of each break
- each time they enter the classroom

We have organised specific areas for each class to wash their hands with soap and have hand sanitiser readily available
 For more information about the return to school and coronavirus (COVID-19) updates, please go to the Department's website, : <https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/department/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>
 Thank you for your continued support during this time.

Year 6-7 transition forms

All secondary forms were due back Friday 29th May Please return these to Eaglehawk Primary ASAP.

Parent Payments—Now Due

Parent Payments are now due. We would appreciate if families could finalise their outstanding balances by the 26th of June. If you are unable to make the payment by this date and would like to arrange a payment plan, please phone or call in to see either Fiona or Sue as soon as possible.

Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge

The Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge is now open.

A new application is being used this year that offers a range of exciting features including:

- access to a library catalogue (including book images and blurbs)
- a modern user-friendly interface
- rewarding students with badges as challenge milestones are achieved
- the option for students to mark books as a favourite, give them a star rating or complete a book review.

The Challenge is open to all Victorian children from birth to Year 10 in recognition of the importance of reading for literacy development. It is not a competition, but a personal challenge for children to read a set number of books by 4 September 2020. Children from Prep to Year 2 are encouraged to read or 'experience' 30 books with their parents and teachers. Children from Year 3 to Year 10 are challenged to read 15 books. All children who meet the Challenge will receive a certificate of achievement signed by the Victorian Premier and former Premiers. To read the Premier's letter to parents, view the booklists and for more information about the Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge, visit: www.education.vic.gov.au/prc



Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) – Term Two New Applications

Due to a change in employment, you may now be eligible for the CSEF. If you now have a valid means-tested concession card or are temporary foster parents you are eligible to apply. You need to complete the application form before the end of term 2. Please contact the school to complete the form. Phone the school if you have any questions.

Library News

Book Club Orders from Issue 2

We still have book club waiting to be collected. If you have **not received** the books you ordered from [Book Club Issue 2](#), can you please ring and leave a message for Kim with the child's name and the books ordered?

Overdue Library Books

We still have many overdue Library books and readers that have not come back to school. Can you please have a good hunt around your house and return any overdue Library books and readers to the school ASAP?
 Kim Delmenico.



Student of the Week

Class	Student of the Week	Attendance Award
Prep/One David	William H for making an amazing start at his new school. This week he was able to do some amazing work in Maths time. Well done!	Tobias T
Prep/One Sophie	Enrique - for his amazing writing this week, sounding out his unknown words. Well Done!	Brailea
Grade 2/3 Jess	Jasey T for settling well into Eaglehawk Primary School and coming to school everyday with a positive attitude ready to learn.	Jacobie B
Grade 2/3 Tracey	Willow L-B for doing a fantastic good copy of her information report	Ethan L
Grade 4 Nick	Kim B For working hard and staying focused.	Ella Mc
Grade 5/6 Donna	Mitchell W - Learning - This week Mitchell persisted on a math perimeter task and nailed it!	Maxwell M
Grade 5/6 Jessey	Mikayla D: for consistently working hard during remote learning. Well done Mikayla.	Aidan
Art	Campbell H- for always trying his best and modelling excellent behaviour. Top effort.	



Our school values literacy and numeracy learning through small class learning groups

Prep Orientation Program Dates

Thursday 15th October: 2.00pm – 3.00pm
 Thursday 29th October: 2.00pm – 3.00pm
 Thursday 12th November: 2.00pm – 3.00pm
 Thursday 26th November: 8.45am – 10.30am
 Tuesday 8th December: 9.00am – 12.00pm

Other Information

Individual tours can be arranged at any time by contacting the school. More details available on our school website. Information & updates are shared on our Facebook page about student learning and facilities.

Enrolment forms for 2021 are available from the office
 More information available on our website or our facebook page.

Contact the school for our Early Start Program beginning in term 3



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Bendigo Dragons Gridiron club are looking for boys and girls aged 11 to 15 to play in the first every juniors

team for Bendigo Dragons. Doesn't matter if you've played sports before or not. Season running September to December TBA/ confirmed.

Our Grade 4 teacher Nick Kastellorizios is one of two coaches for the under 15's squad and would love to see some familiar faces come and try out and have a run around.

For more information regarding training or general info, contact Bendigo Dragons Gridiron Club on Facebook, email the club at bendigodragons@gmail.com or contact the president Mikaela Abdy on 0484822249.



**Enrol NOW for Kindergarten in 2021.
 Four Year Old Groups
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**SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM
 WINTER 2020**

WEEK ONE 29 JUNE - 3 JULY

CHILL OUT DAY Mon 29 June
 Come in your PJ's for a chilled day as we sit back and relax for our Beauty and Barber experiences. From creating fake nails to paint and decorate to making funky hair models to cut and style. Then we'll be relaxing with a movie.

ALL ABOUT NATURE Tue 30 June
 We're getting back to nature by designing a mural using rocks for paint and a wide variety of natural materials we have on site as well as some we'll go exploring for. Then we're going to grow grass heads in eggshells.

WEIRD SCIENCE Wed 1 July
 From paper cup phone experiments, straw rockets and volcanos. This will be a science day with a difference!

LET'S GO ON SAFARI Thur 2 July
 Dress ready for a safari! We're making our own binoculars and heading outside to spot the hidden objects. Create your own animal mask and explore the many footprints left in our animal kingdom.

ART WITH FOOD Fri 3 July
 Did you know that you can use food to make art? Make shapes with bread, try out pancake art and create fun food stamps.

WEEK TWO 6 JULY - 10 JULY

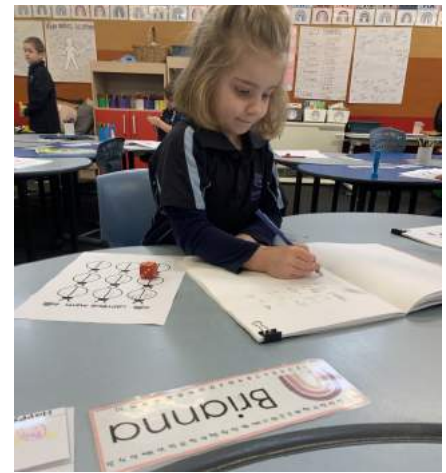
AROUND THE WORLD Mon 6 July
 We start with making your own mini plane and imagine flying off to the rainforests of Brazil. Then we head to China and Italy before we come back home for some cool Aussie activities.

COME JOIN THE CIRCUS Tue 7 July
 Come one, come all for a fun filled day. Learn circus tricks and try your luck in the arcade games. You can even make your own juggling balls.

WOOL WEDNESDAY Wed 8 July
 So much wool and so many projects! Create your own dream catcher and learn to knit using only your fingers. These are just a few of the fun activities we will do with wool.

WOODWORK WORKSHOP Thur 9 July
 We're getting crafty with wood and you get to design, build and decorate your very own bird feeder to take home.

CAMPING PARTY Fri 10 July
 Let's get active with our fun relay races and bush activities. Enjoy a toasted marshmallow at the campfire and Pizza will be supplied for lunch.



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