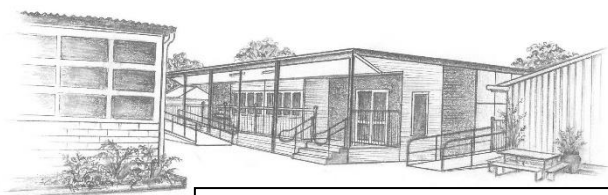


TALLYGAROPNA PRIMARY SCHOOL NO.3067



TERM 3 NO. 24 4th August 2020



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SCHOOL VALUES - RESPECT, HONESTY & INCLUSION

News from the Principal's Desk

Dear parents, carers, students and staff

On Sunday, the Victorian Government announced that, on the advice of the Victorian Chief Health Officer, regional and rural Victoria will move to Stage 3 restrictions and metropolitan Melbourne will move to Stage 4 restrictions to slow the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19). These requirements apply to all schools across the government, Catholic and independent sectors and across all metropolitan Melbourne, rural and regional Victoria.

The changes to schools' operations will come into effect from Wednesday 5 August, following a student free day on Tuesday 4 August, and are likely to apply until the end of Term 3. As outlined in the Chief Health Officer's advice on Friday, schools remain safe places for staff and students – but these steps are critical measures to reduce the movement of students and families across the state.

There are implications for our school, and for families in our school community and a summary of what the changes mean for schools is on Page 15 of this newsletter.

We have a short time frame before Remote & Flexible learning begins again on Wednesday, but some of the processes will involve:

- Playgrounds being closed again
- School netbooks available to support Remote & Flexible Learning again.
- On site attendance available again

The criteria for students that can attend on-site has changed and the Victorian Government will provide further advice about this over the coming days. Please be patient with this as I await further information.

Keep safe everyone – I will no doubt see you all soon, even it is via Webex! Don't hesitate to contact me if any clarification is needed during this difficult time.

David Brodie
(Principal)

Class Boxes along with other relevant information will be left outside the office again to support families. This will also be on the COVID-19 link on our school website.

A REMINDER TO FAMILIES THAT ASSEMBLY WILL BE HELD EACH FRIDAY AT 3PM VIA WEBEX (NUMBER – 576 739 057)
LAST FRIDAY, IT WAS WONDERFUL TO SEE SOME FAMILIES ATTEND ASSEMBLY AND WE HOPE THAT THIS CONTINUES INTO THE FUTURE. WE HOPE THAT OUR NORMAL ASSEMBLIES WILL OCCUR IN THE NOT TOO DISTANT FUTURE DEPENDING ON COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS.

A REMINDER TO ALL FAMILIES TO FREQUENTLY CHECK SKOOL LOOP BECAUSE MANY SPECIFIC EVENTS ARE PUT ON THIS RESOURCE INSTEAD OF THE NEWSLETTER. ALL FAMILIES WILL NEED TO JOIN NEW BOXES FOR 2020.

SCHOOL FEES ARE NOW DUE. COULD THESE BE PAID ASAP PLEASE.

Absence forms can be submitted on Skool Loop.

Please note the change of the school email address

**BORROWED DEVICES TO SUPPORT REMOTE & FLEXIBLE LEARNING:
THESE CAN BE COLLECTED ON TUESDAY
BETWEEN 11AM – 5PM**

OLD STUDENT TABLES ARE AVAILABLE FOR FAMILIES FOR A SIMPLE DONATION TO THE SCHOOL.

DIRECT BANK DEPOSIT

Account Name:

Tallygaropna Primary School

BSB: 063—527

Account number: 0090 7788

Please ensure you include family name and payment description as reference.

Have you downloaded our School app yet?

Never miss important school information again!



- ✓ Events
- ✓ Notices
- ✓ Instant school messages
- ✓ Absentee
- ✓ Newsletters
- ✓ Permission Slips



Simple free download: In Google play & App Store search '**Skool Loop**' & choose our school once installed.

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Dear Parents & Guardians

As you are probably aware, in line with advice from the Chief Health Officer, the Victorian Government has announced that all Victorians must wear a face covering when they leave home from 11.59pm on Sunday 2nd August.

Face coverings will be mandated for people aged 12 and over. These measures will slow the spread of COVID-19 and help protect the community.

In schools, this means that school-based staff and secondary school students will be required to wear a face covering. The Victorian Chief Health Officer has advised that any face covering will be acceptable – it does not need to be a surgical mask.

Student who attend primary school, including those aged 12 by Year 6, will not be required to wear a face covering. The Chief Health Officer has advised that it is not practical to require some primary school students to wear face coverings while others are not required to.

Students or staff who have a medical condition – including problems with breathing, a serious skin condition on the face, a disability or a mental health condition – are not required to wear a face covering.

Guidance for schools

All school-based staff must wear face coverings at school and when travelling to and from school.

Teachers and education support staff will not be required to wear face coverings while teaching, but those who wish to do so can.

Teachers should wear face coverings in other areas of the school when not teaching (for example, in the staff room, on yard duty and when providing first aid or taking temperatures) and when travelling to and from school.

Parents/carers will be required to wear face coverings whenever they leave the house, including for school drop-off and pick-up.

Our staff will work through this information with their students on Monday and we look for your support to discuss this with your children.

Please continue to check for updates on Skool Loop and Facebook regularly as we will continue to keep you informed about any changes announced by schools.

Yours sincerely

David Brodie

Principal

UPDATED RESTRICTIONS – ANNOUNCED 30TH JULY

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Authority To Borrow School Equipment – Netbooks (COVID-19)

NOTE: This authority is to cover borrowing of equipment (Netbooks) from Wednesday 5th August 2020 until a request to return by the Principal David Brodie.

The student whose parent/guardian signature appears below is authorised by the School Council and Administration of Tallygaropna Primary School, to borrow and use the equipment – Netbook available from the School. The student and/or their parent/guardian will be accountable for any loss/repairs/replacements required upon return of the equipment - Netbook. Downloading any new programs, apps or extensions to the device is not to occur without written permission from the Principal.

STUDENT NAMES:

PARENT / GUARDIAN NAME: SIGNATURE:

ADDRESS: PHONE:

EQUIPMENT- Netbook MAKE: Serial Number:

The equipment is to be housed at the above address at each time of borrowing. While housed at the above address, the equipment will be covered by the following insurance policy:

If equipment is borrowed there is an expectation that students regularly attend WebEx sessions with their classroom teacher for online / remote / flexible learning. This may be followed up by the Principal.

Type of Policy:

Name of Insurance Policy:

SIGNATURE of PARENT/GUARDIAN:

SIGNATURE of AUTHORISING OFFICER (School):

SIGNATURE of Tallygaropna Primary School PRINCIPAL:

No Insurance Cover?:

Parents/Guardians must, sign and date the statement below accepting responsibility for any damage or loss of equipment

I, _____ ACCEPT FULL FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE TO SCHOOL EQUIPMENT BORROWED BY MY SON/DAUGHTER/CHILD AND WILL REPAIR OR REPLACE ITEMS AS REQUIRED BY THE SCHOOL.

SIGN: _____

DATE: _____

**WE WILL GO BACK TO MINI NEWSLETTERS
WHILE REMOTE & FLEXIBLE LEARNING IS IN
PLACE AGAIN.**

**ALL PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS DO NOT NEED TO
HAVE A FACE COVERING AT SCHOOL.**

**Everyone 12 years and
over entering school
grounds must wear a
face covering**



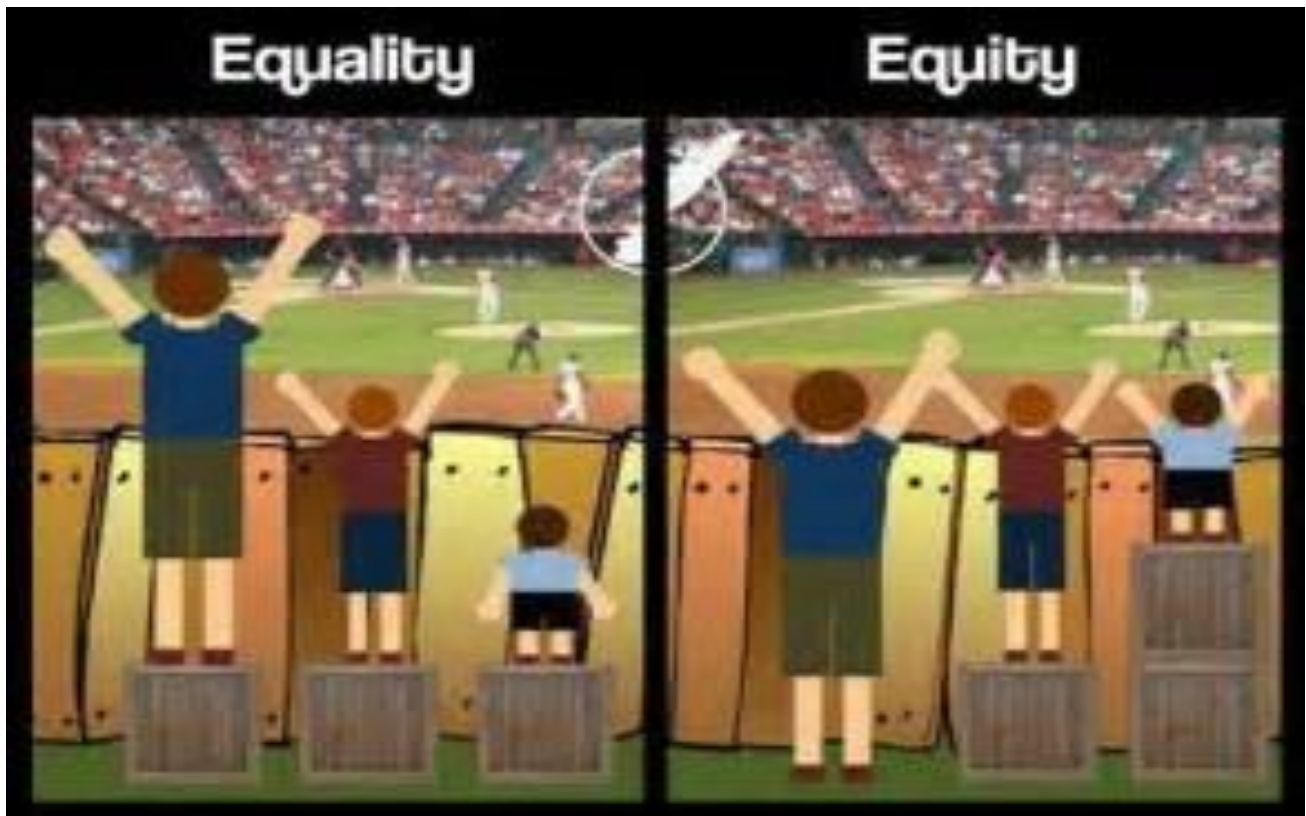
For detailed information visit:

<https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus>



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FACE MASKS AND COVERINGS



The Child Safe Standards are compulsory minimum standards for all Victorian early childhood services and schools, to ensure they are well prepared to protect children from abuse and neglect. The standards provide a framework for schools to review existing policies and practices and all other aspects of child safety, to ensure a 'zero tolerance' approach to any form of child abuse. You can access our policy on the school's website.

We are

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Fairleys Supa IGA Community Rewards Program

Our school is registered for the Fairleys Supa IGA Community Rewards program. Families can register in-store.

Funds generated by customer point donations are converted to cash and handed over at the end of the financial year.



2021 Enrolments

- **Planning has commenced for 2021 class structures**
- **Have you notified the school about your child starting Foundation?**
- **Have you notified the school if your child won't be here in 2021?**
 - **To assist us with our planning, please remind other school families to enrol their child**

**If you have a query, contact David or Karen
on 03 58 298264**



Could \$500 help you with school costs?

Join Saver Plus and we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs.

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|  laptops & tablets |  lessons & activities |
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To join Saver Plus, you must be at least 18 years or over, have a child at school or starting next year, attend vocational education yourself, have regular income from paid employment (you or your partner)*, have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card and be in receipt of an eligible Commonwealth social security benefit, allowance or payment*

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*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible, please contact your local Coordinator for more information.

*Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ, delivered in partnership with The Smith Family, Berry Street and other local community agencies. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. Go to www.dss.gov.au for more information.

Orientation Program for 2020

Tallygaroopna PS



Foundation Transition Program

The following days have been scheduled for new Foundation students for 2021. This Orientation Program is essential to starting school. Confirmed dates are below.

Day 1 – Tuesday 13th October (9am – 11am) Kinder Day – walk kids back at 11am

Day 2 – Tuesday 27th October (9am – 11.40am) Kinder Day – walk kids back at 11.30am

Day 3 – Wednesday 11th November (9am – 1.55pm) Kinder Day – pick up from school at 2pm

Day 4 – Wednesday 25th November (9am – 1.55pm) Kinder Day – pick up from school at 2pm

Day 5 (Statewide) – Tuesday 8th December (all day)

ALL DATES ARE SUBJECT TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS
AND NEED TO BE CONFIRMED.

CAN ENROLMENTS FOR 2021 BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY
7TH AUGUST IF POSSIBLE TO ASSIST WITH PLANNING.



Reduce your risk of coronavirus

- ✎ **WASH** your hands often with soap and running water, for at least 20 seconds. Dry with paper towel or hand dryer.
- ✎ **TRY** not to touch your eyes, nose or mouth.
- ✎ **COVER** your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. If you don't have a tissue cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve or elbow.
- ✎ **STAY** at home if you feel sick. If you take medication make sure you have enough.
- ✎ **PHONE** your doctor or the hotline – **1800 675 398** – if you need medical attention. They will tell you what to do.
- ✎ **CONTINUE** healthy habits: exercise, drink water, get plenty of sleep.
- ✎ **WEARING** a face mask is not necessary if you are well.
- ✎ **BUY** an alcohol-based hand sanitiser with over 60% alcohol.



Find out more
www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus

If you are concerned, call the
Coronavirus hotline 1800 675 398 (24 hours)
Please keep Triple Zero (000) for emergencies only

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Music Lessons – 2020 (postponed during Remote & Flexible learning)

Cliff Doornkamp is offering individual guitar and keyboard lessons to be held on a Monday morning. Each lesson runs for 20 minutes and will cost \$20. Interested families should contact Cliff on 0474 769 963 for more information.

Coronavirus (COVID-19) phone advice line

For immediate questions and up to date guidance and advice, the Education Department also has a dedicated coronavirus (COVID-19) phone advice line (9am-5pm Monday to Friday). The advice line is available for school leaders as well as all staff, and parents on 1800 338 663.



SCHOOL VIRTUAL TOUR

<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=560547707944476>

<https://www.tally-ps-3067.vic.edu.au/page/178/Enrolment>

Photos of the Week – New Foundation Students for 2021





We welcome Tommy, Patrick and Dail to our school community. We are anticipating 9 new Foundation students for 2021 who will begin their journey into primary school over the coming weeks. Big sisters Lexie and Pippa look extremely proud here!



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

– Term 3 / Week 2

All students received a certificate and a free icy pole voucher to use later on in the year.

Found. / Grade 1 - Mrs H's Marvellous Monsters Nate 	<p>Nate receives this award for the fantastic focus he has been showing especially in his flashcards and spelling. He is a total superstar!</p>
Grade 1/2 - Mrs Fitz's Wonderful 1/2s Asora 	<p>Asora receives this award for the super effort you've been putting into your work since returning to school!</p>
Grade 3/4 - Miss Love's Llama Pack Will 	<p>Will receives this award for the effort he is putting into his literacy. Great job, Will!</p>
Grade 5/6 – Miss Lothian's McFries Peyton 	<p>Peyton receives this award for her positivity and enthusiasm in the classroom. Peyton has been working very hard in all areas of her learning and has made great progress. Well done, Peyton!</p>
<u>Sport Awards</u> Jordan	<p>Jordan receives this award for being persistent and having a go at skipping. Keep at it, Jordan. Well done!</p>

Values Vault – Bethany / Lilly

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Found. / Grade 1 - Mrs H's Marvellous Monsters Jordan 	<p>Jordan receives this award for the wonderful way he has stayed focused in class and always tries his best. Way to go Jordy!</p>
Grade 1/2 - Mrs Fitz's Wonderful 1/2s Evie 	<p>Evie receives this award for consistently putting amazing effort into all of your work and your willingness to help others.</p>
Grade 3/4 - Miss Love's Llama Pack Zoey 	<p>Zoey receives this award for her outstanding positive attitude to all learning tasks.</p>
Grade 5/6 – Miss Lothian's McFries Jai 	<p>Jai receives this award for his persistence and enthusiasm towards improving his addition fluency. Awesome effort, Jai!</p>
<u>Sport Awards</u> Lachlan G	<p>Lachlan receives this award for sharing and organising his game created in Remote Learning time. Well done Lachlan, we all enjoyed playing your game.</p>

1. Remote & Flexible Learning 2.0 (Term 3) – Please be advised schools will be returning to Remote and Flexible Learning from Wednesday August 5th. A summary of the start of the week is below:

- Monday 3 August will be a 'normal' day of school under current arrangements, with students attending on-site asked to take all their necessary learning materials home. Staff will be wearing masks for the first time on this day.
- Tuesday 4 August will be a student-free day across Victoria to enable teachers, especially in rural and regional Victoria, to prepare for flexible and remote learning.
- Wednesday 5 August will be the first day of new arrangements for schools across Victoria (Remote & Flexible Learning).

I am confident that Tallygaroopna Primary School will again be able to provide an effective Remote and Flexible learning program for students. This may take a bit longer than Wednesday, we will do our very best. Please try to stay positive, calm and remind your children that everything will be alright. We are working hard to make sure that everything is right to go as quickly as possible.

2. Face Masks – A summary of information in regard to the wearing of face coverings is included below.

Instructions for staff:

Do's	Optional
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. in the staff room2. on yard duty3. on your way to and from school4. temperature checking5. administering first aid6. remember to still follow physical distancing and hand hygiene	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. when teaching2. when on video meetings with students <p><u>See signage around the school!</u></p>

Information for families:

- In accordance with requirements from the Victorian Government, primary school students are not required to wear a face covering irrespective of the student's age.
- Parents, guardians and carers are encouraged to inform their child/ren that school staff will be using face coverings and reinforce with their child/ren the need to keep 1.5 metres apart from other people, to wash and dry hands thoroughly and regularly, and cough and sneeze into a tissue or their elbow.
- Parents and carers will be required to wear face coverings whenever they leave the house, including for school drop off and pick up. If they are travelling in a car alone, or only with members of their household, they do not need to wear a mask. Parents and carers are required to wear a mask if they are required to collect an unwell child/ren from the school. If you require clarification in relation to the use of face coverings please contact me.

3. Borrowing Agreement – Families may wish to borrow a school notebook to support Remote & Flexible learning again which begins on Wednesday. Information went out via Skool Loop on Monday and the borrowing agreement can be collected out the front of the office if needed. Notebooks can be collected today between 11am and 5pm.

4. OSH Care – Could families planning to use the OSH service please let us know as soon as possible so that we can book in Toni-Marie.

OSH CARE WILL CONTINUE TO BE AVAILABLE DURING REMOTE & FLEXIBLE LEARNING

5. School Photo Day Postponed – Following on from yesterday's announcement that all Victorian schools will be returning to remote online learning from Wednesday 5 August until Wednesday 16 September our scheduled school photo date in Term 3 will now need to be postponed. This was on Thursday 13th August.

We are currently in the process of working out potential dates for our school in Term 4 and will be in contact with families as soon as possible.

6. Student of the Week – We will postpone Student of the Week while the period of Remote & Flexible learning is in place. This will start again when all students return to school.

7. Student Led Conference Day – This is scheduled for Tuesday 1st September and will be held via Webex. If this does not suit, we can do a phone call but these will be limited to only 15 minutes each. Bookings will be open on Friday 14th October and information will go out on Skool Loop. At present, we are unsure whether Individual Learning Plans for Semester 2 will go home because of Flexible and Remote Learning being implemented again. We will be guided by DET in regard to this. We plan to use the online booking form again found at schoolinterviews.com.au.

8. New Enrolments (2021) – Information has been sent to the Kinder in regard to future enrolments for 2021 and was also posted on Facebook. Planning for the new year begins early. Some restrictions are in place with what we can and can't do at the moment in regard to tours during school hours. We hope normal school tours during school hours will be available at some stage. Enrolment forms and information can be collected at the office now - it would great if these are back by Friday 7th August to assist with planning for 2021. If any families plan on leaving Tallygaroopna PS can you also let us know to assist with planning.

9. School Council – Remaining Dates

There may be some alterations as to how these meetings are conducted in line with the current situation with COVID-19.

Term 3	Week 3: Tuesday 4 th August	Week 9: Tuesday 8 th September
Term 4	Week 3: Tuesday 20 th October	Week 10: Tuesday 8 th December

10. School Fees

School fees for 2020 are now due. These were itemised in the letter sent home at the start of the year.

They are as follows:

Foundation - \$217 Grade 1/2 - \$170 Grade 3/4 - \$150, Grade 5/6 - \$155

These fees do not include excursions, swimming, camps or bus fees (for applicable families).

Our general school rule is to “consider the feelings of others at all times”.

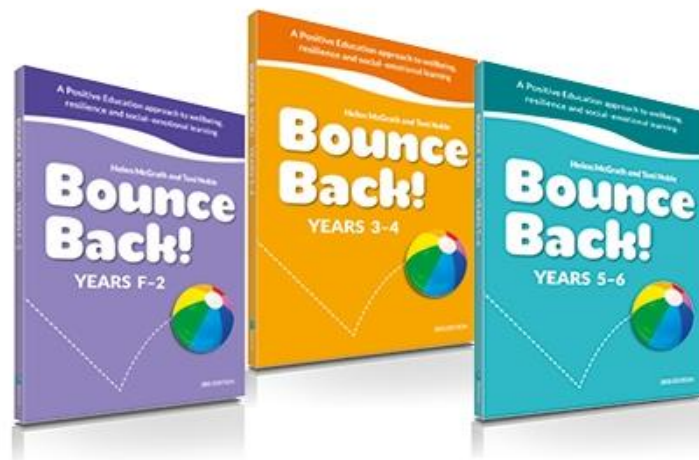
School Website (COVID-19 / Remote Learning):
<https://www.tally-ps-3067.vic.edu.au/page/238/COVID-19>

The Department's latest advice on coronavirus can be found
at www.education.vic.gov.au/coronavirus

Principal Webex Meeting ID - 576 739 057 (Assembly each Friday at 3pm)

Second-hand Uniforms

If anyone has any uniforms that they no longer require
could you please send them along to school.



Facebook a Reminder

Just a friendly reminder not to post photos of students that you have taken at school events on your own Facebook page, without notifying the child's parent first. Thank you for your ongoing support with this.

facebook
REMINDER

July OSH Care Newsletter 2020

Photos from our OSH service with the children having some delicious honey joys, toasted cheese sandwiches, fairy bread & blue icing and sprinkle biscuits.



Washing hands certificate



Super-doooper tall tower



Getting all twisted up



Coloured slime shaving cream



Our stretchy slime earrings



Rainbow chalk drawing



Slide time



Rock climbing



Just hanging on



Student accident insurance, ambulance cover arrangements and private property brought to school.

A reminder that Schools do not provide personal accident insurance or ambulance cover for students. Parents and guardians of students, who do not have student accident insurance/ambulance cover, are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including the cost of ambulance attendance or transport as well as any other transport costs.

Private property brought to school by students or visitors is not insured and the Department does not accept any responsibility for loss or damage.



100 DAYS OF EDUCATION - haven't our little treasures and Mr Brodie aged lately.

TALLY P.S. CALENDAR – TERM 3 2020 (ALL DATES TBC)

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
6	7	8	9	10
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
13	14	15	16	17
Term 3 Starts OSH	Chaplain OSH	Chaplain OSH Library / PE	OSH	OSH Music Assembly – 3pm
20	21	22	23	24
Curriculum Day – Pupil Free	Chaplain OSH	Chaplain Science / Art	OSH	OSH Italian Assembly – 3pm
27	28	29	30	31
OSH	Chaplain OSH	Chaplain OSH Library / PE	OSH	OSH Music Assembly – 3pm
3	4	5	6	7
OSH	Pupil Free Day – Planning for Remote Learning School Council 5	Chaplain / OSH Science / Art Remote Learning begins again!	OSH Chaplain	OSH Italian 2021 Enrolments Due

JULY / AUGUST

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
10	11	12	13	14
OSH	Chaplain OSH School Council Training	Chaplain OSH Library / PE	OSH School Photos	OSH Music
17	18	19	20	21
OSH	Chaplain OSH	Chaplain OSH Science / Art	OSH	OSH Italian Ath. Sports - TBC
24	25	26	27	28
OSH Ath. Sports Back Up - TBC	Chaplain OSH	Chaplain OSH Library / PE	OSH	OSH Music
31	1	2	3	4
OSH	Student Led Conference Day	Chaplain OSH Science / Art	OSH	OSH Italian
7	8	9	10	11
OSH	Chaplain OSH AFL 8's - TBC School Council 6	Chaplain OSH Library / PE	OSH	OSH Music Remote Learning finishes again!

AUGUST / SEPTEMBER