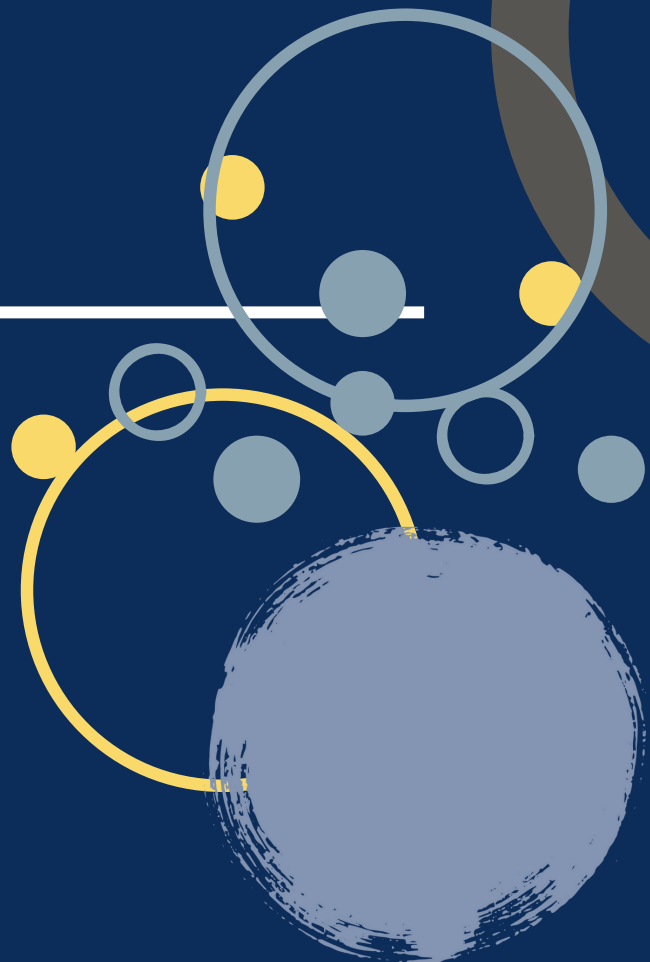


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COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

We acknowledge the Ngarigo people the traditional custodians of the land on which we are privileged to learn, play and teach upon. We pay our respects to elders past, present and emerging.



PRINCIPAL UPDATE

It's hard to believe we are already halfway through the term!

I have spent the past few days at our Rural South and West Principal's conference. The highlight was hearing Murat Dizdar speak on his commitment to public education, and his passion at keeping students at the centre of all decisions he will make while in the role of Acting Secretary. I was filled with optimism and hope that we were in good hands.

A big congratulations to our boys basketball team on their win today! It was great to be able to see the game in action. A nail biter to say the least!



Mrs Butchers

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

- 26th PSSA Boys Basketball - Jindabyne
- 30th Stage 2 Excursion
- 31st Lunch order day
- 31st MHS Think Tank

JUNE

- 29th-2nd: Reconciliation Week
- 1st - Reconciliation Week Assembly 2.15pm
- 2nd Wear yellow for Reconciliation

Merits

Congratulations to our Week 2 merit award recipients.

KA

Hailey Woodhouse
Dylan Pepperell
Lucy Prout
Olivia Goodswen
Audrey Bligh

KT

Matilda Murray
Zara Strange
Giselle Cameron
Haylie Cusbert
Harper Rosewarne

1/2G

Bentley Stokes
Patrick Smith
Lilli Gordon
Jessica Clode
Suhaan Kedarisetty

1/2R

Acacia Lloyd
Mason Hart
Miles Porter
Tillie Witney
Seth Lennon

2/3E

Travis Lloyd
Aidan Turner
Qasim Chohan
Joslin Gerges
Charlotte Rowe
Elliana Lichtenberg

3/4S

Seth Casey
Phoebe Cord
Rizzani Flores
Jordan Kingma
Ruby Bloomfield

3/4T

Emmett Castles
Sam Dowe
Baxter Green
George Kimber
Rosie Turnbull
Aima Zeeshan

5/6C

Koban O'Brien
Lila Cahill
Rick Golby
Zav Morris
Hamish Fergusson
Anakin Girling

5/6K

Grace Fallins
Ashton Farrell
Isabella Atkinson
Kirra Tenkate
Hayden Gordon

SLC

Lukas Thomas
Archer Miller



Rostrum Public Speaking

Well done to all our students!

Rostrum is a friendly, enjoyable way to improve your confidence, public speaking, online presence and leadership skills



GRAND PACIFIC HEALTH PRESENTATION



Last week our senior students were visited by Katherine to discuss their health and wellbeing.



PAX Playground Leaders

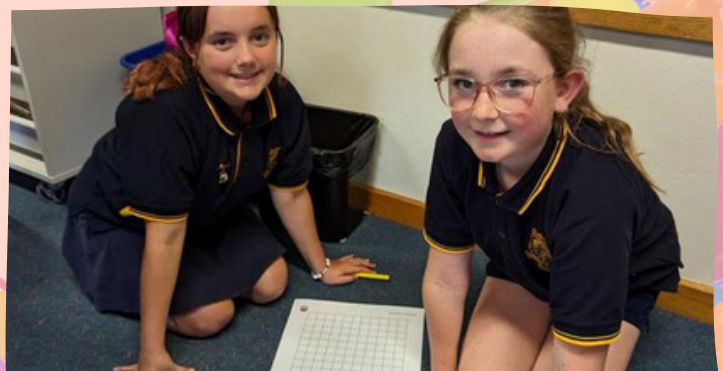


Our PAX leaders are stage 3 students who help run activities for students on the playground, hand out spotteds when good behaviour choices are made and generally lend a helping hand. This helps build leadership qualities in our senior students and teaches our younger friends the skills needed to problem solve by watching modelled behaviour.



5/6K

5/6K have been working hard this term to build our brains. In Literacy we are building up our fluency in fluency pairs and reading the fantastic book Boy Overboard by Morris Gelitzman which we are all loving! In Science we are learning all about the different adaptations plants and animals have developed to survive in their environment. In Mathematics we have been learning about Pentominoes, it was a real challenge trying to put them all together to make a rectangle but we did it!



BOURNDA



This term Year 6 had the honour of going to Bournda Environmental Education Center in Bournda National Park for an overnight camp. While there we got to experience a range of fun and exciting activities such as canoeing and hiking, which pushed us out of our comfort zones, required us to take risks and to work together as a team. We slept in swags in our 'A Frame' tents, had to prepare serve and clean up for all meals and even got smores on the fire at night. It was an awesome experience and we all got so much out of it!

District Athletics

Last Friday students attended the District Athletics Carnival at Snowy Oval. The weather was kind and our students represented their school admirably.

Congratulations to all of the participants and a thank you to staff and volunteer parents for their hard work, particularly Mark Adams for operating the electronic timing gates so brilliantly.

A special congratulations to Sienna Penn on obtaining Junior Girls Age Champion.





CRAZY HAIR DAY!

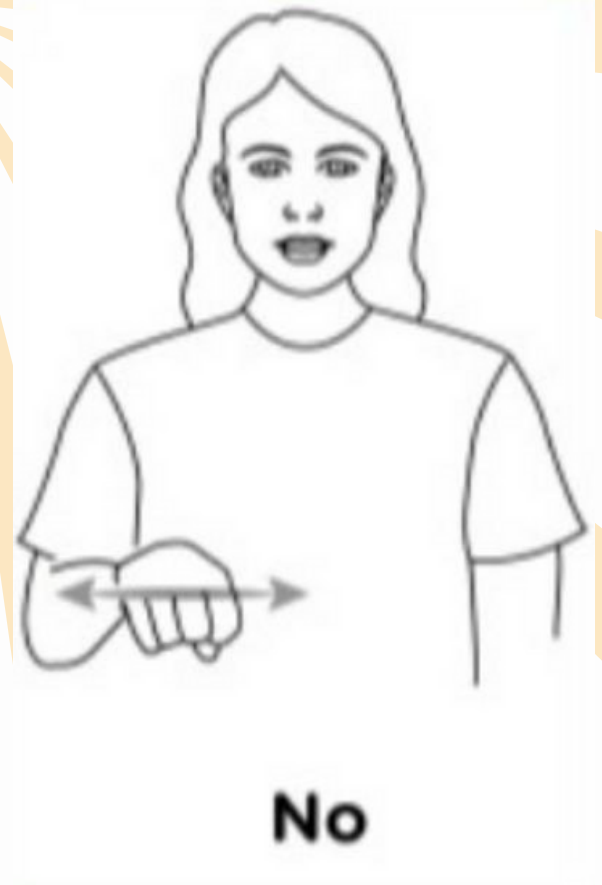
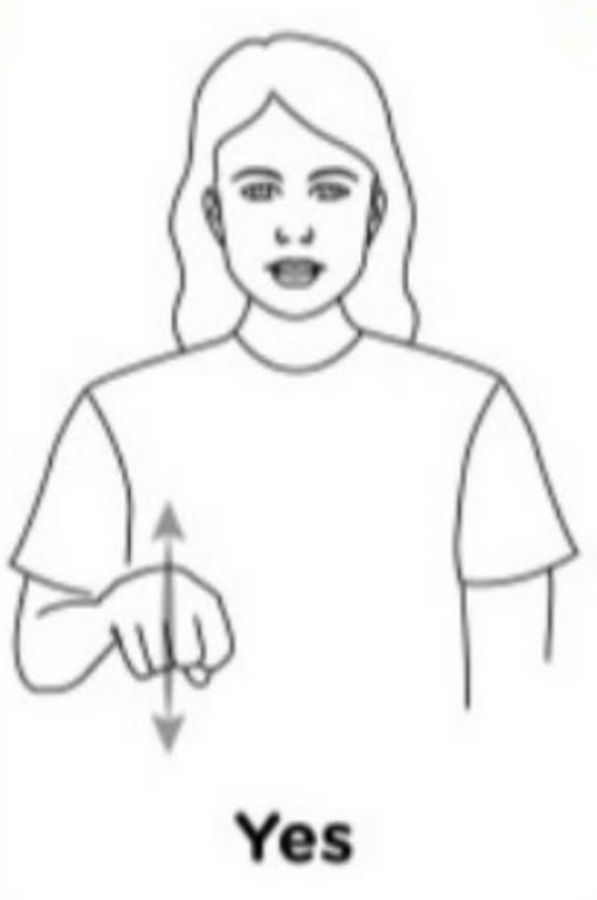


KEY WORD SIGN

Key Word Sign is a tool or strategy which can be used to support children and adults with communication difficulties to understand and get their message across to others. Key Word Sign (KWS) adds signs to spoken words.

Key Word Sign whilst being similar to Auslan (sign language), focuses on just the "key" words in a sentence.

Given that we have several students who are non-verbal, we thought it would be a wonderful idea to each fortnight, share some signs with our entire school community and encourage everyone to try and learn some!





Beanies!

School beanies are available for purchase from the school for \$5. Payments to be made through the school website and they can be collected from the office. Keep those heads warm this winter!

Payments to school

Just a gentle reminder that we no longer accept cash payments at school. All payments must be made via the school website "Make A Payment" tab. We are happy to help if you have any problems. Pop in and see us or give us a call. Thanks so much!

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Disney THE LITTLE MERMAID JR

Music by
Alan Menken

Lyrics by
Howard Ashman and
Glenn Slater

Book by
Doug Wright

Based on the Hans Christian
Andersen story
and the Disney film

Music Adapted and
Arranged by
David Weinstein

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