



Padbury Primary School

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9th February 2023

Caring for the Future

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MacDonald Ave
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education.wa.edu.au

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wa.edu.au

**SMS Attendance to
0437 208 493**



BELL TIMES

Start of day: 8.55am
Recess: 10.55am
Lunch: 12.45pm
End of day: 3.00pm

TERM DATES 2023

Term 1
30th Jan—6th April

Term 2
24th April—30th June

Term 3
17th July—22nd Sept

Term 4
9th Oct—14th Dec

Voluntary School Contributions

Kindy:

\$40 per child

PP-Yr 6:

\$60 per child

P&C Contribution

\$40 per child

Please make your payment
through the office.

We accept
Cash, Eftpos & Direct Debit.

Direct Debit

BSB: 066160

ACCT: 009 000 80

Padbury Primary School
Surname/Year as reference

Thankyou

Principal's Message

Welcome back to the new school year. I would like to extend a warm Padbury PS welcome to all our new families and trust you will soon feel a part of what truly is a great school community.

Staff spent the first two days of the school year engaged in operational planning to ensure we continue to build on the success of recent years. This sustained success is due in no small part to the wonderful team of staff who work tirelessly to provide your children with the best learning opportunities possible.

It was great to see our students arrive at school excited and enthusiastic on their first day. I am pleased to report that we had 100% of our students in school uniform on the first day and it really added to the excitement of the day.

This year we have had an increase in enrolments and have formed an additional class. This is a positive step for our school and I have had a number of new parents who have indicated to me that the great reputation of our school in the wider community was a significant drawcard in coming to Padbury PS.

It is also timely to remind parents of the wonderful learning environment we are fortunate to enjoy at Padbury PS. Our students are well mannered, respectful and hard working. They are friendly and very supportive of their fellow students. This is a credit to parents and staff who have instilled very positive attitudes in the children and ensure that these are reinforced every day.

The strong and positive partnerships between school and home are a reflection of our entire school community and I look forward to this continuing to grow during 2023.

PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

This important event will be held on Wednesday 15 February 2023 between 5:30 and 6:00pm. The P&C will be conducting a sausage sizzle at this event which will run from 4:30 – 5:30pm. This will give parents an opportunity to have a quiet chat before the class meetings.

Please remember that this evening is for teachers to share general information only. Parents who would like an individual meeting with their child's teacher should contact them to arrange a mutually convenient time to meet.

TEACHER – PARENT COMMUNICATION

Class Dojo is an effective means of communication between home and school. It enables teachers to share student work and achievements as well as news relevant to individual classes. Teachers (and parents) are also able to communicate individually where necessary.

I would like to remind parents, however, that teachers may not always be able to respond immediately to messages so please be patient when communicating with your child's teacher.



Administration

Neil Wood
Principal

Kim Atkins
Deputy Principal

Teri Tan
Manager Corporate Services

Michelle Innes
School Officer

School Council 2023

P&C Committee 2023

Miyanna Stretch
President

Jenny Evans
Vice President

Anne Downing
Treasurer

Jenae Harlond
Secretary



If your child is unwell or unable to come to school for any reason, please send a text to
0437 208 493
Or call the office on
6206 7950.

Also try to refrain from messaging your child's teacher in the evenings and on week-ends. Teachers, like everyone in our community, require some "down time" after their work day and I trust parents will support them by only messaging at appropriate times.

SCHOOL COUNCIL VACANCIES

Two parent vacancies have arisen on the School Council and I invite interested parents to consider nominating for these positions. Parent members of council bring their experience as parents at the school, and the views and context of the wider school community. The Council usually holds one (1) meeting per term in Week 7.

Under Section 128 of the School Education Act 1999 the function of the School Council is:

a] To take part –

i) in establishing, and reviewing from time to time, the school's objectives, priorities and general policy directions;

ii) in the planning of financial arrangements necessary to fund these objectives, priorities and directions; and

iii) in evaluating the school's performance in achieving them

b] to promote the school in the community;

c] to take part in formulating codes of conduct for students at the school;

d) to determine, in consultation with students, their parents and staff of the school, a dress code for students when they attending or representing the school;

e) to carry out the functions given by sections 70 (religious education), 99-4 (charges and contributions), 100-3 (extra cost items), 108-2 (personal use items) and 216-5 (advertising and sponsorship); and

f) to undertake such other functions prescribed by the regulations for the purposes of this section.

Anyone interested in nominating for the vacant positions should complete the nomination form below and return it to the school by **3.00pm on Tuesday 14th February**. In the event of multiple nominations, a ballot will need to be conducted.

SCHOOL COUNCIL NOMINATION FORM

I wish to nominate for the vacant School Council positions.

Name

Signature

Date

RUNNING CLUB

After a very successful running club last year with thanks to Mrs Holmes and our P&C and parent volunteers, it has been agreed that running club will continue in 2023.

Running club will resume on Wednesday 22nd February.
(week 4) more info to follow.





PUPIL FREE DAYS 2023

Term 1

30th & 31st Jan
6th March

Term 2

25th April
2nd & 5th June

Term 3

17th July

Term 4

9th October
25th September
15th Dec



Have you joined our parent run Facebook page?

Connect with families and keep up to date with Newsletters, events and fundraising initiatives.

Search : **Padbury Primary Community** and request to be added.

Education Security

If you notice suspicious behaviour on our school site call:

1800 177 777
9264 4771



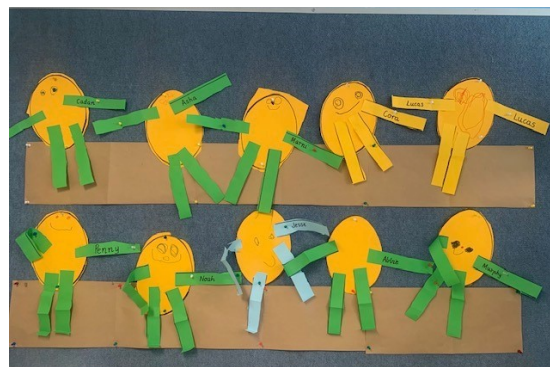
PARENT COMMUNICATION SURVEY:

Administration staff use a variety of online forums to communicate with parents and carers. So that we can streamline our communication processes, we would appreciate parents providing us feedback by way of the following survey.

Parent Communication Survey 2023	Almost Always	Seldom	Never
Please indicate how often you use the following when contacting the school or receiving information from the school. (tick the appropriate box)			
• Class Dojo			
• Connect			
• Phone – call or text message			
• Parents Facebook page			
Do you read the school newsletter? (please circle)	YES	NO	
If yes what is your preferred forum? (please circle)			
Class DOJO / Connect / Parents Facebook page / email			

Kindy—Room 10 with Ms Thomas

Welcome to all our new kindy students for 2023. They have made a Humpty Dumpty display.



Room 8 Pre-Primary with Ms Mitanoski and Mrs White

We are already seeing some wonderful work from the students in room 8. How fantastic are their self portraits?





Room 14—Year 1/2 Class with Mrs Aravidis and Mrs Patterson

It was all smiles in room 14, with students already visiting Mr Wood to receive star stickers for fabulous work.



LUNCH ORDERS 2023

Lunch orders are delivered to our school 4 days a week Monday/ Tuesday/ Thursday & Friday.

To order go to:
www.flexischools.com.au
and register.

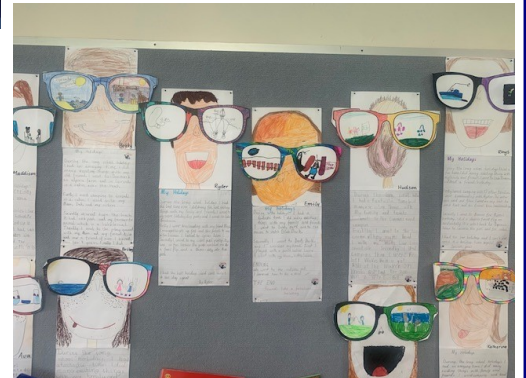
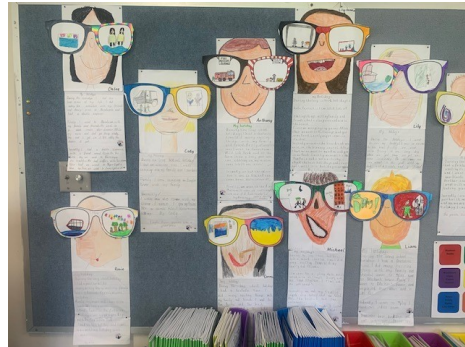
Lunch orders must be placed before 8.30am on the day of your order.



Price Lists are available from the office or our school website. Please see the friendly staff at Tudor Uniforms Wangara for all your uniform requirements. Ph: 9408 2666

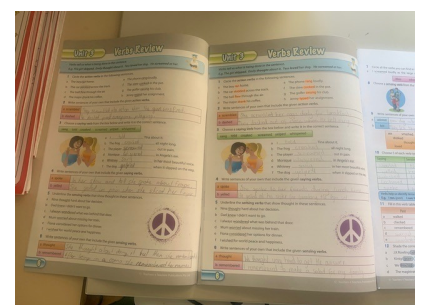
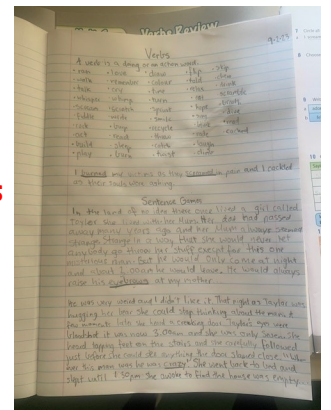
Room 18— Year 2/3 with Mrs Reid

Our new classroom is looking colourful with this addition of excellent work from our year 2/3 class.



Room 17—Year 5/6 with Mr Gillett and Mrs Holmes

Another example of fabulous work being produced by the year 5/6's.



P&C NEWS

meet & greet

Hello everyone and welcome to 2023!

We'd like to start with the year with a catch up and a welcome to new families! Most parents will be heading into school next Wednesday for the parent information evening so why not come in a little earlier for a bit of a catch-up?

The Padbury PS P&C would like to invite you all for a

free sausage sizzle

Wednesday 15th of February

4:30pm to 5:30pm

(just before the parent information event kicks off)

We'll be outside the Kindy and Pre-primary classrooms so come and say hi!



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Term 1 Planner 2023



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Education Security

If you notice
suspicious
behaviour on
our school
site call:
1800 177 777
9264 4632



	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI
Week 1	30/01 PUPIL FREE DAY STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND	31/01 PUPIL FREE DAY STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND	01/02 FIRST DAY TERM 1	02/02	03/02
Week 2	06/02	07/02 2 nd Hand Uniform 8.30am – 9.15am	08/02 Welcome Morning Tea - New Families Library 8.55am	09/02	10/02
Week 3	13/02	14/02	15/02 Parent Info Night 5.30pm to 6pm P&C Free Sausage Sizzle 4.30 to 5.30pm	16/02	17/02
Week 4	20/02	21/02	22/02	23/02	24/02 Student Leaders ASSEMBLY
Week 5	27/02	28/02	01/03	02/03	03/03
Week 6	06/03 LABOUR DAY STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND	07/03	08/03 School Photos Kapture	09/03	10/03
Week 7	13/03 Science Y1-4 1:20pm-3:00pm	14/03 Science Y5-6 1:20pm-3:00pm	15/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	16/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	17/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window
Week 8	20/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	21/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	22/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	23/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	24/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window
Week 9	27/03 NAPLAN Y3 + 5 Testing window	28/03 Harmony Day ASSEMBLY Taiko Japanese Drumming incursion 1:30pm-2:30pm	29/03	30/03	31/03
Week 10	03/04	04/04	05/04	06/04 Easter ASSEMBLY LAST DAY TERM 1	07/04 GOOD FRIDAY STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND



Community News



Padbury Education & Child Care Centre

Looking for Before and After School Care?

Padbury Education and Child Care Centre

We have vacancies available in our OSHCH!

Please contact us on

PH: 9307 3421

EMAIL: Kambarang@padburychildcare.com.au

- Before School Care
- After School Care
- Vacation Care

Padbury Education and Child Care Centre OSHCH Service, operating at Padbury Primary School



NORTH BEACH JUNIOR REGISTRATION COME & TRY DAY



SUNDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 11AM

COME DOWN FOR SKILLS & DRILLS, ACTIVITIES, A BBQ & PRIZES/RAFFLES AND MORE...

Blueforce Park, Charles Riley Reserve

@northbeachrugbyleague

Sustainable Sewing Classes in Padbury



WHY YOU'LL LOVE IT

- ✓ New project every time
- ✓ Designer skills
- ✓ All materials provided

Choose the day and time that is convenient for you!

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

3:30pm-4:50pm (Group 1)

5:00pm-6:20pm (Group 2)



Registration for term 1 are open!

63 Forrest Rd Padbury
BOOKING VIA PHONE TEXT:

0490956651

for more information go to our website:
<https://sustainablesewing.studio>

