

BULLETIN



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SCHOOL VISION: East Bentleigh Primary School provides a rich, inviting, child-focused environment ensuring that all students feel safe and stimulated. Our students are able to achieve their full academic, creative and social potential, equipped for the challenges of lifelong learning. Students develop into healthy and confident individuals, actively contributing to the world in which they live.

Hello everyone,

Parent / Helpers' Morning Tea

Today the staff provided a special morning tea to all our wonderful helpers at our school. We are very lucky at East Bentleigh Primary School to have so many school community members prepared to give up some of their time. I know not all of you were able to come, so I would like to take this opportunity once again to thank all those people who have given their time and expertise to help support our school in any way at all throughout the year. Your efforts are all very much appreciated by the staff and students of East Bentleigh Primary School.



Awards Assembly

Our Awards Assembly this year will be held on Monday 18th December starting at 9:00am. At our Awards Assembly children will be presented with various awards including sporting awards and community spirit awards for 2017. We will also announce our student leaders for 2018. This is always a very special annual event, so if you are able to attend, please try to get there. It is a wonderful time of celebration for our school community.

Students Reports

Your child's Semester 2 assessment report will be coming home on Friday 15th December. Please ensure you read through this report carefully and discuss (as appropriate) what it says with your child/ren. In particular, focus on the 'areas for improvement and future learning' and the achievement sections. It has been really interesting again this year reading through each class' assessments, particularly the children's own comments. They really give me a strong indication of what has been most enjoyable for them and what they know of themselves as learners.

I would like to thank all our teachers for the many hours of painstaking work they put into developing these reports for parents. I know that we all heave a sigh of satisfied relief when they are complete. They are a big job! I urge you all to take advantage of the parent comment page at the back of these reports. Any feedback received will help us to further improve our practice.

**** PLEASE NOTE ** Change to cooking lessons next week**

Next week is the last week of cooking, culminating on Friday 15th December with the Claire O'Neill Awards, (which we also cater for) by making the food during our cooking classes.

As a result - there will be a change in the timetable for cooking next week as follows:

Grade 4's will stay on Wednesday 13th December

Grade 3' will be on Thursday 14th December - same order as Tuesdays but on Thursday

5D and 5G on Friday 15th December , in this order – 5D @ 9:00am and 5G @ 11:30am

Please note - children will not be eating the food they prepare in cooking next week - as all the food prepared will be for the awards night. Please ensure you pack a lunch for your child on their cooking day.

Until next time.....Maria Shearn - Principal 😊