

Our Purpose: The Monmia school community is committed to providing innovative programs that Stimulate and challenge each student to develop lifelong learning skills and strategies. We provide a safe, nurturing environment where teachers, students and parents work in an effective partnership. www.monmia.vic.edu.au Phone: 03 9364 1007



MONMIA PRIMARY SCHOOL
- Learn and Achieve -

MONMIA MESSENGER

Dear Monmia Families,

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

- Vineta Mitrevski and Lorraine Bell attended the Keilor/St Albans Network Conference on Monday and Tuesday. Thank you to Natalija Caridi and Lucia Vorpasso who managed the school successfully in our absence.
- Thank you to all staff, students and visitors who followed all evacuation procedures during our drill last Thursday.
- Thank you everyone for your assistance with keeping everyone safe in moving around the construction zones in our school. Thank you for keeping entrances and exits clear when dropping off and picking up your children.

FOUNDATION ENROLMENT TIMELINE

The statewide [Foundation \(Prep\) enrolment timeline](#) asks parents, guardians and carers to submit enrolment applications by Friday 28 July 2023.

Enrolment applications submitted after that date will be considered as we receive them. in line with our [Placement policy](#).

The new timeline helps primary schools plan and manage current and future enrolments and staffing levels. It aims to make the Foundation enrolment process easier, clearer and fairer for families, by standardising key enrolment dates and processes.

If you have a child who is starting school in 2024 or know of families who have children ready to be enrolled, please visit our website for the Monmia Ps enrolment form and call the office on 9364 1007 to make an appointment for an individualized tour of the school.

STUDENTS AT SCHOOL PRIOR TO 8:45 AM

Parents, Guardians and Carers are reminded that the school yard is not supervised by Principal Class until **8:45 am** therefore it is not safe for students to be at school **before 8:30 am** unless they are booked into the school's Before Care program which provides supervision and activities. If children arrive before 8:30 am they need to go to the office for safety reasons. This morning there were three children near the Arts Room before 8:30 am. Staff would not have known they were there. Please remind children to go to the Office if they arrive at school before this time.

It is important that students arrive at school on time to start their learning day. We understand that sometimes families can be running late. If that is the case, students need to go to the office and collect a pass so that their teachers know they have arrived safely.

Warm Regards,

Lorraine Bell

Principal



FOUNDATION 2024 NOW ACCEPTING ENROLMENTS

We are **NOW** taking Enrolments for 2024!!!!

Do you have a child who is turning five by April 2024?

Do you know of a relative or friend who has a child who is ready to start school next year?

Make sure you pick up an enrolment pack from the office to secure a place in our Foundation classes for 2024. Enrolment applications due by **Friday 28 July**.

NO LUNCH ORDERS -CANTEEN CLOSED

Please note on **Monday 31 July** lunch orders will not be available on this day as the Queen Baker will be closed. Students must bring their play lunch and lunch to school.



Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are very excited that Monmia PS is commencing the School Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) adventure in 2023. All SWPBS schools implement 7 essential features.

7 ESSENTIAL FEATURES OF SCHOOL WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT

- 1. ESTABLISH A COMMON PHILOSOPHY AND PURPOSE** *Staff and students use a common language to discuss behaviour. School philosophy emphasises the need to teach appropriate behaviour much like academic learning.*
- 2. ESTABLISH LEADERSHIP AND SCHOOL-WIDE SUPPORT** *School leaders publicly endorse and support SWPBS. A team at the school leads implementation by creating, reviewing and monitoring an action plan. The work is done in collaboration by the whole staff with input from parents, students and the community.*
- 3. CLEARLY DEFINE A SET OF EXPECTED BEHAVIOURS** *The school identifies 3 to 5 behavioural expectations that apply at all times. Clear, positively stated examples are identified and displayed in different school settings.*
- 4. ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR TEACHING AND PRACTISING EXPECTED BEHAVIOURS** *A school-wide plan is developed to ensure behavioural expectations are taught to all students by all staff.*
- 5. IMPLEMENT A CONTINUUM OF PROCEDURES TO ENCOURAGE EXPECTED BEHAVIOURS** *School-wide systems are developed to acknowledge expected behaviour and promote commitment from all members of the school community.*
- 6. DEVELOP A CONTINUUM OF PROCEDURES TO DISCOURAGE INAPPROPRIATE BEHAVIOUR** *Schools clearly define problem behaviours and identify specific strategies and responses to minor and major behavioural infractions.*
- 7. USE PROCEDURES FOR RECORD-KEEPING, DECISION MAKING AND ONGOING MONITORING** *Schools review data on repeated behaviour issues, the settings in which they occur, and the consequences most likely to be applied for inappropriate behaviours. They correlate these with other sources of data such as academic progress, and analyse this data to make necessary adjustments to school operations in an effort to reduce inappropriate behaviour.*

Warm Regards,

Lucia Vorpasso

Assistant Principal - Student Engagement and Wellbeing

EVERY DAY COUNTS:

Prioritise Primary School Attendance

We all want our students to get a great education. The building blocks for a great education begin with students coming to school each and every day.

Missing school can have a major impact on a child's future.

- ***A student missing one day a fortnight will miss four full weeks by the end of the year.***
- ***By Year 10 they will have missed more than a year of school.***
- ***There is no safe number of days for missing school. Each day a student misses puts them behind and can affect their educational outcomes.***

Lucia Vorpasso

Student Engagement and Wellbeing Assistant Principal



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The Royal Children's
Hospital Melbourne

CASEA PROGRAM

SPOTLIGHT ON SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL)

THE SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL LEARNING SKILL FOR THIS WEEK IS FROM THE:

☒ BOUNCEBACK PROGRAM

☐ RESILIENCE, RIGHTS & RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS PROGRAM

☐ RCH CASEA PROGRAM

THE SCHOOL-WIDE FOCUS IS: RELATIONSHIPS! RELATIONSHIPS! RELATIONSHIPS!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

A very successful leader once said to me that the three 3Rs are the most important ingredient in life. The 3Rs are RELATIONSHIPS, RELATIONSHIPS, RELATIONSHIPS! Building strong relationships help others during good times and in times of need.

Getting along well with others and making friends will make you feel happier.

If you have good friendships and can get along well with others, you will be happier. It's great to do lots of fun things with friends and they are also good to talk to when you are worried or upset. It takes hard work to learn how to get along with other people and be a good friend. We aren't born knowing how to be a friend and get along with others. We all have to learn and practise how to do it just like we have to learn to read, write and do mathematics. To get along well with someone else you have to think about their feelings and what is fair.

No one has friends all the time. Everyone feels lonely sometimes.

Many people have times in their life when they feel like they don't have a friend, but this is usually only for a short time. If you try to get to know people and try to get along well with other people, you will make friends in no time at all.

Sometimes friendships change and are no longer as strong as they were.

People change as they grow and friendships don't always last. Sometimes your friends move on to other friendships and don't spend as much time with you. Sometimes you are the one who moves on and lets the friendship go. This is normal and it happens to everyone at some point in their life. It doesn't mean that there is anything bad or wrong with you or the other person.

Warm Regards,

Lucia Vorpasso

Assistant Principal - Student Engagement and Wellbeing



IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE DIARY

Term 3	Term 4
<p>Friday July 21 Years 3 – 6 Camp Deposit Due</p> <p>Tuesday July 25 Pie Drive -Delivery Date</p> <p>Friday July 28 ▪ Enrolment Application Due</p> <p>Monday July 31 – No Lunch Orders – Canteen Closed</p> <p>Tuesday 1 August ▪ Curriculum Day- Student Free (No School for students)</p> <p>Friday September 15 ▪ Last day of Term 3 (Early Finish at 2.30 pm)</p>	<p>Monday October 9 – Years 3-6 Day Camp PDL Campaspe Downs</p>
<p><u>Term Dates</u></p> <p>Term 3 – Monday July 10 – Students resume. Friday September 15 – Last day of Term 3 Student Finish at 2.30 pm</p> <p>Term 4- Monday October 2 – Student resume Wednesday December 20 – Last day of Term 4 Students finish at 1.30pm</p>	<p><u>CURRICULUM DAYS- Student Free</u></p> <p>Term 3 Tuesday 1 August - Curriculum Day- No school for students</p>

ISSUE 5

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ORDERS DUE BACK BY:

Book Club

FREE BOOK GIVEAWAY
GET UP TO 3 FREE BOOKS ON THE BACK COVER FOR DETAILS

INCLUDES 30 ULTIMATE GEMSTONE DIGITIZER, DIGITIZER, DIGITIZER TO COLLECT A GEMSTONING GLASS

001 Ultimate Gemstones & Dig Kit
Discover the world of brilliant gemstones!
32 pp. AGES 8+
~~\$34.99~~ **\$25.00**

002 Mega Shark
Ari and his friends swim with dolphins, but something is lurking beneath... 128 pp.
AGES 8+ \$9.99

003 The Thunder Eggs
Three friends go on a dangerous mission to return a dragon egg and restore peace. 144 pp. AGES 7+
~~\$20.98~~ **\$10**

004 Dragon Diary
NEW! Dragon Diary
192-pp hardcover. AGES 8+
~~\$24.98~~ **\$15.00**

005 The Trapped Puppy
Amalia's puppy falls down an old mine. 128 pp. AGES 7+ \$20.99

006 Ninja Kidz
Someone has stolen Grandma's hypnotic ring! 192 pp.
AGES 7+ \$15.99

007 Cat of Death!
The world's biggest Cat Video Star is accused of a crime she didn't commit. 192 pp. AGES 7+ \$16.99

008 Bosh Turkey
He's uncool and quirky... introducing Bush Turkey! 24-pp hardcover. AGES 3+ \$18.99 **\$12.00**

009 Bubble Tea Gel
TURNS BUBBLE TEA GEL WITH COMETAIL LOCK AND 3 KEYS

010 Baa Black Belt
This bumbling sheep thinks he's a krate master... 24-pp hardcover. AGES 3+ \$18.99 **\$12.00**

011 What Do They Do With All the Poo From All the Animals At the Zoo?
There's so much poo at the zoo... Where does it all go? 24 pp.
AGES 3+ \$16.99

EVERY CHILD DESERVES A BOOK **\$3**

SCHOLASTIC

SCHOLASTIC **Book Club**

*Book Club Orders Due Back By: **Friday 28 July***

STUDENT AWARDS



PRA	<i>Sam V.</i>	For joining in with songs and rhymes when learning.
	<i>Atticus T.</i>	For reading just - right books during independent reading and recognising high frequency words.
PRB	<i>Aleena R.</i>	For always trying your best to sound out words.
	<i>Albert T.</i>	For his excellent responsible attitude to his learning.
1/2A	<i>Jordan B.</i>	For having a go at writing sentences and improving his handwriting.
	<i>Marwah M.</i>	For being a great friend to others and showing kindness.
1/2B	<i>Zain B.</i>	For always trying his best to improve his work.
	<i>Ayla S.</i>	For always working well with others and showing cooperation.
	<i>Valeria M.</i>	Welcome to Monmia Primary School.
3/4A	<i>Lydia P.</i>	For the deliberate consideration she gives to questions asked.
	<i>Anshul K.</i>	For applying his mathematical knowledge. Well done Anshul!
3/4B	<i>Anna A.</i>	For acting upon feedback given to her to improve her rate of reading.
	<i>Nafas B.</i>	For using text clues to clarify a word when reading.
3/4C	<i>Xavier B.</i>	For showing an amazing improvement staying on task and doing his work in class!! You are amazing!!
	<i>Harley S.</i>	For an amazing start to term 3, he is making great choices during instructional learning and in class tasks.

5/6A	<i>Tiana K.</i>	For her great participation in our reading group.
	<i>Ali Z.</i>	For working hard to find interesting facts for his information report.
5/6B	<i>Hamza B.</i>	For showing greater maturity in class, focussing on his work and giving his best effort.
	<i>Wynd C.</i>	For kicking off season 2 of interschool sport with an amazing game.
Physical Education	<i>Maxi A.</i>	For coming to P.E. with a great mindset and showing 5 Star listening. Well done!
	<i>Madeline C.</i>	For never giving up and trying her hardest. Well done!
Languages -Japanese	<i>Phoenix D.</i>	For doing a fantastic job of sharing during our language exchange.
	<i>Callan T.</i>	For doing a fantastic job of sharing during our language exchange.
Performing / Visual Arts	<i>Wynd C.</i>	For excellent effort with your performance this week. Keep up the great work!
	<i>Leon C.</i>	For a fantastic and interesting performance this week. Well done, Leon!
	<i>Katie S.</i>	For using prior knowledge to help understand non-fiction texts.
TLI-Learning Tutor	<i>Ayla S.</i>	For excellent reading and knowing the features of non-fiction texts.
	<i>David I.</i>	For achieving his reading level and showing dedication.
	<i>Aleteia A.</i>	For achieving her reading level and showing dedication.
STEAM	<i>Kami N</i>	For your focus and great work in STEAM.
	<i>Aarna S.</i>	For your great illustrations of eucalypts in STEAM.

FAMILY & FRIENDS NEWSLETTER



2nd Hand School Uniform Shop

If your child needs more school apparel, please remember that you can purchase second hand uniforms for a fraction of the price:

Polo tshirts/School dress - \$2
Jackets/jumpers - \$5
Shorts/Pants/Skorts - \$1
School Bag - \$5
Hat - \$1

How? Contact the school office or contact any of the Family & Friends committee members.



TONY'S PIES



Thank you for supporting our pie drive! The fresh pies will be delivered next **Tuesday, 25th July!** Thank you for your support!

Join us at the
next meeting!



Date: 10th August 2023
Time: 9.15am
Venue: TBD

Coming Soon



Father's Day Stall
31st August



Footy/Sports
Out of
Uniform Day
14th September





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Step 2 Register

Select your Country of Residence as 'Australia' and follow the steps to register

Step 3 Find our school

Our school will appear in 'Nearby Locations' if you're within 10kms of the school, or search for our school by name.

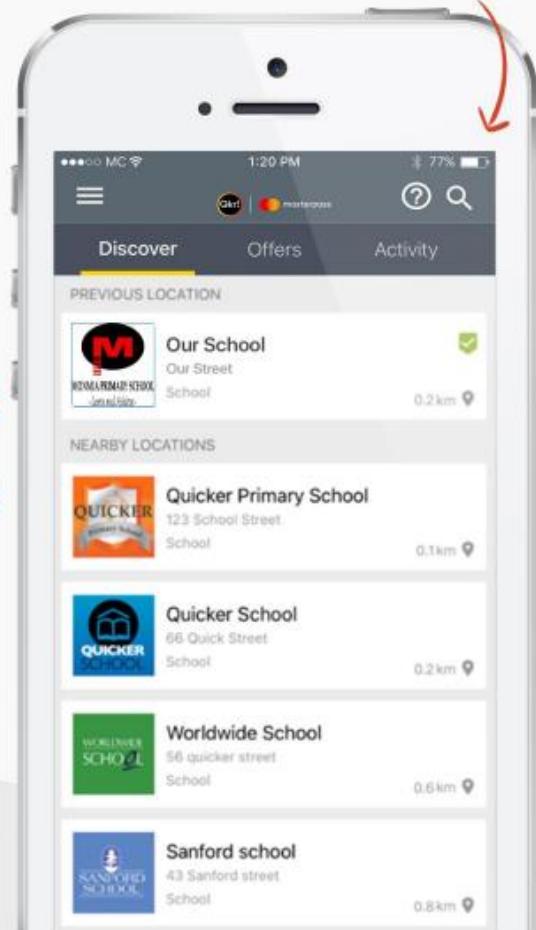
Step 4 Register your children

When first accessing our school you will be prompted to add a student profile for your child. This allows you to make orders and payments for them.

Search for our school name

If you have made a purchase you can select our school from 'Previous Location'

If you're within 10 kms of the school, you can select our school from 'Nearby Locations'





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Add your children's details in Student Profiles

Select
'Add student profile'



Add each
child's details



Manage each
child's details in
Student Profiles



Purchase school items

Select a menu
from our school



Select child
you are
ordering for



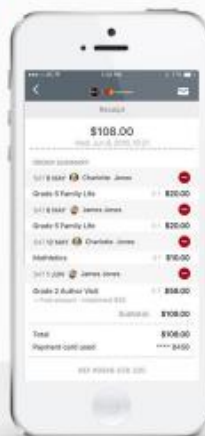
Select your items

Tap 'Checkout'
then confirm and pay



Making payments

Add up to 5 cards to your wallet



At checkout select which card to
pay with.

Pay with any cards accepted
by the school.

Once your payment is approved you
can continue to the home page, or
view your receipt.

Respectful Relationships



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safeandequal.org.au

Standing strong
against family
violence

**safe
steps** | Family Violence
Response Centre
1800 015 188

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our health in our hands
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orange
door**



www.education.vic.gov.au/hrweb/emolovcond/Pages/famviolence.aspx



1800RESPECT
NATIONAL SEXUAL ASSAULT, DOMESTIC
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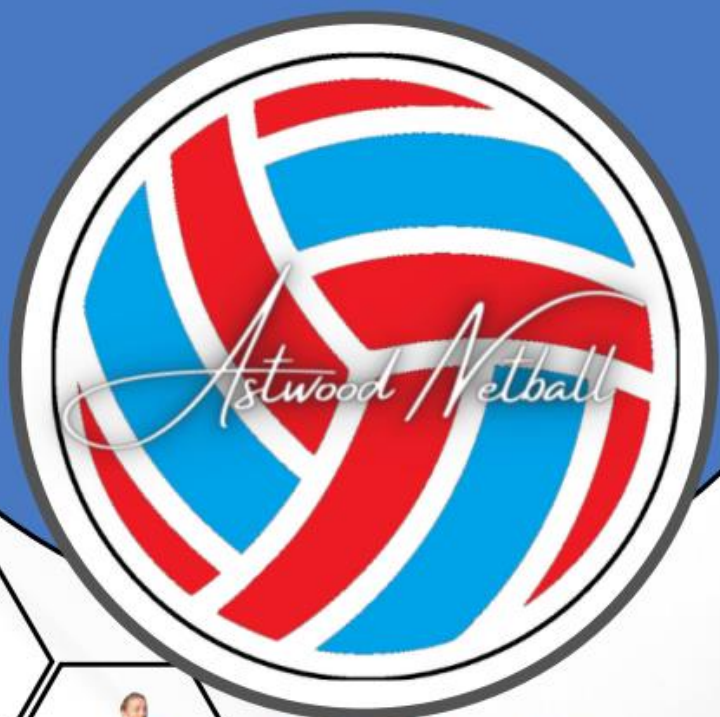
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1-1 COACHING

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CAMPS

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Astwood Netball

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CAMP 1:
18-19th
September
9:30-3:30

CAMP 2:
25-26th
September
9:30-3:30

COACHING DIRECTOR



Our coaches are passionate, experienced and dedicated to the game of Netball.

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EARLY BIRD

Register and sign up by 07/08/23

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per camp

PRICE

Registrations close 10/09/23

\$190
per camp

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Email:

astwoodnetball@gmail.com

Call:

0450300926

Location:

Keilor Stadium. Stadium Dr, Keilor Park