Daylesford & Yandoit Primary Schools
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Kind~Creative~Connected

We pay our respects to elders past, present and emerging.
We are proud to acknowledge Dja Dja Wurrung as the Traditional Owners of this Country.

DIARY DATES

TERM 4

December

Tues 16th Last day of classes-Free dress day

Lunch	12.30pm – 1.00pm
Special assembly	1.00pm - 1.30pm
Water fight	1.40pm – 2.30pm
Final class time	2.30pm – 3.20pm

*Water fight- please bring a full change of clothes, towel and plastic bag for wet items.

Wed 17th Student free day

Thurs 18th & Fri 19th Staff end of year clean up & 2026 planning

2026
January TERM 1 START DATES

Tues 27th Pupil free day

Wed 28th – Fri 30th Assessment days-schedules to follow

Thurs 29th Prep start classes (soft landing)

February

Mon 2nd Grades 1-6 start classes

Foundation students do not attend school on Wednesdays during Term 1

Office Hours: 8.30am to 4.00pm

2026 TERM DATES

Term 1	**January 27th – April 2nd**
Term 2	**April 20th – June 26th**
Term 3	**July 13th – September 18th**
Term 4	**October 5th – December 18th**

School hours/bell times:
Classroom doors will open at 8.50am

School commences:	9.00am
Morning recess:	11.00am – 11.30am
Lunch:	1.30pm – 2.20pm
Bus bell	3.15pm
School Dismissal:	3.20pm

WE ARE A RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIP SCHOOL

KIDS HELPLINE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: 1800 551 800
HEADSPACE FOR TEENS: 1800 650 890
Sometimes talking about what has been happening in your life can bring up concerns, where you may need to seek extra support.

Graham Dux winners 2025

And recipients of the Rosalind Pyers memorial trust scholarships

Congratulations

Roni

Vienna

Congratulations to our graduating Class of 2025

Wishing you all the best as you embark on the next exciting chapter of your lives

LAST DAY OF CLASSES 2025
Tues 16th December

3.20pm dismissal

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2025 AWARD WINNERS

Graham Dux Award- *In memory of the three lost children 1867.*
The Graham Dux Award is awarded to two students for "Outstanding scholastic ability and leadership"

They are ***Roni & Vienna***

J Richards Award- *In memory of two brothers who served in World War 1*
The J Richards Award is for Excellent scholastic ability and attitude" *Sponsored by S.Colyer*

Charlotte

E E Leggo Award-*In memory of a former student.*
The EE Leggo Award is for "Excellent scholastic ability and attitude" *Sponsored by Daylesford RSL*

Satchin

Terry Brooker Award-*A memorial for a former student*
The Terry Brooker Award is for "Sustained effort in their school work throughout the year" *Sponsored by L. Flynn*

Echo

Murray Stewart Award-*A memorial for a former student.*
The Murray Stewart Award is awarded to two students for "Outstanding sporting performance and sporting behaviour"
Sponsored by Daylesford Rotary club

They are **Wen & Georgie**

Arts Award-
Is awarded for "Outstanding performance in Visual and Performing Arts" *Sponsored by Bridget Bodenham*

Visual Arts is **Niamh**
Performing Arts is **Otis**

Lote-Italian Award-*is for "Outstanding achievment and sustained effort in Italian"*

Marni

Principal's Award
The Principal's Award is for two students for "Consistent performance and attitude throughout the year "

Felix & Kora

Citizen Award
The Citizen Award is for "Consideration and respect for others, friendliness, being positive and setting an excellent example through personal best" *Sponsored by Daylesford RSL*

Betty

Mary-Anne Thomas Award for Resilience
The Mary-Anne Thomas Award is for two students for "Showing Resilience and Perserverance in the face of Adversity"

Willow & Maisie

Our free dress day raised $228.50 To go to DAYLESFORD COMMUNITY OP SHOP TREE OF GIVING.

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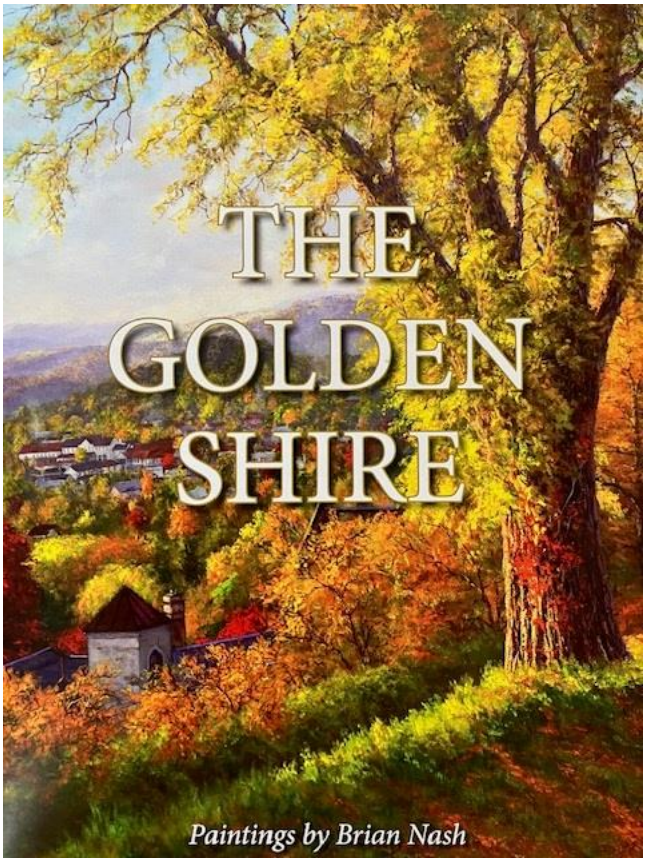
Parliament and Civics Education Rebate

PACER

Gr5/6 Students from our school have recently undertaken an education tour of the national capital. Students participated in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage, and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding to our school in the amount of $45 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion



Thank you to the Daylesford Rotary Club for their kind donation of a beautiful copy of Brian Nash's book for our Library.

THE SURLY GOAT

Huge thank you to The Surly goat for the generous hosting of our grade 6 graduation dinner. A lovely night was had by everyone and we are very grateful.

We are so grateful to the Daylesford Foundation for their support this year. They continually support our whole school.
Their generosity is making profound differences to our kids, families and school.
We cannot thank you enough.

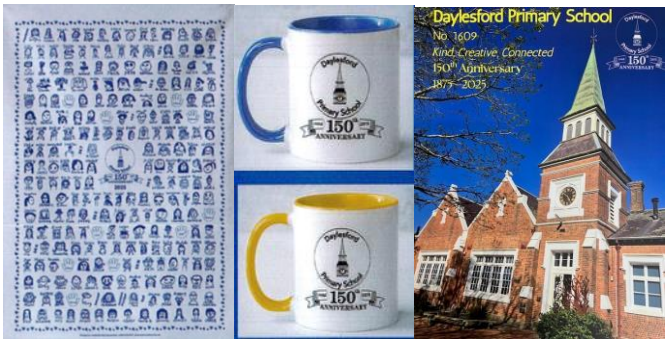
Thank you to all our Kitchen Garden volunteers and parent helpers

To all our classroom helpers

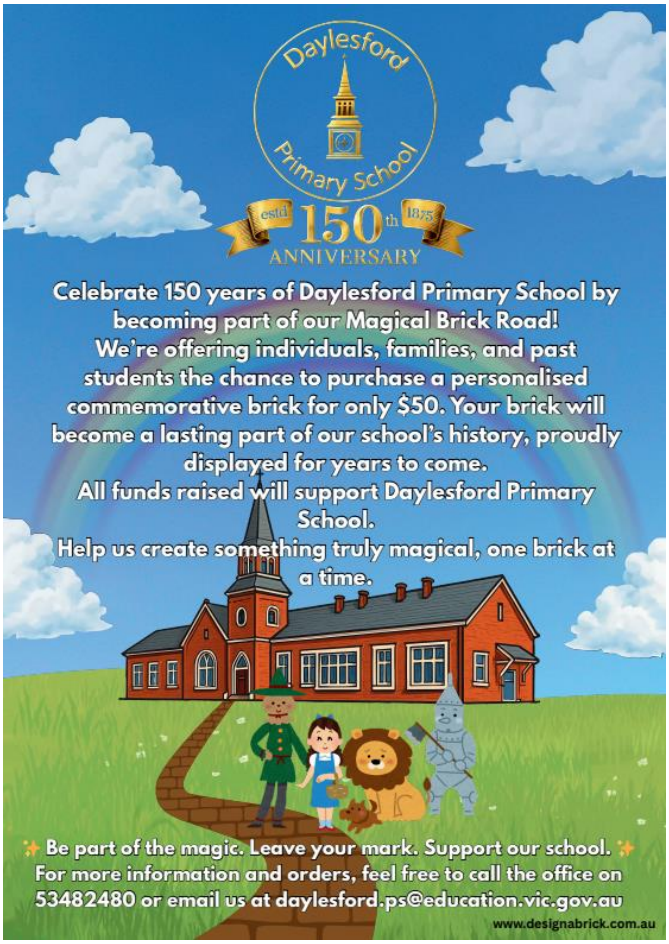
150th Memorabilia

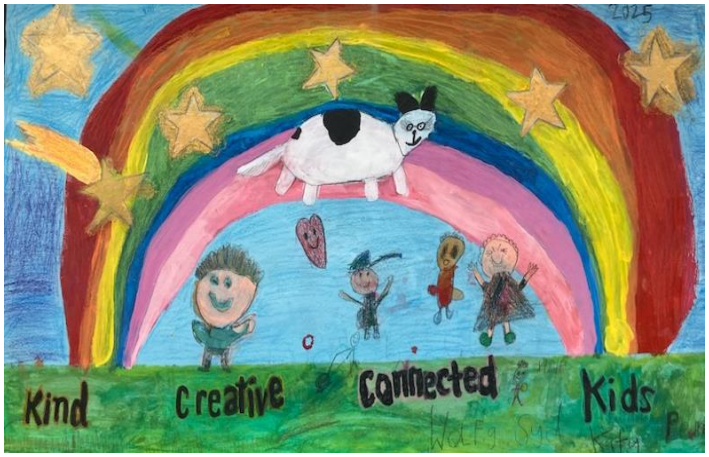
Is available for purchase at the school office

We have Tea Towels, mugs and a comemmorative booklet
Great Christmas presents!!!



Pavers are also available.at the cost of $50.00
Please see the order form at the back of the Newsletter





Our school just got a bit more colourful thanks to the contribution from a small group of grade 1/2 students who have been working to make two lovely murals which are now on display in the art room garden. Congratulations to Alwyn, Hamish, Eva, Harriet, Wolf and Benji for exemplifying our school values of being kind, creative and connected by working together to design and make these beautiful artworks. You spent so much time drawing and painting to make our school even more beautiful. Thank you! One mural contains depictions of things we enjoy at school including lots of different types of learning. The other shows Radcliffe jumping over a rainbow and the smiling happy people of DPS. Thanks also to Mark for putting them up on the wall of the shed for us! Great work everyone!

Hats are to be worn at all times in the playground during Terms 1 & 4 and on high UV days
Hats can be purchased from the office for $12

Please ensure sunscreen is applied each morning before school!

New art instalation

Birthday wishes to the following students & staff who have their birthdays in

DEC

Lani	12P	Keira	56K
Solly	56K	Frankie	12N
Leyla	12P	Thomas	34S
Harper	56M	Amelia	12P
Edwards	12N	Ryan	56K
Matilda	34S	Jaxon	12P
Scout	12N	Archie	56M
Luna	56E	Finn	34S
Sophia	56K		
Leigh	Yan		

Staff

Ashley	PE	Steph	ES	Judi S	34S
Lenni	ES	Nicola	12N		

The library is now closed!

Please return all books immediatley.

Time to check at home for any Library books you may have as **all** books are due back no

Hello families and friends of Daylesford Primary School,

The Daylesford College Year 11 VCE Vocational Major class is running a food drive in support of Foodbank Ballarat and we'd love your help! We appreciate the efforts of the primary school community in our previous food drives and we are reaching out again.

Foodbank is an excellent organisation dedicated to helping those who need a bit of support whether it be a one off or on a regular basis. According to Foordbank's website they 'provide food and grocery relief to 2,929 front-line charities and 3,220 school breakfast programs to help feed people in need.'

We are not asking for cash or anything large to be donated. All we are asking is that next time you're at the shops you slip an extra can or packet of something nutritious or helpful into your basket. This small contribution adds up and helps out those in need.

A single can of tomatoes or packet of spaghetti might not seem like much but if we work together, we can make these single items count! In addition to food items, if you'd like to donate cleaning items or hygiene products these are also most welcome. These are often the items that are cut from people's shopping lists when times are tough.

Items most in need:

- Canned fruit, vegetables, seafood, soups and meals
- Breakfast cereal
- Pasta, noodles and rice
- Long life milk and juice
- Coffee, tea and spreads
- Muesli bars, dried fruit and nuts
- Sauces, seasoning, cooking supplies like flour, oil and sugar
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Soap and deodorant
- Dental floss, toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Tissues and toilet paper
- Feminine hygiene products
- Household cleaning items

Collection point: front office foyer.

Thank you for your support of Foodbank and our VCE VM program's food drive.

The Story Behind The Graham Dux Awards

(The Three Lost Children)

On Sunday, June 30th, 1867, three little boys were lost in dense bush and their bodies were not found until 3 months later. This tragedy is remembered each year on Presentation Night at the Daylesford Primary School.

Mr. William Graham, in a spirit of thankfulness for the kindness of the residents of Daylesford in the long search for his two sons, invested £100 ($200), intending the interest to annually provide two prizes, now known as the Graham Dux Awards.

Turning back the clock to that cold day, it appears the children had wandered from their homes and both fathers had searched for them unsuccessfully. They reported this fact to the "Daylesford Mercury" in which was inserted the following extract.

"Information was brought to our office a little before mid-night last night that three little boys, William and Thomas Graham, aged seven and four years, sons of William Graham, of Connell's Gully, and Alfred Burman, son of Benjamin Burman, of the same place, are missing. They went out yesterday forenoon in search of some goats. About midday they were seen at Sailor's Creek Junction. From the direction they were then taking it is presumed they have gone on to the ranges between Sailor's Creek and the Blanket Flat (an old diggings name for Eganstown). A search was ineffectively kept up all day till a late hour at night."

Thirty miners, employed by the Specimen Hill Company, volunteered to join the search — thus losing half a day's wages. On the following days there was no lack of searchers. Hundreds of residents joined in the quest, Blacktrackers were sent for, and a systematic search was organised. Parties under the leadership of the Mayor (Mr. W. Prohasky), Mr. Donald McLeod, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Parker, Mr. Hartley, Mr. A. Johnston, Mr. Taylor, the Police Magistrate, and many others scoured the country in all directions without success.

Public Meetings were held nightly, when reports of each day's proceedings were announced and suggestions invited from those present. This continued for weeks. Rewards were offered both by the Government of the day and by private citizens for the discovery of the children, alive or dead.

It was not until the morning of Saturday, September 14th, of the same year that the mystery was cleared up. On the previous day, Mr. McKay, a timber splitter, whose hut lay about a mile and a half from Wheeler's Sawmill on Musk Creek, and about three miles from his homestead, went for a bucket of water, his dog accompanying him.

On his return he met a neighbour, Mr. Charles Stewart, and while they were talking, McKay's dog passed without attracting notice. On returning to his hut, McKay's attention was attracted to his dog. He observed that the animal had something in his mouth, which he found to be a child's boot.

McKay guessed at once that the remains of the three lost children were not far away, and he went in search of Stewart, to whom he showed the boot. They carried out a search for two hours without success and word was sent to the sawmill. Mr. Riddell then joined them, and the search was kept up till nightfall.

The following morning Messrs. Wheeler MLA, McKay, Riddell, Stewart, and the two brothers named David and Ninian Brian, met at McKays. The dog was let loose, and the men posted themselves on as elevated situations as they could find to watch the dog, but the animal refused to leave the hut. The men then formed themselves into a search party, proceeding abreast a short distance from each other. David Brian, on jumping a log forming part of a fence, discovered some clothing scattered about, and shouted "Here they are!"

His brother was next to him, but on the opposite side of the log. Starting out to join his brother he went round a large tree forming a corner to join two fences. On rounding it he discovered a hollow in the tree, and a glance revealed to him the bodies of two children. They were lying with their faces toward the inside of the tree — the younger one farther in, and the older boy outside as if to shelter him. His right arm was under and embracing Graham junior, who lay partly on his body as if nestling there for warmth. Those in the tree were supposed to be William and Thomas Graham, another boy farther out to be Alfred Burman.

The picture of the old tree which sheltered the children in their last sleep has been preserved to this day.

The presentation of the Graham Dux prizes is now the occasion for quite a ceremony at the Daylesford Primary School. The value of the prizes is small in a monetary sense; but their link with the past makes the Awards very highly prized. The School Honour Boards show the recipients of this very special award, since its inception in 1889.

DAYLESFORD
STATE SCHOOL
GRAHAM DUX PRIZE
1920
ENID ANDERSON

DUX

Graham Dux Prize Winners
This Board Gift of the
1912
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
GIRLS · BOYS · GIRLS · BOYS
1889 1905
1890 1906
1891 1907
1892 1908
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1894 1910
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1896 1912
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1898 1914
1899 1915
1900 1916
1901 1917
1902 1918
1903 1919
1904 1920
Chairman P. C. F. Macan
P. Veivers. F. Brewer.
G. J. Freeman. Correspondent
Alfred. Elvish. W. E. Goodluck

Graham Dux Prize Winners
Girls · Boys · Girls · Boys
1921 1930
1922 1931
1923 1932
1924 1933
1925 1934
1926 1935
1927 1936
1928 1937
1929 1938
L. Hanson, Chairman
N. Harvey
F. J. Leslie
H. A. Jupp, Headmaster

Graham Dux Prize Winners
BOYS GIRLS BOYS GIRLS
1939 1951
1940 1952
1941 1953
1942 1954
1943 1955
1944 1956
1945 1957
1946 1958
1947 1959
1948 1960
1949 1961
1950 1962
James McRobert, Elsie Thompson
Kenneth Roberts, Naomi Thorpe
Alan L. Cross, Sylvia Sharrock
Robert Schofield, Heather Rae
Donald Elburn, Greta Nichols
Adrian Holmes, Jennifer Roberts
George Roberts, Jean Caddy
Harold Davey, Kathryn Bertram
Ronald Edwards, Valda Magree
David Anderson, Faye Elderfield
Albert Ladiges, Ruth Browne
Robert Eades, Glynes Roberts
Donald W. Quick, Beatrice I. Mullins
Kenneth Ogden, Wendy Bath
Robert Mackay, Anita Telford
Colin Murray, Mary Dodd
John A. Barnes, Cecily F. Coon
Winston Jackson, Christine Roberts
John Walker, Elaine Neyland
Ewan Cameron, Carolyn Crocos
Lancel W. Ford, Lois E. Wade
Winston Silbereisen, Cheryl McDonald
Raymond Neyland, Nancye Irwin
Craig Bremner, Janet Powell
Committee
CANON. R. BLENNERHASSETT Chairman
Mrs H. BATH
W. CROSS
W. W. WOOD
A. MITCHELL
A. E. DOHERTY
O. F. BROWN
W. J. MILNE

Graham Dux Prize Winners
BOYS · GIRLS BOYS · GIRLS
1963 1973
1964 1974
1965 1975
1966 1976
1967 1977
1968 1978
1969 1979
1970 1980
1971 1981
1972 1982
John Hills, Jean Gooch
Leo Hourigan, Deborah Anderson
James Sewell, Pauline Malone
Paul Dwyer, Janine Balharrie
William Malone, Robin Parncutt
John de van der Schueren, Donna Waller
David Brereton, Glenda Lynch
Jeffrey Westbrook, Susan Christensen
Christopher Kirby, Leanne Cooper
Dale Williams, Gabrielle Barry
Geoffrey Langdon, Jan Parncutt
David Blain, Donna Atkinson
Gregory Rae, Faye Jeffrey
Terence Hourigan, Deanne Orr
Peter Brereton, Dawn Moffat
David Holmes, Anne Rutherford
Ross Irving, Leanne Winduss
David Walker, Jodie Hallinan
Alan Irving, Faye Atkinson
Michael Kunz, Angela Manning
Committee
Mrs G. H. BATH
A. C. BREBETON
H. P. DOWAN
REV. J. F. GIBBINS
Mr J. E. GRANT
E. G. LIVESIDGE
W. A. PILMORE
G. RAE
Mrs W. C. STEWART
J. S. TORRANCE

W. CROSS
W. W. WOOD
A. E. DOHERTY
O. F. BROWN
W. J. MILNE
H. HUGHES
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Michael Courtot, Angela O'Shea
Joshua Loper, Rebecca Haycroft
Marron Silbereisen, Melinda Lippiegoes
James Evans, Kate Anderson
David Gibson, Lara Verplak
Keris Arndt, Kayla McGinness
Richard Miter, Tania Seeley
Bethany Taylor, Mira Mihaly
Danny Bird, Laura Partyka
Eliot Jones, Christina MacDonald
Steven Sherlock, Natalie Silbereisen
Stuart Wilson, Lilah Benetti
Adam Ware, Jennifer Salt
Ben Gardiner, Rosanna Powell
Adriel Neal-Gribie, Helen Lippiegoes
Tom Thomas, Monique Bricknell
Simon Milton, Katie Mobbs
Anna Stewart
Kathryn Donald
Patrick Brannigan, Stacey Stownhill
Andrew Culvenor, Claire Garner
Dylan Baker, Imogen Micklewright-Hill
Alexander Eggleston, Ann Chapman
Shoshana Snidermur-Wise
Brayden McLeod
David Eggleston, Karen Files

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2022
2023
Will Parentich, Vicki Powell
Scout Kinnear, Charli Scopel
Nicholas Evagora, Kara Cooper
Matthew Hunt, Dru Dickenson-Bray
Julian Hobson, Lydia Edwards
Leo Gunn, Layla Bull
Liam Murray, Georgia Parentich
Myles Perry, Matilda Botting
Lachlan Hobson, Natasha Pasahidis
Ruby Lohse, Juliette Stockfeld
Lachlan John, Isabella Thomas
Skye Forbes, Phoebe Metcalf
Alex Hitchman, Eve Stockfeld
Marlon Toner-McLachlan, Sophie John
Ben English, Anna Santurini
Keaton Dickenson-Bray, Yemaya Greenwood
Asher Waldon, Keylah Walker
Eammon Taylor-Perry, Ruby Hunt

THREE LOST CHILDREN
MEMORIAL PARK

In Memory of
the
LOST CHILDREN
WILLIAM GRAHAM
AGED 6 YEARS
THOMAS GRAHAM
AGED 4 YEARS
ALFRED H BURMAN
AGED 5 YEARS
WHO WANDERED FROM THEIR HOMES
AT
TABLE HILL
ON SUNDAY JUNE 30TH 1867

DAYLESFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

FUNDRAISING FOR A BETTER FUTURE

This fundraiser is to commemorate the school's 150th anniversary by creating named pavers, to be laid next year on the school grounds. Individuals and families are offered the opportunity to place their name/s on pavers. All funds raised will support Daylesford Primary School.

COST $50 PROVIDES YOU WITH A PERSONALISED ENGRAVED PAVER TO BE PLACED WITHIN THE SCHOOL GROUNDS IN RECOGNITION OF YOUR CONTRIBUTION AND SUPPORT.

ENGRAVING DETAILS – MAX 17 CHARACTERS PER LINE

Please print clearly using ALL CAPITAL LETTERS. Max 3 lines per paver.
Each box represents a character (letter, number, punctuation mark or space). No hand drawings.

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CONTACT DETAILS AND PAYMENT OPTIONS :

Name | **Phone** | **Amount Paid** $

Payment Options (please circle) : **CASH or CARD**

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STUDENT / COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Daylesford Karate Club

Training Days: Tuesday and Thursday

Times: **5.30 pm - 6.00 pm Beginners and ages 5-9 years**
6.00 pm - 7.30 pm 10 years - adult

Adults are most welcome to join as well as children. Adults who are unable to attend the 5.30 session are more than welcome to arrive at 6.00pm

If you wish to find out more information about us, please call Heather Wingate on 0417108757

PARENT PAYMENTS POLICY

PARENT PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS 2026

1st November 2025

Dear parent/guardian,

Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School is looking forward to another great year of teaching and learning and would like to advise you of Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School's voluntary financial contributions for 2026.

Schools provide students with free instruction to fulfil the standard Victorian curriculum and we want to assure you that all contributions are voluntary. Nevertheless, the ongoing support of our families ensures that our school can offer the best possible education and support for our students.

We want to thank you for all your support, whether that's through fundraising or volunteering your time. This has made a huge difference to our school and the programs we can offer.

Within our school, this support has allowed us to implement and coordinate the best possible programs that enhance and enrich our traditional teaching and learning culture. These financial contributions assist us with the purchasing of vital learning tools in art, science, Lote, ICT, music and physical education equipment and resources that complement the core business of teaching & learning in literacy & numeracy.

The commitment from parents to contribute benefits students and results in improved achievement outcomes, wellbeing and engagement in learning. At Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School, we design and develop learning and teaching programs drawing on the best educational knowledge and practices and strive to offer broad and enriched opportunities to students that are above and beyond what is required in the standard curriculum and what is provided for by government funding.

Please find attached Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School's contributions schedule for 2026, which includes an overview of what your contributions will help us to provide. All necessary consumable items will be supplied directly for students to use in classrooms.

For further information on the Department's Parent Payments Policy please see a one-page overview on our website.

Yours sincerely,

Alexandra McCann
Principal

Natalie Fagan
School Council President

We pay our respects to elders past, present and emerging.
We are proud to acknowledge Dja Dja Wurrung as the Traditional Custodians of this Country.

Curriculum Contributions - items and activities that students use, or participate in, to access the Curriculum	Amount
Classroom consumables, materials & equipment • Classroom - pens, pencils, textas, glue sticks, writing, graph and scrap books, highlighters, post-it notes, folders, display books, scissors, rulers, sharpeners, rubbers etc. • Art – paint, crayons, canvas, glitter, coloured paper, glue, card, wool, material, wood, beading • Science – ingredients, books, shared classroom materials • Numeracy – numeracy blocks, calculators, text books, stationary, maths materials, grid books • Literacy – book boxes, class sets, novels, readers, decodable readers, comprehension materials • Sports – equipment, ribbons, materials • LOTE-workbook and shared classroom materials • Music – instruments, books, pens, markers and folders • Library – books, subscriptions, bags, coverings	$105
Online Subscriptions • Class Dojo • Linguascope • Essential Assessment Numeracy & Literacy • Maths 300 • Soundwaves	$20
ICT & STEM – • STEM equipment and devices • provision of iPads and devices from the shared classroom sets • Headsets	$70
Printing and photocopying of worksheets and learning materials	$20
Total Amount	**$215**
Other Contributions - for non-curriculum items and activities	**Amount**
School Sports Victoria & Goldfields membership	$10
First aid equipment and Hygiene Costs	$5
Student wellbeing programs: Puberty Program, Family groups, Buddies, Transitions	$10
Student & Parent Communication Software: Xuno *Assessment & Reporting Packages: Accelerus*	$45
School grounds mowing, maintenance and repairs:	$30
****Please nominate an amount for Other Voluntary Contributions, Non-curriculum items** **Any amount is appreciated. $25 $50 $100 or $_____**	**$**

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities
Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School offers a range of items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides in order to deliver the Curriculum.
These are provided on a user-pays basis.

No payment is required for these items or activities at this time – permission forms and payment requests will be sent out to families throughout 2025.

Extra-Curricular Items and Activities	Amount
Optional Grade 6 Magazine/Grade 6 Polo Top	*$TBA*
Optional School Photos	*$TBA*
Optional Kitchen Garden Program	*$TBA*
Optional Excursions/Incursions/camps	*$TBA*
Optional Swimming Program	*$TBA*
Optional Interschool Sports, cross country, and athletics	*$TBA*
Optional Concerts/Performances/Significant events/Ceremonies/Community inclusion events	*$TBA*
Total Extra-curricular Items and Activities	**Total: To be advised**

Financial Support for Families

Daylesford & Yandoit Primary School understands that some families may experience financial difficulty and offers a range of support options, including:

- *the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund to eligible Health Care Card holders (CSEF)*
- *Centrepay*
- *Flexible payment arrangements*
- *State schools relief*

For a confidential discussion about accessing these services, or if you would like to discuss alternative payment arrangements, please contact Deanne Cooper, Business Manager, 5348 2480
Email: Deanne.cooper@education.vic.gov.au

Refunds

Parent requests for refunds are subject to the discretion of the school and made on a case-by-case basis.
Refunds will be provided where the school deems it is reasonable and fair to do so, taking into consideration whether a cost has been incurred, the Department's Parent Payment Policy and Guidance, Financial Help for Families Policy and any other relevant information.

Your details:		
Student's name/s:	**Year level**	**$**
Curriculum Contributions ($215 per student)		$
Other Contributions (any amount is greatly appreciated)		$
Extra-Curricular Items and Activities		$
TOTAL		$

Payment methods –Daylesford Primary School

- *Cash*
- *EFTPOS*
- *Direct deposit to the school's bank account*
  Daylesford PS-Commonwealth bank BSB: 063-000 Account No: 12457969 (Detail: Child/ren name)
- ***BPay Biller code**: 87361 **BPay reference is:** (contact the school for your unique Reference)*
  53482480 or Daylesford.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Payment methods-Yandoit Primary School

- *Cash*
- *EFTPOS at Daylesford PS front office*
- *Direct deposit to the school's bank account*
  Yandoit PS-Commonwealth bank BSB: 063-000 Account No: 13273432 (Detail: Child/ren name)

- *Direct debit from your debit or credit card (please complete details below ** & forward to Office)*

***I authorise $_____ to be charged to my Visa / MasterCard.*

Details as follows:

NAME (as on card)							
CARD NO:							
SIGNATURE							
		VISA		***MASTERCARD***		***EXPIRY DATE***	____Month_____Year

PARENT PAYMENTS POLICY

ONE PAGE OVERVIEW

FREE INSTRUCTION

- Schools provide students with free instruction and ensure students have free access to all items, activities and services that are used by the school to fulfil the requirements of the Curriculum. This includes the Victorian Curriculum F-10, the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) including the VCE Vocational Major and the Victorian Pathways Certificate.
- Schools may invite parents to make a financial contribution to support the school.

PARENT PAYMENT REQUESTS

Schools can request contributions from parents under three categories:

Curriculum Contributions	Other Contributions	Extra-Curricular Items and Activities
Voluntary financial contributions for curriculum items and activities which the school deems necessary for students to learn the Curriculum.	Voluntary financial contributions for non-curriculum items and activities that relate to the school's functions and objectives.	Items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides for free to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis.

- Schools may also invite parents to supply or purchase educational items to use and own (e.g. textbooks, stationery, digital devices).

FINANCIAL HELP FOR FAMILIES

- Schools put in place financial hardship arrangements to support families who cannot pay for items or activities so that their child doesn't miss out.
- Schools have a nominated parent payment contact person(s) that parents can have a confidential discussion with regarding financial hardship arrangements.

SCHOOL PROCESSES

- Schools must obtain school council approval for their parent payment arrangements and publish all requests and communications for each year level on their school website for transparency.