

# NEWSLETTER

## No. 20

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Office Hours 8.30am—4.00pm

Wednesday 18th July 2018

**Our Vision Statement:** 754 Primary School will maximise opportunities for its students to be resilient learners in an ever changing world.

**The Values of 754 revolve around:** Resilience, Responsibility and Respect. Our whole school approach of School Wide Positive Behaviour Support, is the Framework to support these values.

### July

**Wed 25th:** Community Consultation Night

**Mon 30th:** Sovereign Hill Camp - 5/6 Students

**Breakfast Club:** Run by the Salvation Army  
Monday and Thursday 8.15am - 8.45am

### August

**Wed 1st:** Yr 5/6 Students return from Sovereign Hill camp

**Thur 2nd:** Grade 2 Sleepover

**Fri 3rd:** Jeans for Genes Day  
(Gold Coin Donation)

**Fri 17th:** Whole School Athletics

**754 Community Playgroup:**  
Every Thursday 9.00am - 11.00am in the hall.

### Week 1 Term 3

Good afternoon and welcome back to week 1 of term 3. We talk about term 3 as being the "moving term", where the children really start to accelerate their learning. We are way past setting standards and expectations, routines and more – so "watch this space", the children and the teachers will now get pay back for all the hard work of semester 1. The end of term 2 saw **reports distributed** to families and there will be the formal Parent Teacher Interviews at the end of this term, BUT, please don't wait until then if you have a concern and would like to discuss anything with either your class teacher or myself; just make an appointment.

It was an absolute delight walking around the classes this morning, chatting with the children and seeing them at work. Check out the **collage attached!**

I need to welcome on board both **Anita Padula and Kassandra Collins**, who both have their first day at 754 today. Anita is providing the Multi Cultural program and Kassandra will be PE for the first 3 weeks of term, whilst Nick O'Brien is on leave.

I would like to also remind people that the School Council is seeking feedback around the use of the **BEEC**, the block out at Granite Rock. The block has fallen into a state of disrepair and we need to make some decisions around its future. You are able to provide feedback in two ways:

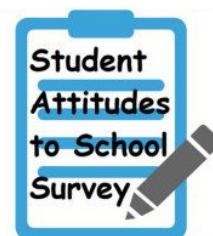
1. Email your thoughts to [bairnsdale.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au](mailto:bairnsdale.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au)
2. Drop off your thoughts in writing at the general office.

Please provide any feedback to the school by the end of week 2 of term 3. (Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July)

Last term the students from Grades 4, 5 & 6 completed the annual **Attitudes to School Survey**, and the results came back to the school on Monday – They are Fantastic – Superdaplous – Magnifico!

The survey covers aspects of 5 main areas:

Effective Teaching Practise, Teacher – Student relationships, Learning Characteristics, Social Engagement and Student Safety, all from the perspective of the 4, 5 and 6 students. In all there are 17 elements, our results indicate growth from last year and we have ranked in the top 95% of the state! Go us! This is an extremely pleasing result and reflects an excellent light on the work we are doing. The full survey will be unpacked both at School Council and with the students, it is their story to tell and the feedback is important.



**Community Consultation Night** - This night will occur on Wednesday the 25<sup>th</sup> of July. This is week 2 of Term 3. (As was advertised in the newsletters last term) This event has been so successful over the last 2 years, that we have decided to make it an annual event. It is an opportunity for our parent community to come along and give us direct feedback on many aspects of the school. Each table for discussion will have a Principal from another school in our area, a staff member from 754, a student or two, a member of our school council and of course parents. I will pose a series of questions to the table for discussion and then we follow up the feedback given. Please put this date in your diaries and I look forward to seeing you on the night. If you could please contact the office to let us know your intention to come along, then we will more easily be able to cater (nibbles) and arrange table numbers. Thanks!



**Something to ponder:** During the break I was listening to Michelle Obama speaking about education. She spoke with great wisdom and insight around the greatest gift that we must provide children is an education. She highlighted that we need to recognise the role that we all play, as part of the bigger team and be both thankful and respectful of each other. DET is the biggest employer in Victoria, we need to recognise that nothing is more important than an excellent education for every child and be sure to contribute in our own way, to make that happen.



Talk soon.  
Trudie Nagle  
Principal

### **School Absences:**

Parents/Carers, please remember to call the school by 9.00am if your child/children are going to be absent this will enable us to mark them accordingly on the roll and save you a phone call from our attendance officer.



### **Grade 5/6 Sovereign Hill Camp:**

Just a reminder to families without Centrepay, Sovereign Hill Camp must be paid in full before Wednesday 25th July.

### **Library News:**

We have a large number of students with overdue library books. Notes have gone with students listing their overdue books, could you please follow this up with your child/children. Overdue books not returned will incur a \$10.00 lost fee and your child will be unable to borrow books until the fee is paid or books have been returned. Please have your child look under beds, behind couches or the back seat of the car to try and locate their missing books. Thank you - Library Team

### **Music Lessons:**

Family statements are going home with students tomorrow, please be reminded that for your child to continue with their music lessons this term music fees for Term 1 and 2 should be paid in full (unless you a payment plan in place). Thank you.

### **Coin Challenge:**

Last term we held a coin challenge which saw each class collect as many coins as they could. The class that had the longest line was 3/4C - Mr Vague's Class. They were lucky to win hot chips on the last day of term. The total raised was \$345.55 Thank you to everyone who contributed to this fundraiser.

### **Racquetball (Juniors):**

This year we are running a juniors racquetball competition for ages 6 - 14. New players welcomed! This is an ideal opportunity to learn a new sport and make some great friends along the way. Each school term there will be a pennant. It runs on a Monday night and starts at 4:00pm. It is held at the Bairnsdale squash and table tennis Centre. Each Monday night. It is extremely affordable and lots of fun. Racquets are provided. Please call Laughlin Barlow (junior racquetball coordinator) for further information on mobile: 0490 065 203





## Student Awards

**Prep A:**

**1 / 2 A:**

**1 / 2 B:**

**1/2 C:**

**3/4 A:**

No Awards this week

**3/4 B:**

**3/4 C:**

**5/6 A:**

**5/6 B:**

**5/6 C:**

**5/6 D:**

## Canteen News



### **Canteen Closed on Monday's**

Slushies are now available at the canteen.

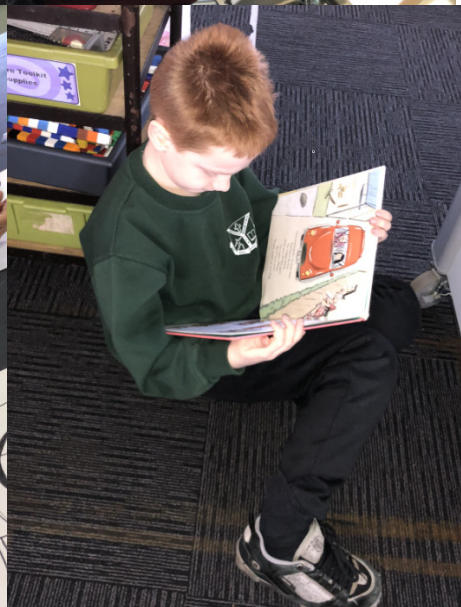
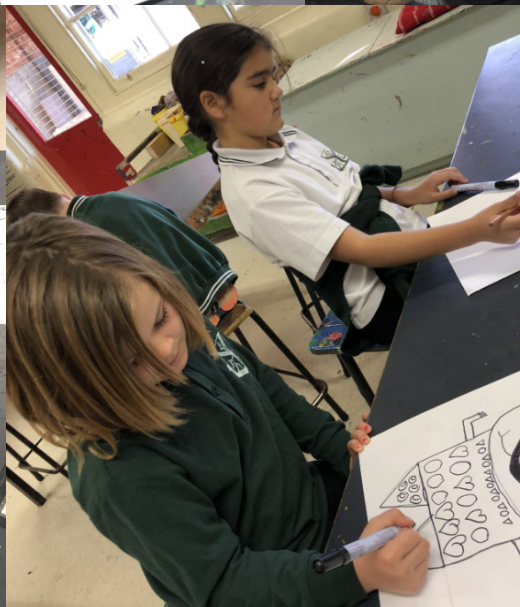
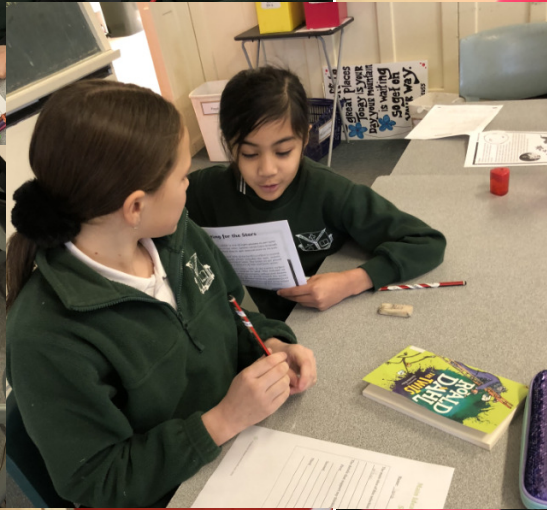
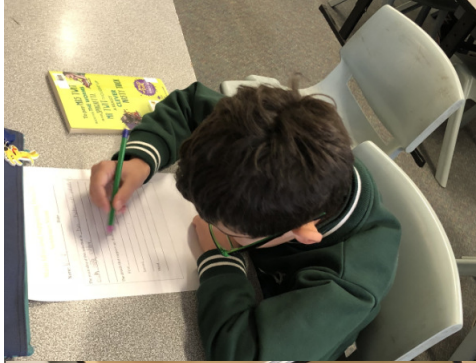
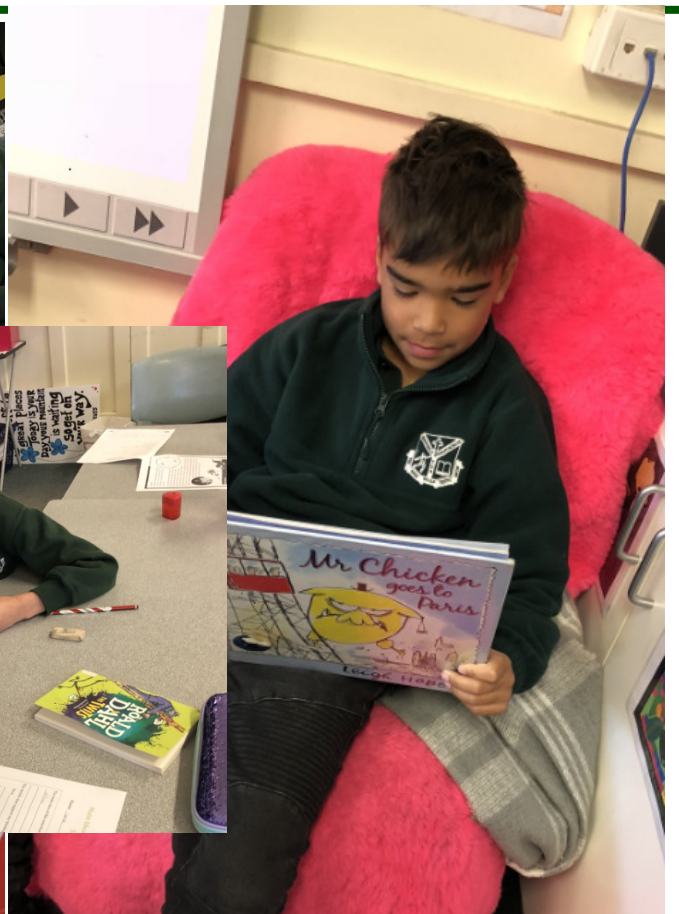
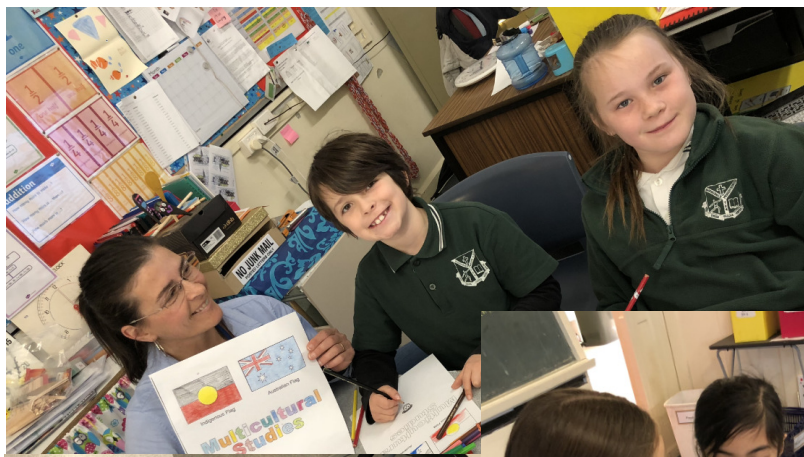
Volunteers welcome from 9:30am to 10:50am

If interested please see Dan at the canteen or leave your name and number with the office staff.

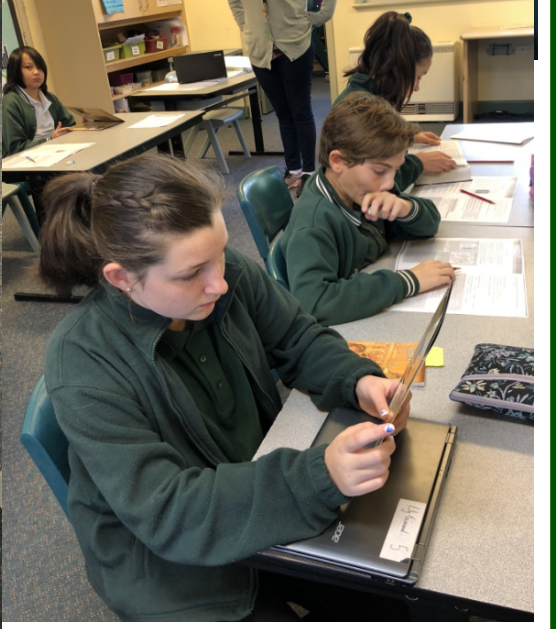
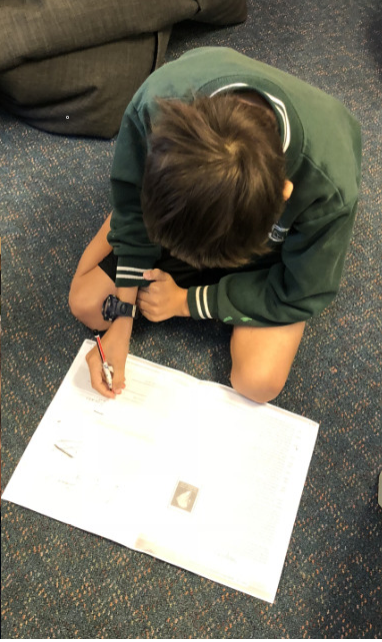
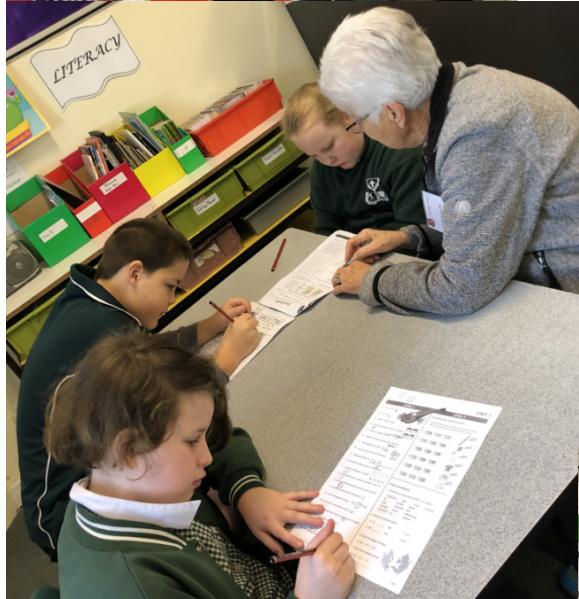


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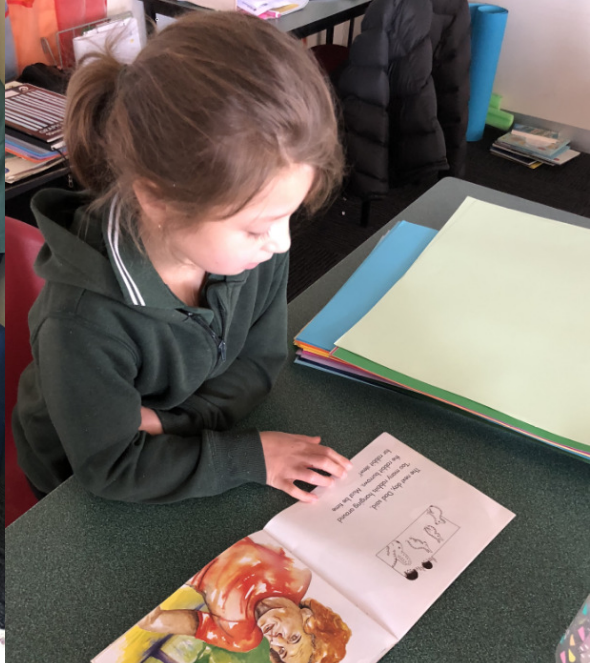
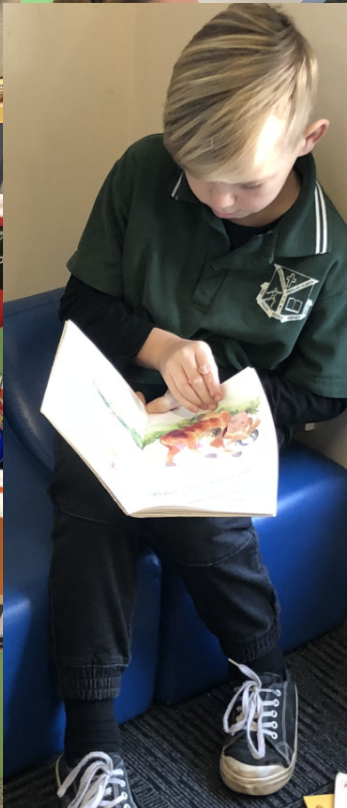
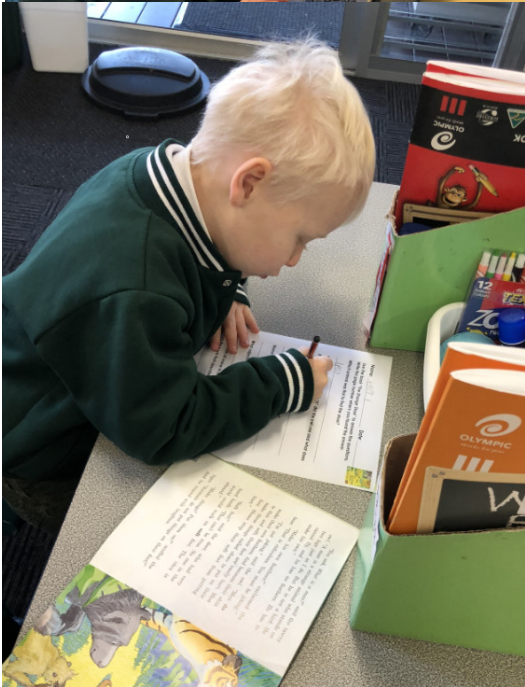
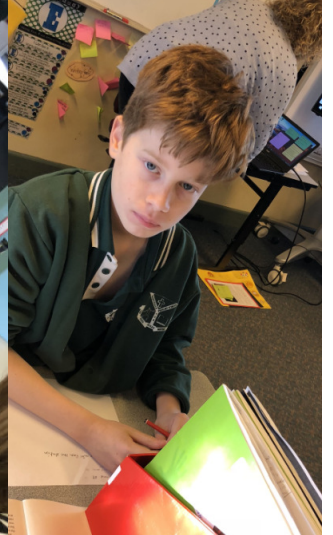














# Commit to your child's **online safety**

**Free**  
event

Children are exposed to online content in their preschool years. Behaviours like cyberbullying begin at primary school. Peer pressure can cause poor online decisions for many teenagers.

 Hear from the Office of the eSafety Commissioner on empowering young people, parents and carers to manage online issues.

 Commit to your child's online safety by attending this presentation from one of Australia's leading online safety experts.

## eSafety Is Important for every child from ages 1 to 18

### Learn how to:

- Reduce accidental exposure to inappropriate content
- Initiate conversations about online stranger danger
- Identify age appropriate apps and websites

**1-7**



- Deal with online stranger contact
- Have a conversation about online issues including cyberbullying
- Manage apps and privacy settings
- Support your child using online safety resources

**8-12**



- Report serious cyberbullying and image based abuse
- Manage screen time and excessive use
- Have a conversation with your child about their online brand

**13-18**



Bookings are essential as places are limited. Please RSVP by 17 July 2018 to [jmitchell@rav.org.au](mailto:jmitchell@rav.org.au)

Date: 24 July 2018 Time: 4 - 6pm

Venue: Federation Training Bairnsdale Campus  
Lecture Theatre 201A, Lower Ground Floor

[esafety.gov.au](http://esafety.gov.au)



Office of the  
eSafety Commissioner

# READY. SET. GO!



BAIRNSDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL'S

## **FREE SCHOOL READY PROGRAM**



**Best preparing your child for school**

- Free of charge
- Every Friday in term 4
- Full day 9.15am to 2.30pm
- Qualified teacher in charge
- Focus on learning



**REGISTER TODAY ☎ 5152-4395**

**Contact Bairnsdale Primary School:**

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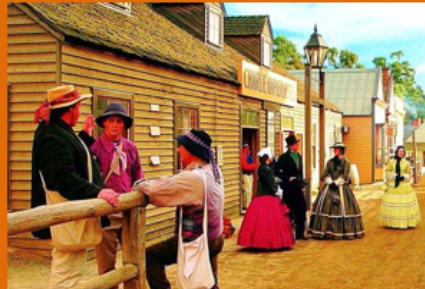
# Beanies for sale



**\$4.00 each**

## Sovereign Hill Camp

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July - Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August**



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# 754 Community Playgroup

Come along and have some fun playing together with your child (aged 0 – 5).



Playgroup will take place every Thursday in the Bairnsdale Primary School Hall.

It is free of charge.

Fruit will be provided

Tell your friends, all welcome.

Hope to see you there!

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL  
ON 5152-4395 OR CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK!**





# Canteen Menu

**Open Tuesday to Friday only**

*Lunch orders must be placed by 9.00am - no late orders please*

## Hot Food

Steamed Dim Sim .....	\$1.50 ea
Chicken Strip .....	\$1.50 ea
Party Pie .....	\$1.50 ea
Large Sausage Roll.....	\$3.50
Traveller Pie.....	\$4.00
Hot Dog .....	\$4.00
Chicken Roll with Gravy .....	\$4.50
Nachos .....	\$4.00

*(Please ask for Sauce)*

## Pizzas

Ham & Cheese.....	\$4.00
Ham, cheese & Pineapple.....	\$4.00

## Burgers /Toasties

Chicken burger (lettuce, cheese, mayo & 2 chicken strips).....	\$3.50
Ham and Cheese Toastie.....	\$3.00

## Drinks

### Juice

(orange, apple or tropical) .....	\$1.50
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### Flavoured milk

(choc or strawberry).....	\$2.50
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**NO HEATING OF FOOD BROUGHT FROM  
HOME, DUE TO "HEALTH REGULATIONS"**

*\* Add 20c if you don't have your own  
paper bag*

## Sandwiches

Vegemite.....	\$2.00
Cheese.....	\$2.00
Ham.....	\$2.00
Ham & Cheese.....	\$2.50
Chicken, Lettuce & Mayo.....	\$3.50
Salad Sandwich.....	\$3.00
(cheese, lettuce, tomato, beetroot)	

## Snacks

Popcorn (Scoop).....	50c
Apples or Oranges .....	50c
Biscuit .....	\$1.00
Fresh muffin.....	\$1.00
Cheese stick.....	\$1.00
Tubs of yoghurt.....	\$2.00

## Counter Sales Only - First Break

Cruncha's (frozen orange juice)....	\$1.50
Ice-Cream in a cone.....	\$1.50
Zooper Doopers .....	\$1.00
Slushy (fruit juice-nat flavouring)...	\$2.00

**Our menu is colour coded to make healthy  
selection easier**



















**\*\*GREEN- excellent, healthy choice option, appro-  
priate for daily eating**

**\*Orange-good choice**

**\*Red- OK choice, best for occasional eating only**

# Bairnsdale Primary School (754)

## Matrix - SWPBS Expectations

We all come to school to learn!	RESPECT	RESPONSIBLE	RESILIENT
CLASSROOM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use excellent manners</li> <li>Be organized</li> <li>Listen to instructions</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Always make positive choices</li> <li>Own your own behaviour</li> <li>Be at line up on time</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Be sensible</li> <li>Be brave and persevere</li> <li>Always have a go and try your best</li> <li>Accept the consequences of your behaviours</li> </ul> 
CORRIDOR MOVING AROUND THE SCHOOL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Walk safely and quietly</li> <li>Close doors gently</li> <li>Know personal space</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Go straight to your destination</li> <li>Wait quietly</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wait your turn</li> <li>Be a role model</li> <li>Respond appropriately</li> </ul> 
PLAYGROUND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use common sense</li> <li>Own your own behaviour</li> <li>Respect others personal space and property</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enjoy sensible and fair play</li> <li>Plan your play time</li> <li>Pack away equipment</li> <li>Always include others</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solve your own problems</li> <li>Apply common sense</li> <li>Adapt when things don't go your way</li> </ul> 
BUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use excellent manners</li> <li>Show a positive attitude</li> <li>Keep the bus clean</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seat belt on</li> <li>Quiet voice</li> <li>Stay seated</li> <li>Own your own behaviour</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Try to solve your own problems</li> <li>Ask for help</li> </ul> 
TOILETS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wait your turn</li> <li>Respect others privacy</li> <li>Keep toilets tidy</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the toilets during break times</li> <li>Wash and dry hands</li> <li>Use toilet and sink correctly</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solve your own problems</li> <li>Ask for help</li> </ul> 
ASSEMBLY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Always clap for achievements</li> <li>Sit look and listen</li> <li>Use excellent manners</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Keep hands feet and objects to yourself</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Be pleased for others</li> </ul> 

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