



HOLY CHILD

Primary School Dallas

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“Find happiness in making others happy!”

Mary MacKillop



Holy Child Primary School is committed to the safety, wellbeing and protection of the children in our care.

School Grounds Hours

Gates Open: 8.30am

Gates Close: 3.40pm

Please note that Children playing outside the school grounds before and after school are not supervised until 8.30am before school and up to 3.40pm after school. Many children are going to Jack Culpin Car Park\Reserve and Gibbs Reserve to wait for before and after school for their parents drop off and pick up. We are not able to supervise your children in these areas. Please ensure that your children are collected from the School Grounds in **Area 1**. If your child is not collected by 3.40pm they are to be collected from the Reception Foyer.

Healthy Lunchbox Ideas

Nutrition Australia says that “Packing a healthy school lunchbox will help children to learn and play well and be happy at school.” For more information please see

<https://heas.health.vic.gov.au/schools/healthy-lunchboxes>



The School is collecting stickers for the Woolworths Earn and Learn. You can collect the stickers between 1 May and 25 June 2019. Please bring them to school and drop them in the box in the Reception Foyer.

School Events

Week	Celebration Day, Date and Time	Celebration Type	Focus	Level Attending
4	Other Celebrations: Mothers' Day (12/05), World Day of Prayer for Vocations (12/05), Family Week, International Day of Families (15/05)			
	Thursday 16 May 9:15am	Mass	Buddies (Significant Adults)	Whole School <i>Significant Adults invited (e.g. parents, grandparents, family friends etc)</i>
	Friday 17 May			Whole School Pupil Free Day
5	Other Celebrations: International Day for Biological Diversity (22/05), Our Lady Help of Christians (24/05)			
	Sunday 19 May 11:00am	Mass	Family Week	Whole School invited
	Thursday 23 May 9:15am	Mass	Parish Mass Parish to Lead	Year 1/2
6	Other Celebrations: National Sorry Day (26/05), World Communications Day (26/05), Reconciliation Week			
	Thursday 30 May 9:15am	Mass	Parish Mass Parish to Lead	Prep
	Friday 31 May 2:40pm	Assembly	Led by 3/4JH	Whole School

Acting Deputy Principal Message

Ms Linda Kelly

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Dear Parents, Friends and Carers of Holy Child,

A very big thank you to the PNF for their great work in organising the Mother's Day Stall last Friday. The children were most excited shopping for a special gift for their mothers. The Mother's Day stall provides a great service to our community and is greatly appreciated. There were also many excited children, who had winning tickets from the raffle. No doubt, there were also some very happy mums, as the prizes were terrific !

Our Year 3 & 5 students commenced their NAPLAN testing yesterday. The testing will continue over the next 2 weeks. We are very proud of the efforts our students make each day in their learning and celebrate each of their achievements. Congratulations to all of our students for trying their hardest each day at school.

The Buddy Liturgy is this Thursday. Thank you to the many families who have volunteered to be part of the liturgy. It is wonderful for our children to see their families so involved in the school.

Thanking you for your continued support,

Kind regards,

Linda

The HUB Timetable – Term – 2019

Mrs Vesna Curmi
Acting Religious Education
Leader/Literacy Leader



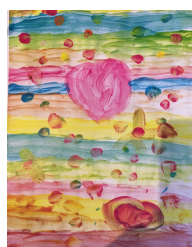
DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
MONDAY	9:15am - 12.00pm	Family Friendship Support Group	Hub 2
	9.30am - 11.30am	Small Talk Playgroup	Hub 1
TUESDAY	9.30am - 11.30am	Playgroup	Hub 1
TUESDAY & THURSDAY	9.15am – 12.15pm	Women's Wellbeing Program	Hub 2
	1.00pm - 3.15pm	Family Support / Drop in Services	Hub 2
WEDNESDAY	9.00am - 11.00am	English Class for Beginners	Hub 2
	9.30am – 11.30am	Childminding	Hub 1
THURSDAY	9.00am - 12.00pm	English Class for all Interested Parents	Hub 2
	9.30am - 11.30am		Hub 1
	9.30am – 11.30am	Small Talk Playgroup	Hub 1
	2.30pm – 3.15pm	Learning Together Bilingual Playgroup (ESL Class & Playgroup)	Hub 1
		Parents & Friendship group	
FRIDAY	9.15am – 11.30am	English Conversational Class	Hub 2
	9.15am – 11.30am	Childminding	Hub 1

Dear Parents,

Today is our Buddy/Significant Adult Mass at 9:15am in the church. This marks our lead into Family Week where some of our students will be reading short stories about their families at the Sunday Mass at 11am on the 19th of May. You are all warmly welcomed to attend these celebrations. The Year 4 - 6 students in the Mary Mackillop Group have been preparing songs and beautiful images to acknowledge Family Week. I would like to praise them for their effort and dedication in attending singing practice. I would also like to thank those families who will be attending either the school mass or the Sunday mass, and the parent volunteers who have offered to participate during the mass. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Mrs Vesna Curmi
Religious Education Leader

Images painted by Guadalupe Dawood and Latoya Cassar



Mrs Grace Marichione
School Uniforms



It is time for student to be wearing their winter uniforms.

Please note that there will be electrical works in the HUB and Uniform Shop next week. The Uniform Shop will be closed on Thursday May 23rd due to works being done. If they require something urgently please come to Reception where I will be able to help them.

HUB News

Tuesday Women's Wellbeing Group are concentrating this term on Creative Arts. Many of the women have skills that we will be sharing every week. This week we used pastels to draw flowers in the vase. Everyone had their own way of drawing and using the pastels. It was relaxing and great concentration.



We also have time to cook beautiful brunch. Thanks to our Community Garden, we have been using many types of fresh herbs and fresh vegetable to use in our cooking. The ladies were very happy with the activity, brunch and topics of discussion were educating and something that we learnt about each other experience or someone we know.





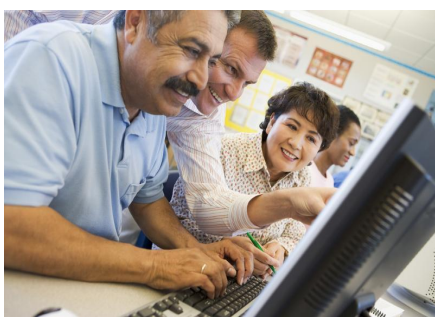
Computer Classes Monday Morning



It's important for everyone to know the basic fundamentals of computers.

No experience needed to get started.

Course will take place at ***Holy Child Primary School Community Hub.***



Monday 9.30am – 11.30am

Please express your interest by contacting **Van Bui** Hub Coordinator **(03) 9309 1620** on Tuesday or Thursday. You may also leave your name and contact number at the Reception.





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المركز الاجتماعي لمدرسة هولي جايلد الابتدائية

(Hub)

يوم الاثنين من الساعة 9.30-11.30 صباحا

رجاءا عبر عن رغبتك بالمشاركة في الدورة

بالاتصال ب فان باوي مسؤولة المركز الاجتماعي

(Hub) على رقم الهاتف 93091620

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3. **Your CRN (Customer Reference Number) from the Family Assistance Office*** - If eligible, you may be entitled to receive the Australian Government Child Care Subsidy.

4. **Payment method** - To complete your registration, we require your preferred payment option. Don't be alarmed you will not be charged when registering.

Program Details

Find out more about our program, fees and to register, visit www.campaustralia.com.au and search for your school. Or you can contact our friendly Customer Care Team on 1300 105 343. They are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week - except for National Public Holidays.

If you have any questions or would like to meet me before leaving your child, please pop into the hall and say hello, I'm always happy to have a chat.

Kind regards

Christine

Program coordinator

We look forward to seeing you and your family soon!

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