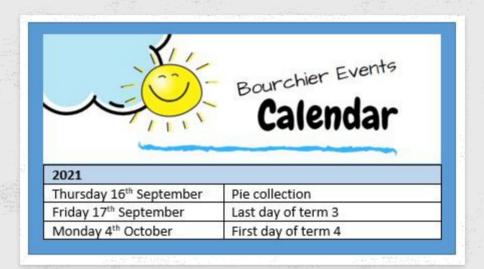
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B.S.P.S Public Calendar

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families

Hope everyone is enjoying this beautiful sunshine. Spring is here so let's hope many good times arrive with it.

We are now out of Quarantine and enjoying a little bit of freedom. Hopefully we can look forward to more freedom in the coming weeks. You all did an amazing job during quarantine. I can imagine that there would have been some challenging times. Our community have been so responsive, doing the right thing by obeying quarantine and lockdown regulations. Well done to everyone!

Home learning is still a major focus for all of us. Teachers, children and families are all in this together ensuring learning is continuing. We appreciate greatly the contribution by families in assisting our children to participate in zoom sessions and complete tasks on Seesaw.

It has been wonderful seeing children participate in the 8:30am fitness and the 3:00pm mindfulness sessions a great way to begin and end the day. The numerous tasks completed on Seesaw certainly show how dedicated our children are to their learning. The zoom sessions have been popular. It is good to see everyone connecting with the teacher and peers.

Please contact the school if you have any worries or concerns, if you have device or internet issues ... we are ready to help.

There is one more week of term 3 left and then we will be into holidays. Enjoy this last week and take care.

Kind regards

Denise



BOURCHIER ST PRIMARY SCHOOL POLICY REGARDING CONTACTING HOME

Students are not permitted to use a mobile device to contact home during school hours. If for any reason a student needs to communicate with a family member, they must inform their



teacher. The Front Office will then be able to facilitate any contact with home. This policy also applies when there are students who feel unwell.

If you need to contact your child, please contact our Front office so we can ensure all messages are passed on promptly without interrupting learning.

School Office—5821 3488

BOURCHIER ST IS A RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS SCHOOL

PERSONAL STRENGTHS

FOUNDATION



Personal strengths

strengths by talking about things we are good at

Activity: With your child, take turns at drawing a portrait of each other. Around the portrait write all the things you think each other is good at.

LEARN MORE

Respectful Relationships (education.vic.gov.au)

YEAR 1 & 2

Personal strengths

Activity: With your child, discuss what each of your character strengths are. Draw a picture of yourselves using one of these strengths at home.

Goal: Describe how we use our strengths in daily life.

Activity: With your child, watch a TV show or read a story book together and identify how a character showed any of these strengths (honesty, fairness, patience). What would the opposite of these look like?

RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS





YEAR 3 & 4



Personal strengths

Goal: Recognise our personal strengths.

Activity: Personal strengths are our positive qualities. Ask your child: What are your personal strengths? What do you think are my personal strengths? Swap!

Goal: Identify how you can use personal strengths in daily life.

Activity: Kindness is a personal strength. Being kind means you do things for others without expecting anything in return. Encourage your child to do something helpful for a family member. Ask them to share their acts of kindness with your family.

YEAR 5 & 6



Personal strengths

Goal: Demonstrate characte

Activity: Encourage your child do something to make life easier for someone else

Goal: Demonstrate character

Activity: With your child, plan to do something kind for a neighbour, friend or family member.

HINT: You might like to:

- · Check to see if an elderly neighbour needs help with grocery shopping.
- Call a family member you don't live with such as an uncle, aunt or grandparents to say hello.
- Write a letter or send an email to a friend and post it to them.



FOUNDATION FATHER'S DAY ZOOM

Last week in preparation for Father's day our foundation students dressed up as their dad or special person. We hope that all dad's and special friends had an enjoyable day.

















FOUNDATION STUDENTS 2022

If you know of a family wanting to enrol their child in Foundation next year, please have them call to make an appointment. We would welcome them to come and experience our teachers in action and get a feel of the amazing learning space.

If you are a current Bourchier Street family, please request an enrolment pack, and you are also welcome to come visit the Foundation learning area.

BYOD PROGRAM

You don't have to be a technology expert to get the best device for your child. Our JB Hi-Fi Solutions' BYOD program is designed to make it easy to choose, buy and manage the devices your child needs to learn in the classroom and at home. We hope that the BYOD portal will take the stress out of technology and give



you easy access to the right tools, devices and pricing to support your child's learning.

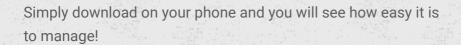
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Read more on our website: http://bourchierps.vic.edu.au/?

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QKR! APP

Every family needs to download the Qkr! app which will enable you to pay school fees, purchase hats/jackets, order lunch through the canteen and purchase tickets for special productions etc.





At the beginning of each year you need to update your child's new class name.

GUITAR LESSONS AT BOURCHIER STREET

Nick Teague offers guitar lessons during school hours (lunch time classes available) at Bourchier Street Primary School.

There is 1 or 2 vacancies if you are interested, please email Nick at nick.d.teague@gmail.co m



COMMUNITY NEWS

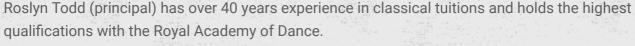


THE DAPHNE LEAROYD SCHOOL OF DANCE

Teaching in the Goulburn Valley for over 50 years the school focuses on technique, professionalism, instilling a love of movement and most off all creating a fun filled positive environment for children of all abilities to thrive.

We are currently offering classes for students 3 years and above in Classical Ballet, Free Movement and Modern Dance Styles.

These classes offer invaluable skills and knowledge to students, as well as allows them to meet new friends and have fun!



For younger children the syllabi involves incorporating basic techniques with fun story lines and props, including fairy tales, frozen themes and other fun adventures. This allows our youngest members to explore and expand their technique and imagination, rhythm, coordination and motor skills. The school has achieved a number of accolades.



More information can be found at

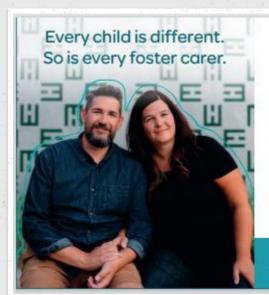
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To register your expressions of interest please contact the school via the Facebook page or Roslyn Todd on 0434 543 626 or the school admin on 0420207811.

BERRY STREET NEED MORE FOSTER CARERS

Berry Street continues to experience a shortage of foster carers to provide care to the many vulnerable children and young people who require a safe and nurturing home. Our need for foster carers is greater than ever.

For more information please contact Janene on 5822 8100 or humefostercare@berrystreet.org.au





A little of your time can change an entire life.

In Victoria, the number of children who cannot live safely at home has risen every year over the last 10 years. Children in care have experienced trauma — they need a safe, nurturing home environment to help them recover.

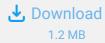
If you are over 21 and have a spare bedroom, we would love to hear from you. As a foster carer, you could make a huge difference to a child or young person in need.

For more information please contact Janene
T: (03) 5822 8100 or E: humefostercare@berrystreet.org.au

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TheirCare Holiday Program.pdf





TheirCare Program Information Flyer 2021.pdf





Bourchier Street Primary School needs your help. If you shop at Fairleys Supa IGA please join this great program and nominate our school to receive 100% of your shopping points



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Join Fairlys Supa IGA Community Rewards program and receive a bar coded key tag that needs to be scanned at the checkout each time you shop at Fairleys Supa IGA supermarket in Shepparton, so points can be allocated to your school.

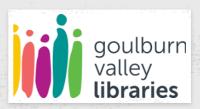
Your School will receive 1cent for each point at the end of each financial year. Regular Fairleys Shoppers could equate to thousands of dollars for your school.



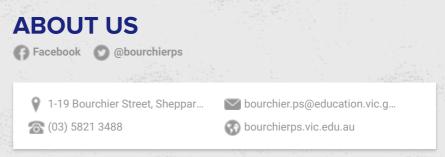
THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS!











CHILD SAFE POLICY

Bourchier Street Primary School has a zero tolerance of any form of child abuse. The school is committed to acting in children's best interests. The safety and wellbeing of children at this school is our highest priority. We want children to be safe, happy and empowered.



Child Safe Policy .pdf



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