



MELROSE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER & REMINDERS

MONDAY 29TH APRIL – FRIDAY 10TH MAY – 2024



Monday 29th April

2025 Enrolments are NOW OPEN - send your enrolment forms in now!!!!

Tuesday 30th April

Wednesday 1st May

Tallangatta Secondary College Info Evening 6pm - Year 6 to Year 7 Transition

Thursday 2nd May

Friday 3rd May

General Assembly A04 - sorry no parents, other than those invited for badge presentation to our Koorie Leadership Group students

Monday 6th May

Tuesday 7th May

MELROSE CROSS COUNTRY - MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW NEXT WEEK

Wednesday 8th May

Thursday 9th May

MOTHERS DAY STALL

Friday 10th May

WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY
MOTHERS DAY STALL
5/6 WINTER SPORT AFTERNOON
General Assembly A01 - sorry no parents



2025 ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN!!!!

You can download an enrolment form from our school website www.melroseps.vic.edu.au or contact the office 60591955 for a hard copy of our enrolment pack!

Steps to enrol your child in Foundation (Prep) for the 2025 school year

To start primary school in 2025, your child will need to turn 5 years old by 30 April 2025. Schooling is compulsory for children who have turned 6 years old. If your child is starting Foundation (Prep) in 2025, you will be able to apply to enrol your child in a Victorian Government primary school from the start of Term 2, 2024 (Monday 15 April 2024).

What you need to do:

1. Use Find my School <https://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au> to locate your designated neighbourhood school (referred to as your local school) and other nearby government schools.
2. Contact a government primary school to book a school tour or to learn more about the school and the enrolment application process.
3. Download the [Foundation \(Prep\) Enrolment Information Pack for Parents and Carers \(PDF, 1.5 MB\)](#) This pack includes an application form. The school may also provide you with a copy of the form to complete.
4. **Submit an enrolment application for Foundation (Prep) by Friday 26 July 2024.**
5. You will be notified of the outcome of your application between Monday 29 July and Friday 9 August 2024. If you receive an enrolment offer, you should accept the offer by Friday 23 August 2024.
6. Take part in information and transition sessions during Term 4, 2024.
7. Your child will start Foundation (Prep) from Wednesday 29 January 2025.

Enrolment applications submitted after 26 July 2024 will be processed by the school as they are received, in accordance with the Department of Education's Placement Policy.

Your child has a right to enrol at their local school. Your child's local school is determined on the basis of their permanent residential address. Visit [Find my School](#) to locate your child's local school. The [enrolling in a school](#) page can also help you to confirm your child's address for enrolment. If you are seeking to apply to enrol your child in a school that is not their local school, you should read about [school zones](#) and how they work. You should also read about how applications are prioritised using the Department of Education's Placement Policy found on the [enrolling in a school](#) page.

YEAR 5/6 STUDENTS - MELBOURNE CAMP

Monday 5th August - Wednesday 7th August

This year the senior school camp takes students to explore Victoria's capital city, Melbourne.

Throughout the three days and two nights, students will explore Science Works, tour the Melbourne Cricket Ground, visit the Melbourne Museum, tour Parliament House, experience life as a prisoner in the Old Melbourne Gaol, tour the Werribee Open Range Zoo, and check out the Australian Centre for the Moving Image. Students will also have swimming time at the Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre.

Additional Information to follow.

- **Consent was due via the school Portal app: was due by Friday 19/04/2024**
- **Deposit of \$150 was due by 26/04/2024**
- **Full cost of Camp: \$500 due by 26/04/2024**

Please contact the school office if you would like to start paying this camp off in instalments

YEAR 5/6 STUDENTS - WINTER SPORTS

Starting Friday 10th May

Senior students will participate in their designated sport.

Venues:

Soccer and Netball - Kelly Park, Lawrence St, Wodonga.
League Tag - Willow Park, Pearce St, Wodonga.
Hockey - Wodonga Hockey Centre, Silva Drive, Wodonga.

Multiple Dates: Friday Afternoons 1.15pm - 3.10pm.
Friday 10th May, Friday 17th May, Friday 24th May and Friday 7th June.

Winter Carnival: Friday 19th July 9.30am - 3pm
(Back up Dates: Friday 26th July and Monday 29th July.)

- **Consent is due via the school Portal app: by Friday 10/05/2024**
- **Payment of \$30 is due by 10/05/2024**
- **Cost is covered if you have any remaining CSEF**



Melrose PS

WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY 2024

JOIN US ON FRIDAY MAY 10

Walk at school to make an active start to the day.

What Meet at 8:30 on the oval and walk/jog/run some laps of the oval

WHICH HOUSE CAN COMPLETE THE MOST LAPS?

Collect your Free tattoo and enjoy a Sausage in bread to start your day.

Families and Carers welcome!

The poster features an illustration of a school building with a sign that says 'MELBORNE REGIONAL COUNCIL'. In the foreground, four children are walking happily. To the left, a circular inset shows several hands holding 'FREE TATTOO' stickers. To the right, another circular inset shows three cartoon characters and the text 'WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY'.



Tallangatta Secondary College
Year 7 2025
Information Evening
Wednesday 1st May 6pm

School Tours available 9.30am each Tuesday during May
Please contact the college to make a booking



For more information please phone

02 6071 5000

Big Enough to Deliver, Small enough to Care

YEAR 6 TO YEAR 7 - APPLICATION FOR YEAR 7 PLACEMENT 2025

Application forms for 2025 Year 7 placement were sent home with all of our current Year 6 students. Could ALL Year 6 families please ensure that they complete this application form in full, as soon as possible and

**Return forms to the Melrose PS office by
Friday 10th May 2024.**

SCHOOL HOODIES

The order has been placed with the supplier last term. We are just waiting to hear back from QX3 as to when these might be delivered to the school. This is likely to be by the end of next week at this stage.

We thank you for your patience, purchased hoodies will be handed out to students, on the same day that the hoodies arrive at the office.



Deposit of \$150 was due 28/03/2024

Remaining Practice Dates:

Dance - 03/05, 31/05 & 27/06/2024 at Melrose PS

Choir: 24/07 & 28/08/2024 (yet to be confirmed) in Melbourne

Excursion Dates:

Wednesday 11th Sept - Sunday 15th Sept

**More information will go home to families
closer to the date.**

Payments: Total Cost = \$460

Deposit \$150 was due 28/03/2024

Another \$310 is due by 19/07/2024