

MELROSE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER & REMINDERS

MONDAY 7TH OCTOBER - FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER 2024

2025 Enrolments are NOW DUE send your enrolment forms into the office !!!!



MELROSE



SPRING THUNDERSTORM

IF YOUR CHILD HAS ASTHMA OR HAY FEVER YOU MAY BE AT RISK OF THUNDERSTORM ASTHMA

.Discuss with your doctor medications to manage Asthma.

.Ensure that your child has an updated Asthma plan.

.Make sure your childs medication is current and available at school.



DONT FORGET YOUR HAT

A reminder that <u>ALL</u> students must wear a navy broad brimmed hat for any outside activities and breaks during Term 1 & Term 4.

If you are needing to purchase one, we have them available for sale at the school front office for \$14 each

ADDITIONAL TRANSITION VISITS FELLTIMBER CAMPUS

Selected students will participate in additional tours of Felltimber Campus. There will be 4 visits in total .

1st session Tuesday 3rd September 9.30am -10.30am 2nd session Tuesday 17th September 9.30am -10.30am 3rd session Tuesday 15th October 9.30am -10.30am 4th session Tuesday 29th October 9.30am -10.30am

Students will wear full uniform and will walk to Wodonga Middle Years College - Felltimber, with staff.

Permission due by 3rd September - No cost

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 Ferm 2, 2024 (Monday 15 April 2024).

What you need to do:

 Use Find my School <u>https://www.findmyschool.vic.gov.au</u> to locate your designated neighbourhood school (referred to as your local school) and other nearby government schools.

Contact a government primary school to book a school tour or to learn more about the school and the enrolment application process.
Download the Foundation (Prep) Enrolment Information Pack for Parents and Carers (PDF, 15 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 <u>Find my School</u> to locate your child's local school. The <u>enrolling in a school</u> 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 <u>school</u> and how they work. You should also read about how applications are prioritised using the Department of Education's Placement Policy found on the <u>enrolling in a school page</u>.



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