

News From the North

DANDENONG NORTH
PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER

School Website: www.dandenongnorthps.vic.edu.au

26th July 2022

Calendar of Events

JULY 2022

27th— VSSEC Excursion 5K & 5L

29th— VSSEC Excursion 5D & 5P

AUGUST 2022

15th -19th Grade 6 CAMP

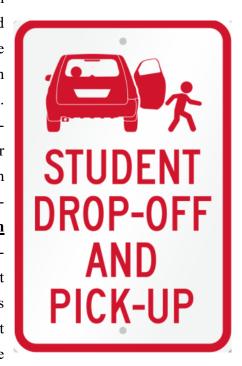
18th - Grade 1 Excursion Moonlit Sanctuary Wildlife

30th - Grade 2 Excursion Scienceworks

31st - District Athletics

Drop Off and Pick Up Times

It is fantastic how happy DNPS children are to be at school, however we would like to remind parents and carers that the school day at DNPS starts at 9am with the end of day bell ringing at 3.15pm. Outside of these hours the school playgrounds are supervised by teachers for 15 minutes before and after school. With safety being our main priority, we request that students are collected from school by 3.30pm. At 3.30pm all playgrounds and soccer spaces and basket ball courts will be closed and students who have not been collected by a parent or carer will be sent to the office where parents or carers will be contacted.



School Pledge

I will do all that I can to make sure that Dandenong North Primary School remains a great school.

I will try my hardest to follow the 4Cs to keep our school a safe and happy place.

I promise to treat others as I would like to be treated.

Prep Enrolment

2023 is fast approaching! If you have a child who will be starting Prep next year, please make a time

with the office to complete the enrolment paperwork at your earliest convenience. This will help us to plan and be organised for the year ahead.



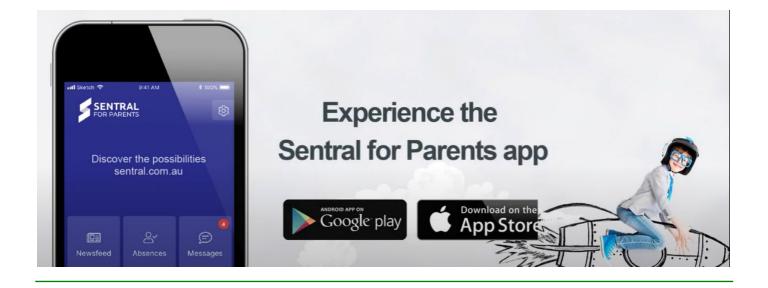
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Special Awards

Prep A - Riyana	1M - Mojtaba	3V - Sidra	5L - Ali
Prep H - Musna	1T - Frozan	3A - Ali	6CA - Justin
Prep N - Zenana	2AN - Rayan	4H - Sana	6C - Hadi
Prep O - Alina	2B - Kayla	4M - Mahdi	6F - Aleej
Prep R - Faten	2N - Yasna	4P - Feza	6G - Sana
1C - Setayesh	2V—Muska	5D - Jixon	
1F - Jacob	3B - Yasin	5FM - Fatema	
1H - Mahdi	3O - Humza	5K - Aleena	

Introducing the Sentral App for Parents

We are very excited to launch and share SENTRAL with the DNPS community! Sentral is an online Parent Portal App which will be your 'one-stop-shop' to keep you connected to everything related to your child's learning and events happening at Dandenong North PS. It will become our primary, official communication tool between school and home as well as an easy tool for parents to notify of student absences (both planned and on the day). A school calendar with upcoming events will be available and we will send you notifications and reminders of upcoming events (eg Pyjama Day, Sports Gala and Curriculum days). In the future, Sentral will also be used to approve and pay for school excursions, scheduling of parent teacher interviews and the publication of school reports. An email with more details about registering with Sentral will be sent out with an individual code for your family today, and a hard copy will also go home this week. Click here to see a short video on how to register and use the Sentral App - please note, you will need your family 'Access Key' which can be found in the official letter/email that you will receive next week.



100 Days of School for our Preps

Yesterday our prep children celebrated their 100th day of school. It was great to see so much excitement in all classes with fun activities based on the number 100 followed by class parties complete with cake! We are very proud of the way our prep children have started off their learning journey at Dandenong North Primary School and look forward to watching them continue to flourish into engaged learners who embrace our values of care, courtesy, co-operation and common-sense. *Congratulations Preps!!*



Pyjama Day

On Friday 22nd July, the Student Representative Council held a Pyjama Day in support of the National Pyjama Foundation. The Pyjama Foundation raise much-needed awareness and funds for children in foster care and money raised through this fundraiser will allow community mentors called "Pyjama Angels" to be recruited, screened, trained, and then matched with a child in care. Together they read books, play educational games, do homework and so much more. Most importantly, they empower children with learning, life skills and confidence to reach their full potential.

All students and staff were encouraged to join in by wearing PJs and bringing in a gold coin donation. In total the DNPS community raised \$701. If you were not able to donate on Friday or would like to contribute more, please <u>click here to donate directly</u>.

Katie Laurie on behalf of the Student Representative Council (SRC)





