

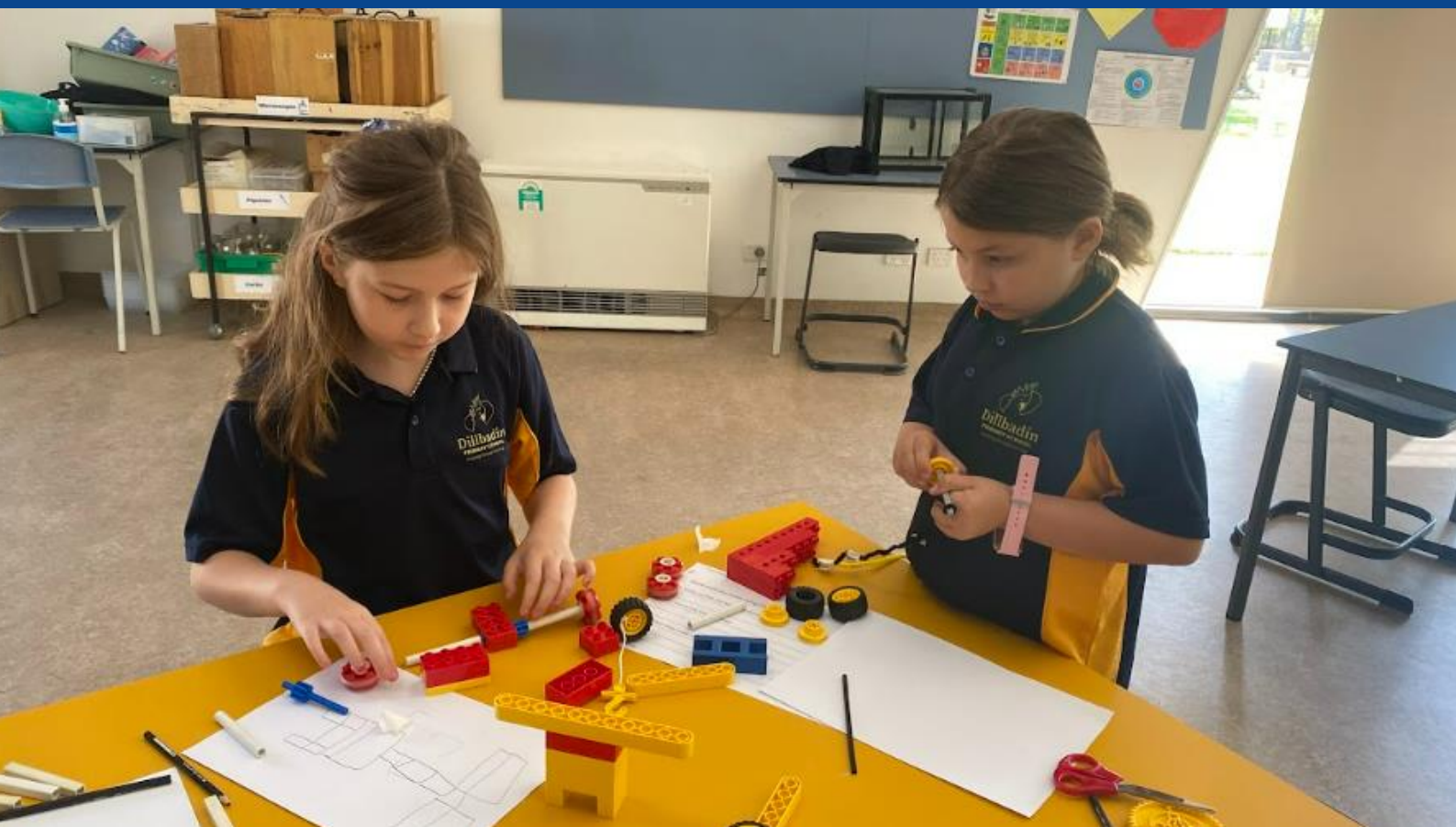


— Edition 19 - 2025 —

# Dillbadin

## PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Growing through learning*



## From our Principal

*Penelope Harris*

### A Great Week of Learning at Dillbadin Primary School

It's been another fantastic week of learning at Dillbadin PS!

Our students have been working hard on creating and publishing their own poems, exploring language, rhythm, and creativity in their writing.

Meanwhile, our junior class has been busy collecting data by asking thoughtful questions and recording their findings using tally marks. It's been wonderful to see their curiosity and enthusiasm as they learn about data collection and representation.

Well done to all our students for their great efforts this week!

## School Uniform

Wearing the school uniform helps create a strong sense of connectedness and belonging among our students. It also reflects our school value of *Be Respectful*, showing pride in our school community.

We understand that winter can make it a little trickier to stay warm and in uniform, but we kindly ask that all students continue to wear the correct school uniform each day. If additional warmth is needed, please ensure students wear school-appropriate layers, such as a coat.

Thank you for your support in helping us maintain a consistent and respectful school environment.

## Lost Property

As we near the end of term, it's a great time to check the lost property collection for any missing school uniform items.

Please remember to clearly label all pieces of your child's uniform. This makes it much easier for us to return lost items to their rightful owners.

Thank you for your support in helping keep our lost property to a minimum!

## School Saving Bonus – Important Dates

A reminder to families to reallocate the School Saving Bonus (SSB) funds to school-related purchases (such as uniforms or books) by Sunday, 30 June 2025.

The \$400 School Saving Bonus was provided by the Victorian Government as a one-off support for eligible government school students from Prep to Year 12.

After 30 June, any unused funds will be transferred to your child's school account and can be allocated to school activities such as excursions and camps.. Please note: this credit won't be available for use until late July.

If you need assistance, please call **1800 338 663** between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm (Monday to Friday), or complete the [School Saving Bonus enquiry form online](#).

## End of Term Reminders

As we approach the end of Term 2, please take note of the following important dates:

**Tuesday 1st July** – Curriculum Day: No students are required at school on this day.

**Friday 4th July** – End of Term 2: School will finish early at **2:30pm**.

We hope you all enjoy a restful and happy weekend with your families. We're looking forward to seeing everyone back on Monday for the final week of Term 2—let's make it a great one!

*Penelope*

# Wellbeing Wrap-Up

Neisha Gange – Assistant Principal

## The Reach Foundation Comes to Dillbadin Primary!

We're excited to share that Dillbadin Primary School will be welcoming the Reach Foundation to our school next week as part of our commitment to student wellbeing.

The Reach Foundation is a not-for-profit youth organisation that has been supporting young Australians for over 25 years. Founded by the late Jim Stynes and film director Paul Currie, Reach is all about creating safe and inclusive spaces where young people can explore who they are, build resilience, and connect with others in a meaningful way.

Their programs are designed by young people, for young people, empowering students to develop confidence, emotional awareness, and a strong sense of self.

Reach runs engaging, interactive workshops in schools across the country that focus on personal growth, peer connection, and social-emotional learning. Their facilitators- young adults aged 18 to 20- bring energy, authenticity, and relatability to each session, making them incredibly effective at connecting with students in a genuine way.

We are thrilled to announce that the Reach Foundation will be visiting Dillbadin Primary School on Thursday 3rd July at 9:15am to deliver their Peer Connection Workshop to our Senior class.

This dynamic and inspiring session is designed to build trust, improve peer relationships, and strengthen the classroom community. Students will explore the idea of comfort zones, learning how stepping outside of them can support growth and resilience. The workshop also provides students with strategies to improve emotional-regulation.

Through powerful activities and open dialogue, students will compare their similarities and differences, helping to foster empathy, understanding, and a stronger sense of connection within the group.

We know our students will benefit significantly from this opportunity, and we're grateful to have Reach supporting our school's wellbeing journey.

### **Parent/Guardian Action Required:**

Please log in to **Compass** to provide your consent as soon as possible.





# Star Student Awards

## JUNIOR

Ayan for always being an enthusiastic participant in phonics! I love it!

## MIDDLE

Kris for settling into school.

## SENIOR

Zayan, for a fantastic week. Your work in phonics has been a highlight!





# Star Student Awards





# Specialist Star Awards

**MRS  
BLAKE**

STEM:  
No award this week

**MISS D**

Performing Arts:  
Ivy for always being an enthusiastic participant in Performing Arts!

**MISS  
GANGE**

Learn to Play:  
George McD for communicating so well with his peers and being creative in Learn to Play.



# Specialist Star Awards







# Junior Class

## How the Junior's show respect for other people's privacy and belongings:

Ask before using  
someone else's things –

Amity

Give others personal  
space – George

If you borrow a friends things make sure you  
don't take them home or lose them – William



Cleaning up after  
yourself – Jozee

Listen when people ask  
you to stop – Kai

Be careful with other  
people's things – Ollie

Keeping your hands and  
feet to yourself – Ayan

Don't take other peoples  
things – Avah

Use kind words –  
Sebastian





# Important Dates

Date	Event
Every Friday	3:00pm School Assembly
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	CURRICULUM DAY – change of date!!
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Last Day of Term 2 – 2.30pm finish
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Day 1 Term 3
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	Excursion to RSPCA - Burwood
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> August	Curriculum Day



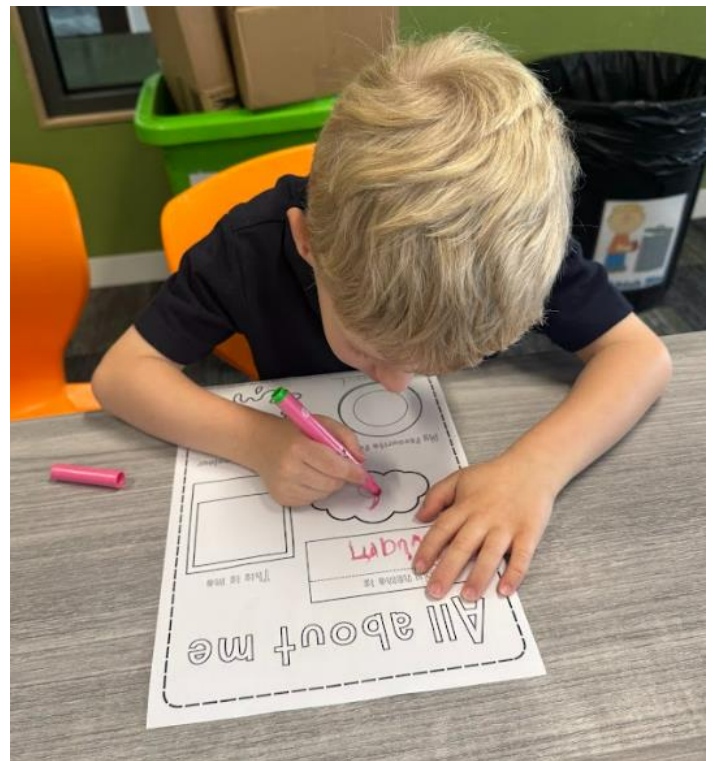
# School Wide Positive Behaviour



Our students have again earned 1  
leaf in the past week, which is  
**100** acknowledgements of  
positive behaviour.  
Amazing work, everyone!

For more information regarding enrolling your child in primary school in 2026 including timelines please click on the link below:

[Enrolling in primary school for 2026](#)





# Digital Enrolment Parent/Carer Quick Reference Guide

Enrolling your child is quick and easy using your laptop or desktop

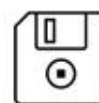
## Before you begin



Google Chrome is the recommended browser



Use of a laptop or desktop is recommended



Use the **Save** button if you need to walk away



Ensure your listed Emergency contact is someone **other than** Adult A or Adult B



Check your details are complete **before** submitting  
*You can't edit after submission*



Have all your digital documents ready as they **must be uploaded** to your application  
*e.g. Birth certificate, Proof of Address, Proof of Residency*

## Finding your designated neighbourhood school

Use [Find My School](#) to view a map of available government schools in your area, including your designated neighbourhood (local) school.

## Register for an account

1. Click the following link: <https://students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/s/>
2. Scroll down and select **Register**
3. Read the acknowledgement and select **Continue**
4. Enter the requested details
5. A verification email will be sent to your inbox (check spam folder)
6. Click the link that has been emailed to you to complete registration
7. You will be prompted to set a new password
8. Select **Change Password**
9. You will land on the portal homepage

**Create an account**

First Name

Last Name

Email

Mobile Number

**Register**

**Have an account?**

Log in

## Ongoing access to the portal

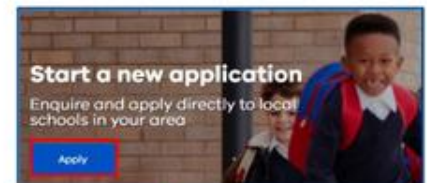
1. Select the following link: <https://students.educationapps.vic.gov.au/s/>
2. Enter your credential details
3. Select **Log in**
4. When logging in on a new device, you will be prompted for a verification code
  - check your email for the code
  - enter code and select **Verify**
5. You will land on the portal homepage
6. To log out, navigate to the drop-down menu and select **Logout**



## Submitting an application

1. From the portal homepage, select **Apply**
2. Enter new school application details
3. Read the **privacy notice** and then select **Continue**
4. Enter details for each section (including documentation upload)
5. Read **Review and Declaration** and check all details have been provided and are correct
 

**Note:** Once an enrolment enquiry is submitted, enrolment details cannot be edited via the Portal
6. Select **Submit**
7. The **Application Submission** screen will appear and then select **Close**
8. You will be taken to your application list

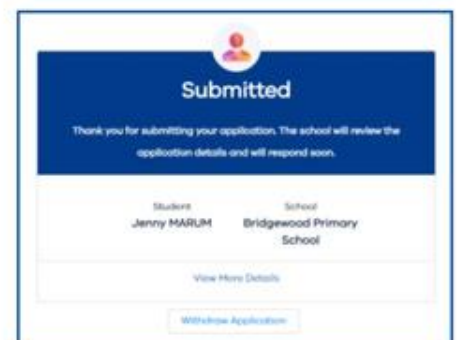


## Viewing, withdrawing or adding files to an application

1. In the portal, select **application number** to view details, including status

My Applications					
Application	Type	Student	School	Requested Start Date	Status
APP-0777	New Enrolment	Jenny MARUM	Bridgewood Primary School	2023 Term 2	Submitted

2. You can monitor the application status along the top status bar, view application details, withdraw the application or view and upload files
  - **To withdraw:** select **Withdraw Application**, enter a reason and the application will be closed
  - **To add files:** select **Add Files** at the bottom of the browser and follow instructions





## Accepting or not accepting an enrolment offer

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Please only accept ONE enrolment offer. All enrolments **must** be accepted via the portal.

1. When a school makes an offer of enrolment, you will be notified by email and the status in the portal will be updated
2. Select the link in the email, and you will be redirected to the portal
3. In the portal, **My Applications** will display **Place Offered**
4. Select **application number**
5. Select **Accept Offer** to accept the enrolment offer (only accept ONE) and you will be prompted to provide additional information
6. Read the **privacy notice** and select **Continue** to proceed
7. Enter details for each section (including documentation upload)
8. Click **Submit**
9. When the school finalises the application, you will be notified by email notification and the status in the portal will be updated
10. If you received multiple enrolment offers, or you no longer wish to proceed with your enrolment application:
  - select **Do Not Accept** (for each offer to be declined)
  - enter a reason and the application will be closed

**Place Offered**

Congratulations you have been offered a place. Please complete the enrolment form by accepting our offer.

If you do not wish to proceed please reject the offer to notify the school. Please only accept ONE enrolment offer. Your personal and health information will be shared with the school once you have accepted this enrolment offer.

Student: Jenny MARUM      School: Bridgewood Primary School

[View More Details](#)

[Do Not Accept](#)      [Accept Offer](#)

### Steps

- 1 Student Details
- 2 Address Details
- 3 School Details
- 4 Family Details
- 5 Health and Wellbeing Details
- 6 Medical Records
- 7 Student Assessment
- 8 Student Alerts
- 9 Review & Declaration
- 10 Enrolment Submission

**NOTE:** Your personal and health information will be shared with the school once you have accepted an enrolment offer.

## We are here to support you

If you have any questions regarding your enrolment, please contact your school. For information about this process, visit <https://www.vic.gov.au/how-choose-school-and-enrol>.