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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back everyone to East Freo PS and Term 3. We hope all had a great holiday and recharged the batteries ready for a busy ten weeks. Take note and keep up to date of the upcoming events in the adjacent column.

Good news...Tony Mirabella has won a permanent Deputy Principal position at Meekatharra DHS. On behalf of the school congratulations to you Tony and all the best for the future.

East Fremantle PS is currently in the process of finalising our next Business Plan. Over the term I will be sending out "chunks" of the plan for our school community to peruse and provide feedback if they wish.

The plan includes the key objectives of improving student achievement in literacy and numeracy. Part of our planning process is ensuring there is a team approach to teaching... including mathematics. In other words all staff have a common and shared belief in the best way to teach maths and utilise strategies that are well researched, explicit, effective and proven to achieve positive and improved results when administered well.

EFPS NUMERACY Beliefs

At EFPS Our Maths Program:

Has a structured, coordinated and whole school approach from Year P – 6.

This involves regular Phase of Learning meetings to ensure a common approach to Maths teaching and learning.

Deliver an effective mental maths program incorporated into a daily uninterrupted Numeracy Block.

Incorporated within are strategies, assessment, monitoring, planning and resourcing.

Focuses on the explicit teaching of fundamental and higher order problem solving skills.

Focuses on the principle and strategies that lie within the First Steps in Maths program.

At least one hour per day is Numeracy focused – incorporating mental maths, explicit teaching, application and repetition time, sharing and extension.

Cater for specific student needs. This includes extending all students to the best of their ability.

Will be organised into content units with common year group diagnostic assessments to follow.

Sets specific targets within our Business and Class Plans specific to Numeracy.

Will see staff sharing expertise and using Professional Learning to improve student outcomes.

Will use class, team and NAPLAN assessment on a school level to plan targeted learning activities to improve student outcomes.

Ensures each stakeholder has a shared and common understanding of their roles within the Numeracy Plan. I.e; Board, Numeracy Coordinator, Committee, Teacher and Student. Has a Numeracy Team Leader and Committee that commits to the ethos and management of the EFPS Numeracy Plan.

New On Line Maths Resource for EFPS Students – Mathletics.

*Mathletics is a purpose-built interface provides learners with the study tools and maths curriculum resources to take greater control of their own learning. Teachers are at the heart of teaching and learning and **Mathletics** helps as a tool to support, empower and personalise learning for students. Mathletics is aligned to the WA Curriculum.*

Your child is using Mathletics as part of their mathematics program at school. Your child also has take-home access to Mathletics – they simply sign in with their school username and password using any compatible computer or mobile device. The extra Mathletics practice at home can make all the difference to your child's progress.

Finally, our Cross Country has been postponed until tomorrow Friday 27th due to the weather. Lets hope for clear skies come Friday and good luck to all competitors.

Geordie Robertson

A/Principal EFPS

Important Dates

- **Friday July 27th**
EFPS Cross Country
- **Tuesday July 31st**
Inter-School Cross Country
- **Wednesday August**
1st PEAC Testing Yr 4
- **Thursday August 2nd**
P&C Meeting 7pm
EFPS Library
- **Friday August 3rd**
Room 1 Assembly
UNIFORM SHOP OPEN
- **Friday August 3rd**
Room 1 Assembly
UNIFORM SHOP OPEN
- **Tuesday August 7th**
Book week Incursion

- **Friday August 10th**
Room 9A Assembly
UNIFORM SHOP OPEN



Friday September 7th
EFPS 120th Birthday!!

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NEWS



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CALENDAR

Term 3 – 2018

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	July 16 Pupil Free Day	17	18	19	20
2	23	24	25 EFPS Cross Country	26 Yr 6 Young Writers Day	27
3	30	31 Inters Cross Country	August 1 PEAC Testing	2 P&C Meeting	Rm 1 Assembly 3
4	6	7 Book Week Incursion	8	9	10 Rm 9A assembly
5	13	14	15 Board Meeting	16	17
6	20 BOOK WEEK	21 Massed choir rehearsal	22	23	Rms 5 and 6 Assembly Book Week Parade 24
7	27	28	29	30	31
8	September 3	4	5 Parents' Night	6	Rms 11 and 12 Assembly 120th Birthday celebration!
9	10 Massed choir rehearsal	11	12 Massed choir concert UWA	13	14 EFPS Athletics Carnival
10	17	18	19	20	PP1 Assembly 21

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- RECENT CERTIFICATE WINNERS

<i>Honour Certificates</i>	<i>Year & Class</i>	<i>Value Recipient "Generosity"</i>
Hugo Fair Xavier Carle	PP1—Room 13	
Hannah Stralow Zephyr Sibbison Josie Moore	PP2—Room 14	
Josie Leaderbrand Emilio Manfredi Maya Congdon	Y1—Rom 9	Kai Flay Seren Panicker
Ted Travers Helen Parks	Y1—Room 9A	Cate Sherwood
Monte Jacobs Leonard Hasani	Y2—Room 7	Tully Miller-White
Charlotte Langford Challis De Sousa	Y2—Room 8	Grace Strapp
Charlotte Dench Cedric Rankenberg	Y3—Room 11	Poppy Bull
Kaitlin Nichols Hugh Wilkinson	Y3—Room 12	Miles Coghlan
Kalen Palmer Aston De Sousa	Y4—Room 2	Indira Coghlan
Sterling Adams Cezanne Knight	Y4—Room 3	
Ziggy Handley	Y5—Room 1	Eva Flynn
Madison Price Finn Nancarrow	Y5—Room 4	Riley Job
Will Carder Polly Docker-Guest	Y6—Room 5	Lucia Healy
Rupert Holden Amelia Thomas	Y6 — Room 6	Demi De Sousa

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WHO FLUNG DUNG?....

There is a currently a large quantity of dog poo being found in the school oval which poses a health risk for the students playing there (not to mention the 'eurgh' factor) If you or your children use the oval to exercise your dog after hours, please make sure your dog is within sight at all times so you can clean up any mess left behind. If you know of neighbours that use the grounds for their dog walks, please remind them to do the same—otherwise your child may end up playing in it!



SCHOOL BANKING

—a message from the co-ordinator

School banking will re-start on 3.08.2018.

It will be on Fridays in the school library from 8:15 to 8:45.

Children that already have the deposit books can use the same ones.

Parents of new participants should go online or in a branch of the bank and open an account for a child. They need to have BSB and account number with them and children will receive a deposit book and can start banking straight away. More information in booklets that can be picked up from the office.

Many many thanks,

Inessa Dwyer



Save the Children

Save the Children is looking for donations of quality 2nd hand children's toys for younger children to sell in our Op Shops.

We are looking in particular for:

- Puzzles
- Games
- Barbies
- Action figures
- Fisher Price type play activity centres

Please no soft toys.

Please drop donations into the school office by Friday 10th August.

Funds raised assist vulnerable children in Western Australia, Australia and overseas.

Any queries please email Sonia sonia.holmes@savethechildren.org.au

Many thanks

2018 Term dates—UPDATED

TERM 3

School Development Day Monday 16th July - Pupil Free

Students return on Tuesday, 17 July 2018 to Friday, 21 September 2018

Break - Saturday, 22 September 2018 - Sunday, 7 October 2018

TERM 4

School Development Day Monday 8th October - Pupil Free

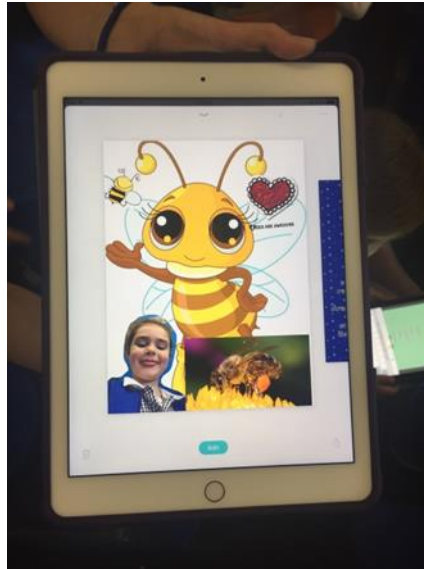
Students return on Tuesday, 9 October 2018 to Thursday, 13 December 2018

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NEWS FROM THE CLASSROOM

Working together!

On Friday Year 4 students assisted Year 1's with getting to know our iPads for learning not just fun. As the students in Room 2 were instructed last year on some of the skills needed to enhance their use to further develop their learning and iPad use the teachers thought why not share their knowledge with the younger students and they become the teacher. Room 2 taught the students how to use **Pic Collage**. Focusing on what the students in Room 9A had learnt about bees which was their topic for the week. The Year 4 students showed them the basics and then assisted them where necessary. Room 9A loved it and were able to show they understood how to use **Pic Collage** and also about their topic. Next Week we will be looking at how to create a book in **Book creator**. Stay tuned!



Good Luck

Congratulations to **Teo Roberts** in Year 4, who has been selected to represent WA at the Australian Karate Federation National Championship in Queensland in August. Well done on your selection Teo, East Fremantle Primary staff and students all wish you the very best for your competition!

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NEWS FROM THE SPORTS DESK

EFPS CROSS COUNTRY 2018

Dear Parents,

The EFPS Faction Cross Country Carnival for Years 3-6 will be held on **Friday, 27th of July**
at the JOHN CURTIN COLLEGE lower oval between 1:45pm and 2:55pm.

All students are to participate. Students unable to participate due to medical reasons require a note excusing them from the event. These students will attend as spectators.

All students in each year group are eligible to run for their Faction.

All runners will gain points for their respective Factions on a sliding scale.

The first five students in Years 4-6 will secure the honour of representing EFPS at the Inter-School Cross Country, held on the morning of Tuesday, 31st of July at Brentwood Primary School.

Event Order

Year 4 -Boys and Girls [1200m run]

Year 3- Boys and Girls [1200m run]

Year 5 -Boys and Girls [1400m run]

Year 6 -Boys and Girls [1400m run]

****Distances are approximate.***

Presentations

Please note;

Please ensure students requiring asthma medication to please bring with them on the day.

Students require sports uniform and appropriate footwear. This may include faction colours.

Students will walk to the venue accompanied by their classroom teachers.

Please feel free to come along to cheer the children on.

Students will return to school for normal dismissal.

Thank you

Mr Emery

EAST FREMANTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C NEWS



Election This Saturday!

Saturday 28th July

The P&C need your help to bake cakes, slices and biscuits for the cake stall being held at school for the Fremantle by-elections.

Please can you slice all cakes and slices unless the cake is intended to be sold whole. It would be appreciated if you could please also provide a list of ingredients used in the cake.

Please can you deliver baked goodies to the staff room by Friday afternoon or Saturday morning.

Your participation in helping raise funds for the school is much appreciated.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

5 STEPS TO POSITIVE PARENTING

Triple P helps make raising children and teenagers easier and more enjoyable for both you and the kids. It's about building relationships, communicating well and encouraging the kind of behaviour you want to see. It helps you manage your child's behaviour, emotions and development in a way that isn't hurtful.

Positive parenting helps you feel more confident and less stressed about raising children. You're likely to have fewer arguments with your partner. And kids who grow up with positive parenting do well at school. They make friends easily. They feel good about themselves. They're also less likely to have behavioural or emotional problems when they get older. Like the sound of Triple P? Well, here's just a little taste: five principles that underpin Triple P's positive parenting. These principles are relevant whether you've got toddlers, teens or in-betweens!

1. CREATE A SAFE, INTERESTING ENVIRONMENT

Bored kids are likely to misbehave. Bored teenagers may find trouble. So create an environment that allows kids to explore safely and develop their skills.

2. HAVE A POSITIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

If a child or teenager comes to you for help or a chat, they're ready to learn. Give them positive attention, even if only for a minute or so. Encourage their ideas and opinions.

3. USE ASSERTIVE DISCIPLINE

Set clear rules and boundaries and follow through with fair consequences. You can negotiate some of these with older kids and decide on the rules and consequences together. Praise little and big kids to encourage the behaviour you like.

4. HAVE REALISTIC EXPECTATIONS

Nobody's perfect – kids, teenagers or adults – so don't expect your child to do more (or less) than they're capable of. And remember, we all make mistakes sometimes.

5. TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF AS A PARENT

It's all about balance. You've got to look after your own needs too, so make sure you're getting some support, time with friends, and maybe even a little time to yourself!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Government of Western Australia
Child and Adolescent Health Service

Triple P Positive Parenting Program

You are invited to attend a Group Triple P. Triple P teaches positive, practical and effective ways to manage common issues which most parents will face.

Parents will learn effective parenting strategies such as ways to encourage behaviour you like, how to promote your child's development and how to prevent or manage common child behaviour problems.

The next **FREE** 8 week Group is held:

When: Starting 24 July 2018
Location: Willagee Community Centre
RSVP: Bookings are essential and places are limited.

To book online

www.trybooking.com/VYMW

Unable to book online?

Please call 1300 749 869

To find other available programs visit our website

www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups

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Allergy Information Evening - Perth

Allergy & Anaphylaxis Australia together with the National Allergy Strategy will hold an information evening to provide guidance and support for those suffering with severe allergic disease.

A/Prof Richard Loh (paediatric clinical immunologist) will talk about oral immunotherapy for food allergy. Maria Said, CEO of Allergy & Anaphylaxis Australia will also present.

There will also be a panel of specialists including an adult immunologist and paediatric immunologist who will be ready to answer questions that you may have.

You will also find out about the National Allergy Strategy food allergy prevention project.

When: Tuesday, 28 August 2018

Time: Arrival from 6pm for a light supper with session to commence at 6:30pm

Where: Stirling Community Centre
Corner Cape & Stoneham Streets, Tuart Hill
(Carpark Entry off Stoneham Street)

COST: Free

RSVP: <https://www.trybooking.com/WTUV>

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24 - 26 August 2018

OPENING NIGHT | Friday 24 August 2018, 7 - 10 pm


Tickets \$20 | www.stickytickets.com.au

SPECIAL GUEST OPENER | The Honourable Kim Beazley AC
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EXHIBITION VIEWING DAYS | Saturday 10 am - 5 pm
Sunday 10 am - 3 pm
Gold Coin Donation

LOCATED | Drill Hall, Leeuwin Barracks
18 Riverside Road, East Fremantle WA 6158

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 A volunteer run, not-for-profit assisting WA families enduring high risk pregnancies and those requiring neo-natal care

MAJOR DEFENCE BENEFICIARY | Working Spirit |

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Painting | Glass | Ceramics | Sculpture



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For further information | Michelle 0481 067 676 | For bookings | Susan 0427 617 636 (a/h)
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Circle of Security Parenting™ For parents of children with additional needs

Circle of Security Parenting™ is a relationship based parenting program based on decades of attachment research. This program is hosted by the Kids Are Kids! Clinical Psychology team who are registered Circle of Security Educators and specialise in working with families who have children with additional needs.

The 8 week program will cover the following areas:

- Understanding your child's needs
- How to help your child organise their feelings
- How to help your child feel secure in their relationships
- How to help your child to engage more in play and learning
- How to meet your child's emotional needs in tough times (challenging behaviours, tantrums, attention seeking, clinginess)
- How to manage your thoughts and feelings

The program is tailored for parents of children with additional needs including but not limited to ASD, ADHD, Fragile X Syndrome, Anxiety and Down Syndrome.

When: Term 3, Each Wednesday for 8 weeks

Commencing 25 July to 12 September from 10:00 – 11:45am

Cost: FREE

Where: Kids Are Kids!, Fraggles Physio Room, 26 Parry Avenue, Bateman

For more information or to register your place call 9313 6566 or email info@kidsarekids.org.au. Please be advised that a crèche will not be available.

The program is made possible by funding from the Helen Leech Endowment through Perpetual's IMPACT Philanthropy Program.

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