

# Caulfield South Primary

# School News

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## KEY DATES

Please regularly check the Community Calendar on the CSPS Website or via FlexiBuzz for all other Key dates. (All Pupil Free days are listed on the Community Calendar for 2017)

### Some Key dates coming up...

#### Wednesday May 18

School Council – 6.30pm

#### Friday May 19

National Walk Safely to School Day  
Prep Excursion to Taskworks

#### Monday May 22 – Friday May 26

Lamont Book Fair

#### Tuesday May 23

District Cross Country  
Junior Assembly : 2D - 3.00pm

#### Wednesday May 24

OPEN MORNING: 9.00am – 10.00am  
School Tour 10-11am (New enrolments)

Information Session for prospective parents : 6.30 – 6.50pm

OPEN NIGHT: (Whole School): 6.30pm (Book Fair open 6.30 – 8.00pm)

#### Monday May 29

PUPIL FREE DAY

#### Tuesday May 30

Secondhand Uniform Shop Open: 8.40 – 9.10am  
Science Competition

#### Wednesday May 31

WALKATHON  
Lunchtime Sausage Sizzle

#### Tuesday June 6

School Tour 10-11am (New enrolments)

#### Monday June 12

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

#### Wednesday June 21

English and Maths competition entries close – 9.00am

#### Friday June 23

School Tour 10-11am (New enrolments)

#### Monday June 26

Creative Music Concert: Giovanni Granata's, Class (4.00pm - Library)  
3 way Conferences/Parent Teacher Interviews ( June 26 – 27)

#### Wednesday June 28

Creative Music Concert: David Shih's Class (4.00pm - Library)

#### Friday June 30

LAST DAY TERM 2 – 2.30pm Finish

#### Monday July 17:

First Day Term 3

#### Monday July 31

PUPIL FREE DAY

#### Tuesday August 1

English Competition

#### Saturday August 5

SCHOOL DISCO

#### Tuesday August 15

Mathematics Competition

#### Wednesday September 13

School Concert

#### Monday Oct 16 – Friday Oct 20 (Term 4)

Prep – Year 1 Swimming Program (Starfish)

#### Monday October 23 – Friday October 27

Year 2 Swimming Program (Starfish)

**FRIDAY EARLY  
LUNCHTIMES 12.30pm**

**SCHOOL ASSEMBLY TERM 2  
MONDAYS 3.00pm**

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Tues, Thurs, Fri**  
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**Term Dates 2017**  
Term 2: 18 April to 30 June  
Term 3: 17 July to 22 September  
Term 4: 9 October to 22 December



On the 28th April, 2017 Tiqbiz was formally rebranded to FlexiBuzz.

To ensure that your users can accurately locate the app and platform information, FlexiBuzz will initially promote the "Tiqbiz is now FlexiBuzz" logo. This means that a potential user entering "Tiqbiz" or "FlexiBuzz" will be able to find the website or the app in the app stores.

The rebrand of the app will require users to apply the update. FlexiBuzz will communicate with all users prior to the change and will continue to monitor app updates to determine an appropriate time to allow FlexiBuzz to stand alone and

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### ADAM VOIGT PARENT SESSION 'BUILDING A RESILIENT CHILD'

It was great to see our hall so full of parents, teachers and educational support staff last night, all coming together for the common purpose of learning more about building a supportive community that will help towards our children developing into resilient, strong young citizens who will thrive academically, socially and emotionally and enjoy success. Adam, who is an educational expert in this area, has been working with our staff for two years now, helping to embed restorative practices as the basis for building a collaborative, positive and connected teaching and learning environment. He has modelled excellent teaching practice in our classrooms that highlights how restorative behaviours and positive relationships are crucial elements of every teaching and learning session. Adam has also spent time observing our teachers and working in tandem with them to build this culture. Great insight has come from our teachers reflecting on the learning throughout the day and the professional discussions about our learning as a whole staff at the end of the day. In his highly engaging presentation, Adam emphasised the importance of ensuring school staff and parents are 'on the same page' when it comes to building resilience. We all need to support our children to take responsibility for actions and behaviours and be an active part in finding solutions to help move forward, when things go wrong. Our staff are very grateful for the strong parent attendance last night and I would like to thank the vast majority of our staff who volunteered their time to attend this session, demonstrating the commitment they have to building a culture of collaboration and restorative practices throughout our school. We look forward to this culture of respect, resilience and excellence continuing to build across our school community.

Parents can access the Real Schools member's page using the school login details below:

[www.realschools.com.au](http://www.realschools.com.au)

Username: [caulfieldsps](mailto:caulfieldsps) Password: [caulfieldsps](mailto:caulfieldsps)

To email for Tuesday night's PowerPoint

[info@realschools.com.au](mailto:info@realschools.com.au)

Children come first at Caulfield South

## **MOTHER'S DAY STALL**

The Mother's Day stall was another terrific success with many helpers coming together to provide lots of options for presents for Mother's Day. A big thank you to Nikki Gelfand, her fabulous organising team of Kerry Rubin, Dana Lewis, Michelle Belzycki, Rachel Saffer and Gabi Rees and of course, our helpers on the day! A special thank you also goes to Cathy Jankowsky for generously donating beautiful hand crafted jewellery and key rings which were very popular presents and added greatly to our fundraising on the day. The other special thank you goes to the Rees family who donated lots of body wash, nail polishes and moisturising sprays that made a terrific addition to the wonderful choices for our children. Thank you everyone!



## **INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PRIMARY YEARS PROGRAMME EVALUATION**

This year, we are undertaking our five-year PYP evaluation. This evaluation will assist our school to identify areas of the Primary Years Programme in which we are excelling, and it will also outline how the school might continue to improve in the delivery of a high quality education. A key part of this Evaluation is the completion of a period of self-study, in which students and parents play a vital role by contributing their perspective to the discussion. Our PYP Coordinators, Andy McKibbin and Andy Stefaniak are leading this review and enlisting the help of the school community to contribute to this process. I thank those parents who responded to the call in the School News, to be involved in this discussion. I'm also grateful our School Council parents, some of whom will be involved as members of our governing body and are therefore arriving early to tonight's meeting in order to contribute their ideas and opinions. I must highlight the terrific amount of goodwill constantly being demonstrated in our community!

## **ACTIVE APRIL**

Many children were involved in 'Active April' which boosted the amount of physical activity in which they were engaged. As always Mr Gibson encouraged everyone to focus on being fit and healthy and to join in this activity. This is followed up by 'Walk Safely to School Day'

this Friday and we encourage children to walk or ride to school rather than be driven to help form healthy habits for an active lifestyle.

## **NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM LITERACY AND NUMERACY**

Last week student across the State were engaged in the National Assessment Program Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). This testing was once again completed with minimal fuss or disruption to our school program. Our teachers ensure our students are well prepared for the format of these tests and they are treated as far as possible as part of the regular suite of testing that occurs throughout the year. By treating these tests in this way, it is hoped that we diminish any unnecessary pressure on our students and therefore gain a fair representation of the students' capabilities. Parents receive an individual report on their child's performance in the NAPLAN later in the year. Our teachers analyse this data along with other assessment data, to inform teaching, professional development needs for teachers and future program planning. I thank John Wink for managing this process and the Year 3 and 5 teachers who implemented the testing so proficiently, providing one more form of assessment to help ensure we provide targeted teaching and learning for our students. I am also grateful to those parents who supported our children by encouraging a positive, sensible outlook towards this experience.

## **MAY WORKING BEE**

We had another very successful working bee on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May, with some of our Prep and Year 5 families coming together led by Joe Salvatore whose management ensured the day ran smoothly and was extremely productive. A big thank you to the following parents and children who attended our May Working Bee:

Dafna & Sharon P, Nicoll & Harrison G, Saira H, Danielle G, Rivka FS, Robert C, Kellie D, Jose P, Steph V, Ewa Z & Prezemek Z, Adrian G, Harriet, Jo & Damen & Jo S, Jackie L, Nitesh C, Ilana T, Phoebe & Nathan McC, David K, Natasha & Damian B, Anthony E, Rebecca P.

**Prep students** –Noam P, Olive G, Issak H, Judah G, Maoz S, Asher D, Caitlin V, Basia Z, Emma G, Nathan S, Riya C, Leo M, Jude McC, Zoe K, Max B,

**Year 5 students** –Tomer P, Baille M-C, Jacob P, Theo O, Nate E, Javan L

**Siblings** –Reed M-C, Orson H, Joel L, Jake L, Harrison G



## OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE: FAREWELL DAVID

Our Out of School Hours Care Camp Australia Coordinator, David, finished up at CSPS on Monday of this week as he was offered a promotion position at another school. After six years of dedicated service at CSPS, David will certainly be missed by children, parents and staff but we wish him the best of luck for much success and very happy days in his new position. We have a new coordinator for our program, Sian Humber and I know our children and parents who use this service will join me in giving a warm CSPS welcome to her.

Warm regards,  
**Gayle Yardley**  
Principal



## WE'RE TAKING IT IN OUR STRIDE ON FRIDAY, 19<sup>th</sup> MAY 2017

Well it's that time of year again when CSPS seriously starts talking about walking!

Walk Safely to School Day asks that we all consider our transport habits and try to incorporate more walking as part of a healthy, active way to get around. And although walking all the way to school isn't realistic for many of us, it's quite easy to figure out how you can build a walk into your family's daily routine.

You can teach your child the healthy habit of walking more by:

- Walking with them the whole way to school
- If they get the bus or train, walk past your usual stop and get on at the next stop
- If you have to drive, park the car a few blocks away from the school and walk the rest of the way.

Regular exercise, like walking with your child, not only helps them (and you!) beat chronic problems like obesity, heart disease, behavioural and mental health issues and diabetes, it also gives you a great opportunity to teach your child safe ways to behave around roads and traffic.

Remember, Active Kids are Healthy Kids & most prefer to walk than sitting in the car, so get planning your own Walk Safely to School Day journey for Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2017!

For more information, visit [www.walk.com.au](http://www.walk.com.au)

## STUDENT ENROLMENT INFORMATION – UPDATE

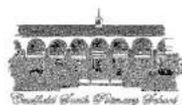
Next week we will be emailing families the Student Enrolment Information Form to ensure our records are up-to-date. If there are corrections to be made please email the details to the school or print off and return to the school office.

Many thanks  
Admin Staff.



## LAMONT BOOK FAIR Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May SCHOOL LIBRARY

OPENING TIMES AS LISTED BELOW (Monday – Friday)



## BOOK ONLINE LAMONT BOOK FAIR VOLUNTEERS 2017 MONDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> – FRIDAY 26<sup>th</sup> MAY

Dear Parents

Our Book Fair is always a great event which the children enjoy immensely. To ensure the fair runs smoothly, we rely on parents to help set up on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May, man the stall on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May and pack up afterwards.

We are seeking several helpers as follows:  
Fair set up Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May

2.30 - 3.30pm 4 helpers required

Manning the stall Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May  
Manning the stall Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

8.30 – 9.15am 3 helpers required  
3.20 – 4.15pm 3 helpers required

Manning the stall Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May  
Manning the stall Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

8.30 – 9.15am 3 helpers required  
3.20 – 4.15pm 3 helpers required

Manning the stall Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May  
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Open night

8.30 – 9.15am 3 helpers required  
3.20 – 4.15pm 3 helpers required  
6.30 – 8pm 6 helpers required

Manning the stall Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May  
Manning the stall Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

8.30 – 9.15am 3 helpers required  
3.20 – 4.15pm 3 helpers required

Manning the stall Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May  
Stall pack up

8.30 – 9.15am 3 helpers required  
9.15 – 10.15am 2 helpers required

If you can help for more than one timeslot in the same or another area, please feel free to put your name in more than once. Every little bit helps.

Event Code 3uq98

Go

Go into [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au)  
Simply enter the code and press "Go"



Enter your email address, volunteer name and mobile phone no.



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When you click **FINISH**, your volunteer time will be emailed to you automatically. If you do not receive your email immediately –

**Check your junk mail folder AND make sure you have spelt your email address correctly**

## THANK YOU...

We have some very generous parents in our community and Oliver



(3A) and Willow's (PD) mum, Dana is one of them! She has kindly donated numerous bags full of sports equipment for lunchtime borrowing! We cannot thank you enough Dana 😊. Our children love having equipment to borrow & it always needs replenishing so thank you on behalf of all the students here at CSPS.

Heath Gibson  
PE & Sport

You may change your bookings, any time prior to the day, by re-visiting the [www.schoolinterviews.com.au](http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au) website, and using the event code. Remember to use the same name and email address you used when you made your original booking.

Rachelli Sack  
Book Fair Co-ordinator

## THE C.S.P.S. VALUE OF RESPECT

As mentioned in our last newsletter, through our Student Engagement Plan we selected Respect, Resilience and Excellence as our 3 overarching values for Caulfield South P.S.

We aim to empower our students to feel safe and valued by adults and their community. Young people need to know they belong and fit in within a family and/ or a group.

The International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme defines Respect as 'Respecting themselves, others and the world around them'. As a school we recognise that adults and children alike deserve to be listened to and have their opinions valued. We model active listening and demonstrate tolerance when processing different viewpoints. We are passionate about our students developing understandings of fairness and honesty.



### Caulfield South Primary School Student Engagement Plan

#### OUR SCHOOL VALUES

#### RESPECT

#### RESILIENCE

#### EXCELLENCE

**WE FOLLOW RESTORATIVE PRINCIPLES TO ELEVATE STUDENT BEHAVIOUR, EMPATHY & COOPERATION.**

INFORMAL	<b>AFFECTIVE STATEMENTS</b> – We include feeling words and language to address low level yet high frequency behaviours. Time investment– 1-3 seconds
	<b>AFFECTIVE INTERACTIONS</b> – We quickly take 1-on-1 responses to poor behaviour choices from past, through present, and into the future. Time investment– 1-3 minutes
	<b>SMALL IMPROMPTU CONFERENCES</b> – we use Restorative Questions to solve problems amongst and between groups. Time investment– 9-10 minutes
	<b>LARGE GROUP</b> – We run regular circles in class to check in, check out, prepare, respond and to deliver content of all kinds. Time investment– less than 15 minutes
	<b>FORMAL CONFERENCING</b> – For the most serious, high impact behaviours and ongoing problems. Time investment– 60 minute Conference and up to 2 days of preparation.
FORMAL	

FREQUENCY  
TIME INVESTMENT

**WE SUPPORT EACH OTHER TO ELEVATE STUDENT BEHAVIOUR RESTORATIVELY.**

- Teachers work up and down the continuum as needed.
- Teachers look to address behaviour by starting with affective statements before they escalate.
- Teachers are supported by leadership to embed restorative language in practice.
- From time to time, teachers need to send their students from the room (TO) with a view to later repairing the harm (WITH).
- When removed, all students will be exposed to affective interactions facilitated by available school leaders.
- School leaders look for ways to release teachers to repair student/ teacher relationship issues as a first response.
- We look for ways to include parents in both the positive and negative behaviour patterns of their children.
- We use Restorative Conferences to return our students from any internal or external suspension that might be required.
- We solve all problems restoratively, tenets of focusing on HARM & RELATIONSHIPS in response to all conflict and tension, including bullying behaviours.

#### RESTORATIVE QUESTIONS

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DONE THE WRONG THING...

- What Happened? (Past)
- What were you thinking about at the time? (Past)
- What have you thought about since? (Past)
- Who has been affected by what you have done? In what way? (Present)
- What do you think you need to do to make things right again? (Future)

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN HARMED...

- What did you think when you realised what had happened?
- What impact has this incident had on you and others?
- What had been the hardest thing for you?
- What do you think needs to happen to make things right?

FIRM	TO	WITH
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FAIR		

Our School Rules: Be Safe, Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be a Learner

# Green Machine planting



On the last Wednesday of Term 1, Green Machine had an amazing time watering, turning over soil and planting some fantastic brand new plants in our barrels.



Lewis S's wonderful mum Lu came in with Charlie R's amazing mum Rosie and together they made our beautiful barrels come alive once again.

Once we found our plants we got digging!!! All of the Greenies had LOADS of fun helping each other plant lettuce, rocket, flowers, succulents and lots of other gorgeous plants!!!

We look forward to watering and watching them grow to their best!!!

A SUPER big thanks to the lovely Miss Fallon and the spectacular Miss Tarrant for their brilliant supervision and assistance.

We would also love to say a GIGANTIC thanks to Lu and Rosie for hugely helping us to plant!!!!

Thanks, and remember **STAY GREEN!!!**

Written by Abby H and Isabel R (from 4A)

## Prep Enrolments 2018

If you have a child starting school in 2018 in Prep please make it a priority to complete an enrolment form to assist us with class numbers for next year. If you have neighbours or friends with children in our zone with children due to start in 2018 please inform them it's time to complete school enrolment forms!

**YEAR 2 JUNIOR ASSEMBLY :**  
**3.00pm in the School Hall**  
**2D: 23rd May**



This week's word of the week is

**ENTUSIASMO**

It means

**ENTHUSIASM**

Grazie,

**Sophie Bilionis**  
Italian Teacher



### COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

(Details located beside the double glass doors—near Prep A)

#### WEP Australia – HOST AN EXCHANGE STUDENT IN 2017

Find out more! Request a free information pack for your family!

Email: [info@wep.org.au](mailto:info@wep.org.au) Website: [www.wep.org.au](http://www.wep.org.au)

See noticeboard for details

#### CABRINI MALVERN – Free Informative Evening

Are you or any of your friends planning or having a baby?

Wednesday May 24<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm Bookings: Ph 9508 1724

See noticeboard for details

#### GLEN EIRA: Building Strong Families – 2017 Family Forum and Expo

Wednesday May 31 – Glen Eira Town Hall: \$10 per head

Bookings: [www.trybooking.com/PJYR](http://www.trybooking.com/PJYR) Place are limited.

See noticeboard for details

## SCHOOL TOURS - PROSPECTIVE PARENTS

Wed May 24, 2017:

10:00am – 11:00am (School tour)

Info session for prospective parents 6.30pm-6.50pm

**Open night (Whole School) 6.30pm**

**Tue Jun 6, 2017:** 10:00am – 11:00am

**Fri Jun 23, 2017:** 10:00am – 11:00am

**Thu Jul 27, 2017:** 10:00am – 11:00am

**Wed Aug 9, 2017:** 10:00am – 11:00am

**Tue Sep 5, 2017:** 10:00am – 11:00am

### OPEN MORNING/OPEN NIGHT

**Wednesday May 24**

**OPEN MORNING:** 9.00am – 10.00am

**School Tour** 10-11am (New enrolments)

**Information Session for prospective parents:** 6.30pm – 6.50pm

**OPEN NIGHT: (Whole School):** 6.30pm

## SWIMMING PROGRAM 2017

**Monday October 16 – Friday October 20**

**Prep – Year 1** Swimming Program (STARFISH)

**Monday October 23 – Friday October 27**

**Year 2** Swimming Program (STARFISH)

## SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP 2017

Enter via the stairs outside school office **Cash only, please**

The Secondhand Uniform shop will be open fortnightly

**Next Opening time:**

**Tuesday May 30<sup>th</sup>**

**8.40am – 9.10am**

Jacqueline and Elaine will be happy to serve you. Correct money/small notes and change would be appreciated

**Grab a bargain from \$2 a piece.**

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION FOR PARENTS CSEF PAYMENTS

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities. If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

**The annual CSEF amount per student is:**

•• \$125 for primary school students •• \$225 for secondary school students.

#### HOW TO APPLY

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

**MORE INFORMATION** For the CSEF application closing dates and more information about the fund visit [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

### CAULFIELD SOUTH PYP EVALUATION- GIVE US YOUR THOUGHTS!

We are currently looking for interested parents and community members to help us go through a PYP Evaluation from the International Baccalaureate this year. Evaluations are held every five years, in order to assist schools to identify areas of the Primary Years Programme in which they are excelling, and also to outline how the school might continue to improve in the delivery of a high quality education. A key part of this Evaluation is the completion of a period of self-study, in which students and parents can play a vital role by contributing their perspective to the discussion. If you are interested in being part of the PYP Evaluation, and you can be available to attend one or two meetings during Term Two, please get in touch with the school office to register your interest. We will endeavour to schedule meetings at the most convenient time available for those who express interest.

**Warm regards,**

**Andy McKibbin and Andy Stefaniak (PYP Coordinators)**



# 2017 International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)

## ENGLISH

**\*Attention parents of Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 students\***

Dear Parents,

The 2017 International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS) – English, is now being offered for interested students in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6. The competition takes place each year in schools throughout Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Malaysia, Brunei, the Pacific region and South Africa. ICAS-English is an initiative of the Educational Assessment Australia (EAA) of the University of New South Wales.

Students will be sitting for the test at the school on **Tuesday 1st August, 2017**. There are 35-60 individual items in each paper depending on the year level which require students to apply their knowledge, skills and understanding to locate, identify, interpret, infer and synthesise information in and about texts. Students read a range of texts that cover different forms and purposes. The tests are an excellent preparation for National tests and the student report is useful for highlighting your child's strengths and weaknesses in this area.

All students receive a certificate and an individual student report indicating which questions they answered correctly, as well as their score compared with the rest of the students tested.

The certificate and individual student report are also suitable for your child to include in a portfolio. Students are eligible for awards including High Distinction, Distinction, Credit and Participation Certificates. Further information can be located on the website [www.eaa.unsw.edu.au](http://www.eaa.unsw.edu.au)

If you would like your child to participate in this competition, please fill in and return the form below with the entry fee of \$9.90 per student, by 9am Wednesday, 21st June. The entry form and fee should be returned to your child's classroom teacher or the school office.

**Please Note:**

The official closing date set by the University is June 23rd.

**All entries will be entered online on this date. As the processing of entries takes some considerable time, late entries will not be accepted after 9am, Wednesday 21st June.**

Yours sincerely,  
Terri O'Neill  
ICAS Testing Coordinator  
✂.....

## 2017 ICAS ENGLISH Competition

I give permission for my child  
.....,

Grade ....., to participate in the 2017 ICAS English Competition.

Enclosed is \$9.90 for the entry fee.

Parent/Guardian  
signature.....Date.....

## MATHEMATICS

**\*Attention parents of Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 students\***

Dear Parents,

The 2017 International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS) – Mathematics, is now being offered for interested students in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6. The competition takes place each year in schools throughout Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Malaysia, Brunei, the Pacific region and South Africa. ICAS-Mathematics is an initiative of the Educational Assessment Australia (EAA) of the University of New South Wales.

Students will be sitting for the test at the school on **Tuesday 15th August 2017**. There are 30-40 individual items in each paper depending on the year level which require students to apply their knowledge, skills and understanding across the skills areas of number and arithmetic; algebra and patterns; measurement; space and geometry and chance and data. The tests are an excellent preparation for National tests and the student report is useful for highlighting your child's strengths and weaknesses in this area.

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ICAS Testing Coordinator  
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## 2017 ICAS MATHEMATICS Competition

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Enclosed is \$9.90 for the entry fee.

Parent/Guardian  
signature.....Date.....

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