

# CORRIMAL PUBLIC SCHOOL

A small school making a big difference !

## THE CORRIMAL CONNECTION

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

#### WELCOME BACK TO TERM 2

I trust that everyone had a safe and relaxing holiday period and you had the opportunity to spend quality time with loved ones. This term is a ten week term filled with lots of opportunities that will keep teachers and students busy. We have already had our ANZAC day ceremony and District Cross Country Carnival and our Gymnastics program is ready to begin. NAPLAN online for Years 3 and 5 starts in week 3 and this week we have our Mother's Day breakfast and stall with a Public Speaking competition later in the term. This term is definitely going to fly by.

#### PARENT / TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Thank you to all the parents who attended our Parent / Teacher Interviews at the end of last term. It is fabulous to see the number of parents who take the opportunity to meet early in the year to gain a clearer understanding of your child's learning and what you can do to best support them.

#### P&C MEETING REMINDER

Our next P&C meeting will be held Tuesday, 14th May at 6pm. This meeting is being held in the evening to provide opportunities for parents and carers who can't usually attend due to work commitments. The meeting will be held in the library. Please come and join us to find out the wonderful way our P&C supports our school.

#### WELCOME MRS PENNISI

K/1 Dulili have been getting to know their new teacher Mrs Pennisi who started at Corrimal PS this term. Mrs Pennisi has been permanently appointed to our school as a classroom teacher and is very excited to get know our wonderful Corrimal PS community. I know you will make her feel very welcome. In the next issue of our newsletter Mrs Pennisi will write a short message to introduce herself.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>Week 2</u>	
6/5/19	Gymnastics - sports uniform
7/5/19	Gymnastics - sports uniform
8/5/19	Adopt a Farmer - Mufti Day Gold coin donation
10/5/19	Mothers Day Breakfast 8.00am
10/5/19	Mothers Day Stall - from 9am
10/5/19	School Banking
<u>Week 3</u>	
13/5/19	Gymnastics - sports uniform
14/5/19	Gymnastics - sports uniform
14/5/19	P&C Meeting 6pm
14/5/19- 17/5/19	NAPLAN
15/5/19	School Assembly 2.00pm- 3.00pm
17/5/19	School Banking

PLEASE NOTE: These dates are subject to change. The school will endeavour to contact the community should this be the case.

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### ANZAC DAY CORRIMAL RSL MEMORIALSERVICE

I would like to thank our leaders, Flynn, Kaylee and Connor, along with their parents, for participating in the Corrimal RSL ANZAC ceremony on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April. You represented Corrimal PS beautifully and I was very proud to be walking with you on the day.



### MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

This Friday we have our Mother's Day breakfast from 8-9 am. It is fabulous that Corrimal Public School provides a breakfast for our mum's to show how much they appreciate their support of the school. This doesn't happen in every school which just shows me the commitment and appreciation my staff have for their community. I am very proud of them. Invitations were sent out last term. Please return these notes ASAP for catering purposes. If you need a new invitation please see the ladies at the office.



### MOTHER'S DAY STALL

Following the Mother's Day Breakfast, the P&C will be holding our Mother's Day stall in our the hall. Gifts will range in price from 50c to \$5. Thank you to all those families who have kindly donated gifts for the stall. There will be some very happy mums on Sunday morning.

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### NAPLAN

A reminder that all students in years 3,5,7 and 9 are involved in NAPLAN assessment next week from Tuesday, May 14th to Friday, May 24th. These are National Tests that cover a wide range of topics from literacy, spelling, grammar and punctuation, writing and numeracy. This year Corrimal Public School students will be completing the test online, except for Year 3 writing which will be a pen and paper test. Students are advised to stay calm throughout the tasks and try and get a good night's rest between each assessment. Staff will be on hand to make sure all students manage the process well. Please remember they are tests taken on one day and don't measure how sporty, creative or what a good friend your child is, or how they relate to adults or their peers.

### OPPORTUNITY CLASS PLACEMENT FOR YEAR 5 IN 2020

Opportunity classes cater for highly achieving academically gifted students who may otherwise be without classmates at their own academic and social level. These schools help gifted and talented students, teaching them with other gifted and talented students, teaching them in specialised ways and providing educational materials at the appropriate level.

Applications for opportunity class placement are considered mainly on the basis of the Opportunity Class Placement test results and school assessment scores.

If you would like to have your child considered for Year 5 opportunity class entry in 2020, you need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student's email address).

The application website opens on **30th April 2019** and closes on **Friday, 17th May 2019**. No late applications will be accepted.

The website is as follows

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5>

### SCHOOL HOURS

A reminder that school is supervised **from 8.30am**. It has been alarming the number of students that are arriving at school by 8:00am. In an emergency there is a quiet waiting area in the outdoor kitchen/BBQ COLA if you need to drop your child at school before 8.30am on occasions. Our school day finishes at **3:00pm** and any student that is not collected by their parent or carer should be leaving the school at that time. There are many students not going home straight away and staying to play in the playground without supervision. We would appreciate your support in assisting us with this by speaking with your child/children so that they are safe at all times.

### TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

We have been revising some of our procedures and protocols around digital technology and the use of iPads and computers in the school. You will see more about this in the coming weeks but something we are sending home this week is a technology use agreement. This will be something that every student will sign at the beginning of every year to ensure we are all being respectful users of technology at Corrimal Public School. At this stage the agreement has only been sent home to students from Year 3-6 to be discussed with you and signed by both your child and yourself. We are starting with the older students first and will involve our younger students in time.

Please take the time to discuss and sign the agreement with your child/children and return to the class teacher as soon as possible. We appreciate your support with helping our students to be responsible digital citizens.

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### ATTENDANCE

Did you know that if students miss as little as eight days in a school term, by the end of primary school they will have missed an entire year of education?

If you are experiencing difficulties with getting your children to school, please let us know. You can speak to your child's classroom teacher, an executive member, or the front office staff about how we may assist you. Our aim is to correct attendance issues as soon as they arise.

**EVERY DAY COUNTS...**  
A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ a years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

*Give your child every chance to succeed...*

**Every day counts!**



**Karen Vincenzini**  
Principal

### ADOPT A FARMER - MUFTI DAY

This Wednesday, our school will be participating in the 'Adopt a Farmer' initiative. This initiative will be held across the nation on this day. To show our support to this cause we invite students to **wear mufti, or dress like a farmer for the day**. The education department has set a goal to raise \$800,000 for farmers who are struggling through tough conditions as a result of drought and flooding. All money raised from this day will be passed on directly to the farmers. To help reach this goal we are asking students to bring in a **gold coin donation** on the day. We look forward to seeing everyone dressed in their best farmers outfits!

**Miss Marks & Mr Martin**  
Coordinating Teachers



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LEADER PROFILE

## Spotlight on our Leaders

**How long have you attended Corrimal Public School?**

*Since Kindergarten, so this is my 7<sup>th</sup> year.*

**Tell us something that impresses you about our school.**

*That we have a good playground. Other schools don't even have grass!*

**Tell us something that impresses you about our suburb.**

*There is lots to do here and we don't have to travel far.  
I play for Corrimal Cougars and my home ground is Ziems Park, that's in Corrimal.*

**What is your favourite subject?**

*Maths*

**What is your favourite food?**

*San Choy Bau. It's mince wrapped in a lettuce leaf.*

**What is your favourite sport?**

*Footy ie: Rugby League*

**What is your favourite movie?**

*Adventure type movies are my favourite.*

**What is your favourite animal?**

*The Tasmanian Devil*

**What are your hobbies?**

*Rugby League, Surf Club, swimming (summer and winter) and technology!*

**Do you have any brothers or sisters? Who are they?**

*Angus and Max. Angus is 16 and Max is 14.*

**If you could change the world what would you do?**

*I would get all the companies to clean up the rubbish.*

# Flynn

## School Captain



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### GYMNASTICS 2019

Our students will be provided with the opportunity to use a large range of equipment, including; a huge carpeted foam floor area, trampoline, bars, rings, beams and wedges. Your child/ren will love learning new skills with the aid of this quality equipment. All students are expected to participate, as gymnastics is a mandatory part of the school syllabus. Please ensure your child/ren's permission note and payment is received by our school office.

Thank you

**Jackie Everson**  
**Organising Teacher**

### SRC NEWS

The SRC have been working very hard behind the scenes organizing two fundraising events for Term 2.

The first event will take place on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May. We are asking students to come to school wearing mufti, with a gold coin donation to support the Kidz Wish foundation. This is a great opportunity for children to learn and recognize that this world is much bigger than our beautiful existence at Corrimal Public School, and to support others in our broader community.

The second event will be held on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> of July. More information is to come regarding this. However, money raised from this event will be put forward to supporting a school initiative.

Please note that children are asked to wear appropriate clothing on school mufti days. This includes covered in footwear, sleeves covering shoulders, and no mid drifts showing.

Thank you

**Sian Napper**  
**Organising Teacher**

### MOTHERS DAY

This Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May, we will be hosting our very popular Mother's Day Breakfast. We encourage all our mums and grandmothers to join us as we celebrate the outstanding job you do. Students can attend Breakfast Club during this time. Invitations were sent out last term. If you are yet to return your acceptance slip, please do so ASAP so that we can make the necessary preparations.



**Angie Giesjitis**  
**Organising Teacher**

### LIBRARY NEWS

Our **Annual Scholastic Book Fair** will be coming soon to our school library in Weeks 6 and 7 this term. A great range of books and stationery for all ages will be available to buy. A percentage of the sales goes towards free books for our school library. Students will be able to look at the books during library lessons and will bring home a wish list with some ideas of books and stationery they might like to purchase. Stay tuned for more information!

#### **NSW Premier's Reading Challenge**

The NSW Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) is open for 2019. K-2 students will be listening to and reading their 30 books from the PRC list during their library lessons and I will enter the books online for their student records. Years 3-6 students need to read 20 books (15 from the PRC list and 5 free choice). Students can see me for a reading log to record their books or they can enter the books online on the Premier's Reading Challenge website using their student portal password. The list of books can be found on the PRC website. Student reading records must be completed by 28th August 2019. Students who complete the PRC Challenge will receive a PRC certificate.

**Mrs Scard**  
**Librarian**



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### EASTER HAT PARADE AND PICNIC

On Thursday, 11th April we had a fantastic Easter Hat Parade, picnic lunch and P&C Raffle. The children paraded around the hall, showing off their fantastic creations in line with our theme of "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory". It was great to see so many parents, family and friends come to watch the parade and support their children. Thank you to the P&C for organising the delicious food platters and a successful Easter basket raffle.



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### DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY

Congratulations to all students that participated in the District Cross Country Carnival on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> at Bulli Park. All students represented Corrimal Public School with pride and should be proud of their efforts on the day. A further congratulations to Teagan Fuller who placed 3<sup>rd</sup> and will now represent the Northern Illawarra District team at the Regional Cross Country on the 7<sup>th</sup> June.

**Troy Martin**  
**Organising Teacher**



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### ANZAC DAY CEREMONY

Our ANZAC Day ceremony was held on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2019. The ceremony included service men and women from our local Corrimal RSL and parent community. We were very proud of our students and the respect that they displayed throughout the ceremony.

Students had time at the end for questions and we thank our special guests for taking part in our commemorations.



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### FROM THE OFFICE

### MAKING PAYMENTS

***It is important to have permission notes and payments in before the school related activity commences, it helps us ladies in the office run the finance and permission side of things smoothly and efficiently for all students.***

Payments for any school related activities (e.g. Excursions, Voluntary School Contributions, PSSA, SRC Fundraisers and Year 6 Fundraisers) can be made by cash, cheque or online payment system (POP) ***see attached instructions***. Please quote payment reference number on your child's permission slip.

Credit notes cannot be used for SRC or Year 6 Fundraising events but they can be used for every other school related activity.

If you do not have online access, payment envelopes are available at the office.

***When paying by cash please ensure correct money is sent in as change is not always available straight away. Once receipting and banking has been completed receipts and change are sent back to the class teacher to hand back to your child.***

All payments and permission slips are to be placed in our payment box located on the wall in the office.

***Please come and see us in the office if you require any financial assistance as we are always most happy to help out.***

Thank you

***Mrs Griffiths, Mrs Walder and Mrs Davidson  
School Administrative Staff***



### **Did you know that you can make payments to your child's school online?**

We have launched a new online payment portal linked to your school's website to make it easier for you to pay for school related payments. This is a secure payment page hosted by Westpac.

#### **What expenses can be paid online?**

- Voluntary School Contributions
- Subject Contributions
- Excursions
- Sport
- Creative and Practical Arts
- Sales to Students
- Other

#### **When?**

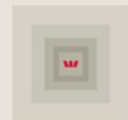
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#### **How?**

Log onto School site at:

[www.corrimal-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.corrimal-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

Click on "Make a Payment" and follow the prompts to make a payment via Visa or MasterCard.



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### STEWART HOUSE ENVELOPES

Stewart House Donation Drive envelopes will go home this week. A donation of \$2 and by completing the entry details on the back of the envelope enters you into draw to win a \$4000 holiday to the destination of your choice. **Envelopes are to be returned to the office by Friday 24th May.**

### VALUES FOCUS

Teachers are looking for students who are  
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### ASSEMBLY ITEMS

WEEK 3 - K COOINDA  
WEEK 5 - 3/4 OMAROO  
WEEK 7 - K-6 Public Speaking  
WEEK 9 - 1/2 ARINYA



## CANTEEN ROSTER

DATE	PARENT HELPERS
TUESDAY 7/05/19	<b>CLOSED</b>
WEDNESDAY 8/05/19	KATE & KAYLENE
THURSDAY 9/05/19	MARGOT(AM) & AMANDA & FIONA(PM)
FRIDAY 10/05/19	JENNIFER & KRISTY
MONDAY 13/05/19	CHLOE, ZARA(AM) & MARIA(PM)
TUESDAY 14/05/19	<b>CLOSED</b>
WEDNESDAY 15/05/19	KIM & <b>NEEDS FILLING</b>
THURSDAY 16/05/19	HAYLEY & AMANDA
FRIDAY 17/05/19	KAYLENE & <b>NEEDS FILLING</b>

### STUDENT BANKING IS EVERY FRIDAY



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# P&C NEWS

## ARE YOU AN OLD FOGI?

Yes, I said that right, and I'm not talking about getting old and wrinkly! Unlike a "FOMO" a "FOGI" is the Fear Of Getting Involved.

School life! There is always something requiring parent volunteers, and it can be a bit daunting. The commitment, the time factor, the fear of having to put yourself out there and let's face it, life is busy, busy, busy. But here's the thing, if we all just volunteered "a tiny wee bit" none of those things become a problem. There are many small jobs that need to be filled that could just take a couple of hours once a term. Some tasks you could even do from your laptop or kitchen table at home.

We have a growing school but unfortunately our volunteer rate is not growing with it, in fact it is shrinking. We have a wide variety of jobs large and small that need your help, from canteen to uniform shop to coordinating events to marshalling at carnivals. Helping with rosters, admins on social media, stocktake, to gift wrapping the list is truly endless. So if you are at risk of becoming an "old FOGI" contact the school office or email us on [cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com](mailto:cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com). Simply let us know any availability you may have to spare, the area that interests you or even just tell us what you are good at. We promise to utilise your skills and NOT overburden you – go on, try it, you might like it!

Warm wishes,

Steph (a former old FOGI)

## The Uniform Shop

Winter orders have been placed and should come with in the next few weeks Not enough orders for boys long sleeve polo shirts so no order was made.

Anyone who ordered and paid will be issued a refund

A lot of people are writing on hats and it has been along wait . Hoping they will be here by next week. A post will be made on Face book page once they are available.



## EASTER RAFFLE & LUNCH PLATTERS

Our annual Easter raffle raised a little over \$1500 a great effort from all those who purchased tickets and donated easter goodies for our baskets

Special mention to Tilly.W, Rebecca H, Nicole P and Kelly B for wrapping and preparing the baskets.

## LUNCH PLATTERS

WOW! WOW! WOW! How nice was it to have a picnic lunch with our families before the Easter Hat Parade ??

145 lunch platter where made and assembled by a hard working team Kathryn D , Kate W, Janice R, Kaylene J, Jane M, Lenora C and Kelly B . Due to these efforts \$688 was raised.



# P&C NEWS

## Next Meeting

Our first P&C Meeting for the Term will be held on:

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May**

At 6pm in the Library.

Everyone is welcome! Looking forward to seeing some different faces at the meeting.



Help our group raise funds when you buy Labels, Wall Art or anything else at Bright Star Kids!

NOMINATE OUR GROUP IN THE PAYMENT AREA WHEN YOU CHECKOUT:

CORRIMAL PUBLIC SCHOOL

FREE\* DELIVERY WHEN YOU SHOP ONLINE  
[WWW.BRIGHTSTARKIDS.COM.AU](http://WWW.BRIGHTSTARKIDS.COM.AU)  
\*FREE DELIVERY AVAILABLE WITH MINIMUM SPEND. SEE ONLINE FOR DETAILS

# Mother's Day

**MOTHERS DAY STALL**

**FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

This Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May is our annual P&C Mother's Day Stall.

**HOW IT WORKS:** During the morning of Friday 10th May, each class will be making a visit to the school hall where the Mother's Day Stall is located. A range of gifts from 50c up to \$5 in price will be displayed on tables. Students will be given the chance to view and then purchase a gift or two for the parent or carer in their life.

**WHAT TO DO:** Generally, the children like to buy a couple of presents each, so to make sure we have enough gifts for every child in every class, we ask all families at the school to donate 2 or 3 small inexpensive items - new or handmade. Please note if you bake any homemade goodies, we ask that it not contain nuts. Some popular choices in the past have been: basic cosmetics, shopping list pads, pens, chocolates, little frames, slippers and mugs. Basically send in anything you wouldn't mind receiving yourself or bunches of small items. A suggestion list is also available on the donation baskets in each classroom. Please send in your donations to the school office or put in the donation basket in your child's classroom no later than **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May**.

**SHARE IN THE FUN:** Parent volunteers (at least 6 would be nice) are needed to help sort and wrap gifts the morning of Wednesday 8th May in the library at 9am. If you have a younger child with you, they are welcome to come. We also need at least 6 parent helpers on the day (**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May from 9-11am**) to help sell. It is always great fun to see the children's smiling faces as they pick and choose their gifts. If you would like to lend a hand, whether you are a mum, dad or grandparent please see Lenora or Helen B or email [cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com](mailto:cpsnsw.pandc@gmail.com).

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# TRY YEAR 7 FOR A DAY



Tuesday | June 11 | 9am to 3pm

Corrimal High School Hall

Ever wondered what a day in the life of a high school student is like? Well then, wonder no more. Year 4 CoS students are invited to attend Corrimal High Schools Transition Day to see what Year 7 is really like at your local high school of choice!



## **Earn & Learn starts Wednesday 1 May**

Thanks for registering for Woolworths Earn & Learn. It's nearly time to start collecting stickers and earning equipment for Corrimal Public School.

## **Anyone can help you earn equipment**

Starting Wednesday 1 May, anyone can collect stickers to support your school when they shop at Woolworths, whether they're staff, parents or friends.

## **Stick together and collect more**

With every \$10 spent\* at Woolworths, one sticker is collected. These can be placed onto the Earn & Learn sticker sheets and dropped into the collection box at Corrimal Public School or your local Woolworths.

To help boost your sticker collection, look out for the range of participating products in store which will earn you double stickers.

## **Earn great equipment from MTA**

Once again, we're proud to be partnering with Modern Teaching Aids, Australia's largest supplier of educational equipment. This means you can choose equipment for Corrimal Public School's own learning needs across Arts & Craft, Digital Technologies, Maths, English, Science, Outdoor and Indoor Play and more.



We need at least three new volunteers to be able to provide ethics classes for everyone who wants them for their child. We currently have large classes in year groups K-2. It would be great to be able to split these groups into smaller classes to give the students a better quality of discussion.

Ethics classes are run on Wednesdays from 12:45pm – 1:30pm.

Ethics classes include scenarios, poems and stories, group work and activities to encourage the children to think about what they should do in different situations, about how circumstances might make a difference and about the consequences of their actions.

Ethics classes can be taught by parents, carers, grandparents, other relatives or members of the community. Lessons are fully scripted and training is provided.

If you would like to consider volunteering for Primary Ethics, or know someone who might be interested, please apply online at [www.primaryethics.com.au/volunteer](http://www.primaryethics.com.au/volunteer) or contact Suman Maharaj [ethics.corrimal@gmail.com](mailto:ethics.corrimal@gmail.com)



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2 day autism workshop  
for parents/carers  
and teachers of  
school aged students  
on the autism spectrum



**Wollongong**

**Tue 14 & Wed 15 May 2019**

Register your place:

[positivepartnerships.com.au](http://positivepartnerships.com.au)

**Ethics (Special Education in Ethics) & Scripture (Special Religious Education)** are both available as a choice for your child as a student at Corrimal Public School.

These classes are offered to children from Kindergarten to year 6 & are held on a Wednesday afternoon. Both SEE & SRE are run by volunteers that are trained by their respective providers.

You can find out what is taught in the classroom, find out how you can help & other information on the school website under the "Learning at Our School" tab.

Any further queries for

**Ethics** - visit [primaryethics.com.au](http://primaryethics.com.au) or contact Suman A Maharaj at [ethics.corrimal@gmail.com](mailto:ethics.corrimal@gmail.com)

**Scripture** - visit [whysre.com.au](http://whysre.com.au) or contact Corrimal Anglican on 4284 4113



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**Try us for free.**

Contact us now to book a free week of after school care, including school pick-up, for any five consecutive days this term. It's a great way to trial our service with no obligation.

Visit our website for our current activity calendar – we're all about boosting self-esteem and building a community of support for primary schoolers, through our fun and innovative programs.

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After School Care* 3pm-6pm	\$30 per day (including bus pick-up)
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**Location**

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30-34 Underwood Street  
Corrimal

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Join other local families to learn more about autism and ways to strengthen the home-school partnership

Learn about:

- Autism: characteristics, impacts and strategies
- Understanding behaviour
- Sensory processing
- Working together with your school

Location:

The Nineteenth @ Wollongong Golf Club  
The Vue Room  
151 - 161 Corrimal Street, Wollongong NSW 2500  
(Light lunch and morning tea provided)

**Wollongong NSW**

**Tues 14 & Wed 15 May 2019**

**9.30am - 2.30pm**

Registrations open 26 March 2019



Interpreters available



To register, visit  
[positivepartnerships.com.au](http://positivepartnerships.com.au)



For help, call:  
**1300 881 971**

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FLARE FOOTBALL

# TERM PROGRAM

29 APRIL - 5 JULY (TERM 2)

FORMERLY REFERRED TO AS THE FSC ACADEMY



**ALBION PARK**  
Terry Reserve  
**Thursday**

**BALGOWNIE**  
Judy Masters Oval  
**Monday**

**WOONONA**  
Woonona HS  
**Wednesday**

**KEMBLA GRANGE**  
Ian McLennan Park  
**Wednesday**  
**(GOALKEEPING)**

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**TERM 2, 2019 PROGRAM** starting from May 11

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### Mite-E Soccer (2-3yo)

A great introduction to Soccer!  
Children work with their parents to learn new soccer skills and develop their motor skills! Lots of fun games in a non-competitive environment

35 minute classes  
\$120 for 8 weeks



### Pint Size Soccer (4-5yo)

Children take their first kicks in soccer! They'll be introduced to shooting, dribbling, goal keeping and more. Children get to play lots of fun, skill based games. Grasshoppers get introduced to the Pint Size 1v1 Big Game!

50 minute classes  
\$135 for 8 weeks



### Intro to Micro (5-6yo)

#### Micro (6-8yo)

The ultimate challenge for young soccer players! They'll learn the rules of the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game and develop their skills in passing, dribbling, shooting and more.

Intro - 60 mins \$145 for 8 weeks  
Micro - 75 mins \$150 for 8 weeks



### Micro Plus (8-12yo)

This program focuses on skill development and teamwork in preparation for club soccer. Children will enjoy all the favourite soccer based games, fine tune their skills as well as play the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game!

75 minute classes  
\$150 for 8 weeks



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## Preschool & Primary School Programs

Enquire now for more information!

# 5 Easy Steps to Staying Informed

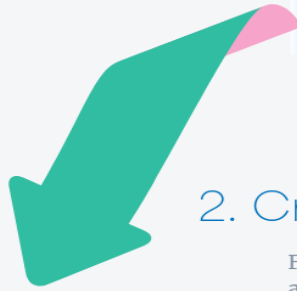
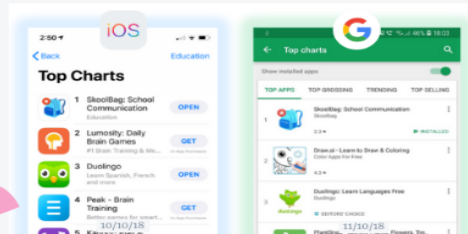


SkoolBag is the easiest way to stay up-to-date with school events, last minute notices, newsletters and all your school's communications.

## 1. Download SkoolBag

Search SkoolBag in the Apple App or Google Play Store, download the FREE app:

SkoolBag: School Communication

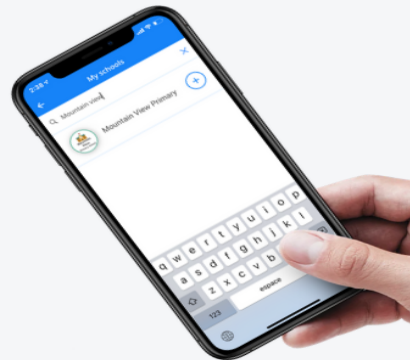


## 2. Create an Account

Follow the prompts to create your account in seconds.

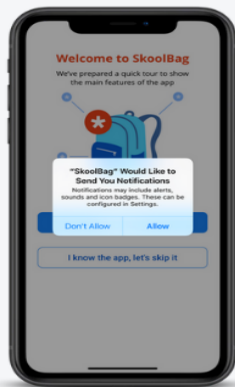
## 3. Add your School

Type your school's name and press enter. Tap the plus icon to add.



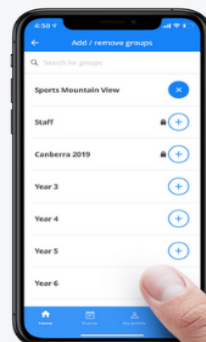
## 4. Allow Notifications

Ensure you Allow SkoolBag to send you push notifications when prompted.



## 5. Subscribe to Groups

Select Year Groups / Sports Teams to appear in your feed.





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# Learning Labs

## JULY 2019



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### AN ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS FROM YEAR 1 TO YEAR 6

More information about the workshops on offer and the application process can be found online at [uow.info/learninglabs](http://uow.info/learninglabs)  
**APPLICATIONS CLOSE WEDNESDAY, 29 MAY 2019**

#### LITTLE LEARNING LABS (FOR YEARS 1 & 2 DURING 2019)

WHEN: 8 and 9 July, 2019  
 WHERE: University of Wollongong  
 TIME: 9:00am - 2:00pm  
 FEE: \$155

#### LITTLE MINI-LABS (FOR YEARS 1 & 2 DURING 2019)

WHEN: 10 July, 2019  
 TIME: 9:00am - 3:00pm  
 FEE: \$85

Location and times are the same as above

#### EARLY LEARNING LABS (FOR YEARS 3 TO 6 DURING 2019)

WHEN: 16 and 17 July, 2019  
 WHERE: University of Wollongong  
 TIME: 9:00am - 3:30pm  
 FEE: \$165

#### EARLY MINI-LABS (FOR YEARS 3 TO 6 DURING 2019)

WHEN: 18 July, 2019  
 FEE: \$90

Location and times are the same as above

#### PROGRAM INFORMATION

Little and Early Learning Labs is an enrichment program designed for students who are excelling in their area of interest within their year group, and are seeking a challenging and fun experience during the school holidays.

All workshops are held over one (mini-labs) or two days, and are presented by teachers with specialist training or a specific interest in gifted education. There will be sponsorship places available for some participants - please see more details on how to apply for these places on the website.

#### WORKSHOPS ON OFFER - FULL LIST & WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS ONLINE

Learning Labs workshops cover a range of diverse and innovative disciplines that are designed to challenge and stimulate the interest of self-motivated and curious learners. Here are some examples of what's coming up in July:



##### STEM Challenges

Do you enjoy solving problems and finding ways to improve designs? This workshop will be quite different to standard lessons at school. We will be learning how to apply Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths to the real-world.



##### Sphero Bolt Rockin' Rollin' Robots

Curious about coding? Ever wanted to learn to program your own robot? You will learn to write code and program a Sphero Bolt robot to overcome a series of fun and challenging tasks. Then, design programs and watch your robot compete in a variety of group competitions.



##### Clay Cafe

Come join us at ClayCafe where you get to develop your clay sculpting skills whilst creating any food (made completely out of air-dry clay) your taste buds desire. Warning! You may leave this workshop with an increased appetite!



##### Stop Motion Animation

Why watch movies when you can make your own? Brainstorm ideas, create a storyboard, design your set and shoot your very own stop motion animation. We'll look at lighting, sound creation and green screens to make your animation come to life. Draw your characters, make them or build them - the choice is yours.



# The simplest way

... to swap a packet of chips

Chips are high in saturated fat and salt, are not very filling and do not contain the nutrients needed to fuel your kid's for the school day.



## SWAP chips FOR:

- Plain popcorn
- Plain rice crackers
- Dry roasted chickpeas
- Baked pita bread triangles
- Baked veggie chips

For more snack ideas, swaps and recipes visit our [website](http://healthylunchbox.com.au).

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