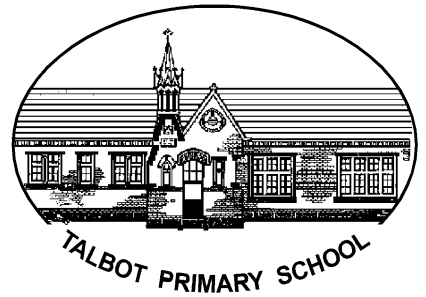


Talbot Primary School

Aspiration * Kindness * Safety * Tenacity
Term 2, Week 9 - 16th June, 2026



Upcoming Events

Dear Families,

We do hope that everyone is staying warm and healthy. With the cold and wet weather, we are seeing an uptick in coughs and colds. Whilst we are making every effort to ensure jumpers are on before heading outside for play, an extra jacket would be ideal. Jackets, beanies and scarves do not have to be school colours, they just have to be snugly and weather proof.

You may find that we will remove shoes at the door to the Learning Street if the grounds are wet. Please feel welcome to send in spare socks and slippers to keep in your child's bag box over the colder months.



Continuation of Building Works

The routine maintenance works are continuing this week with works on our storm water drains. These works will be located around the Arts Building and through the vegetable garden area.

Access to the Arts Building will be maintained through the rear doors, however new temporary fencing will be seen and asphalt will be disturbed whilst replacing the storm water system.

These works will commence this week and continue throughout the holidays.

Entrance to the office and classrooms will remain the same for the time being, and if changes due to safe access are required, we will place clear signage for all.



Semester One Reports

Our teachers have been very busy completing assessments with all students and analysing data to ensure that every aspect of student growth can be reported upon when allocating scores. It is a significant amount of work and I would like to acknowledge our teachers for the time and care they have taken to complete these important academic documents.

Please take the time to read through your child's report and acknowledge their hard work over this semester.

The reports will be distributed on Friday 26 June. The reports will continue to provide important details about student learning attainment, but full descriptive comments may not be included as a result of industrial action taken earlier this term by the Australian Education Union.

Mrs Kelly ~
Principal

Mon 15 & Tues 16 June

Song Room Incursion

Thursday 18 June

Sporting Schools - Badminton

Friday 19 June

School Council @ 3:45pm

Monday 22 June

School Assembly @ 3pm

Thursday 25 June

NAIDOC Celebration Day
Whole School Excursion

Friday 26 June

Lunch Orders

Last Day of Term 2
2:30pm Dismissal

Wed 22 - Fri 24 July

3/4 Camp @ Log Cabin

Tuesday 28 July

Learning Conferences
Student Support Group
Meetings

Friday 31 July

School Council @ 3:45pm

Friday 21 August

School Council @ 3:45pm

We would like to acknowledge the Djaara People, the traditional custodians of the Dja Dja Wurrung lands where Talbot Primary School is situated. We would also like to pay our respects to their Elders, past and present.

Primary Production Victorian Challenge & Enrichment Series



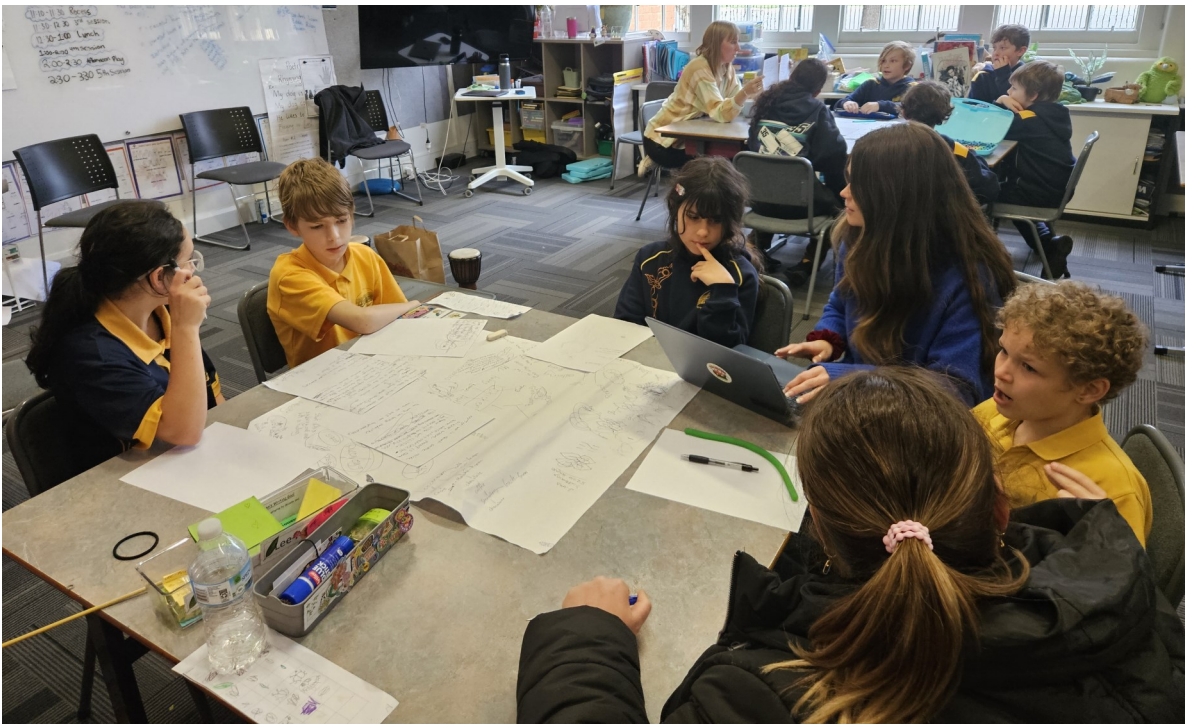
Day 1 – Writing, Ideas & Ownership: Students begin by getting to know each other, learning about the roles of songwriters and producers, and exploring how music moves from idea to audience. They discuss copyright, ownership and original creation, then work collaboratively to brainstorm themes, shape lyrics, test rhythms and melodies, and build a rough first version of their song.

Day 2 – Recording & Sharing: Students are introduced to the recording studio environment, including microphones, headphones and recording software, before refining their songs and assigning performance roles. They rehearse, record vocals and sound layers, and work with the producer to shape their ideas into a completed track. The program concludes with a listening party where students celebrate their work, share feedback and reflect on their creative process.



Across two full days, students work in small groups to move through the complete process of creating an original song – from first ideas and lyric development through to recording, reflection and sharing. The program combines songwriting, collaboration, music production and performance in an engaging, hands-on learning experience.

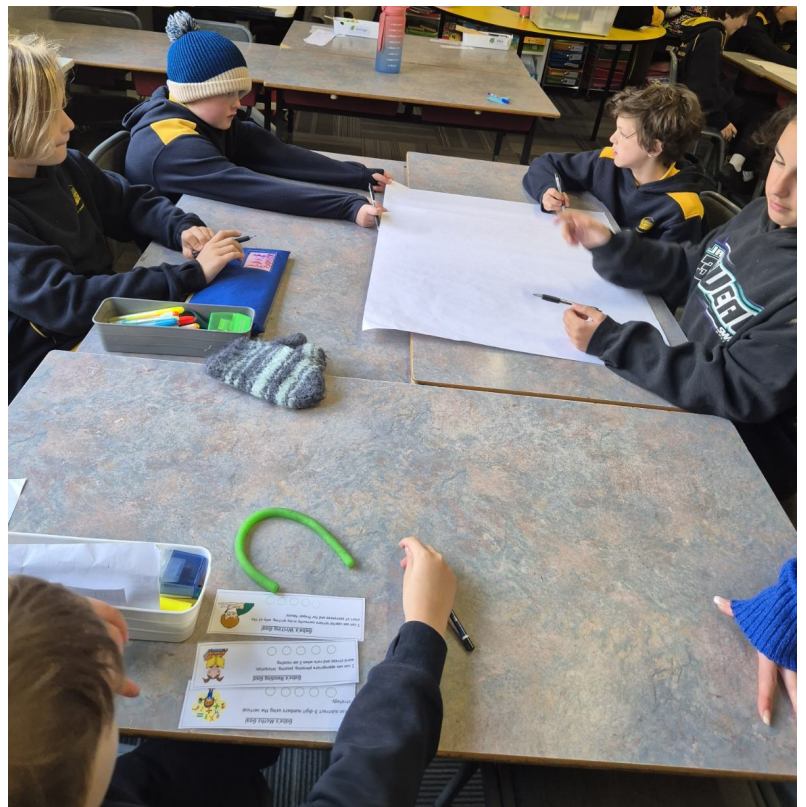
Primary Production



INSPIRE  ACT

The Song Room

Demi ~ Rebecca ~ Anna



GRIP Leadership Day



The GRIP Student Leadership Conference is unique in that it concentrates specifically on training student leaders for their role as SCHOOL LEADERS. The style, topics, and content of this conference all focus on what the students can do RIGHT NOW.

Our goal is that your student leaders would leave our conference with a clear vision, a solid understanding and dozens of ideas for their time as a leader.

SCHOOL VALUES

Aspiration - Aspiration refers to having a strong wish or hope to achieve something important in the future. It's about dreaming big, setting goals, and always working hard to achieve them.

Tenacity - Tenacity refers to being determined and having persistence to keep going despite challenges or obstacles. Tenacity is often associated with resilience, making it an important characteristic for success in personal and academic endeavours.

Kindness - Kindness refers to being caring, helpful, and compassionate towards others. It involves treating people with respect and consideration, and showing empathy for their feelings. Kindness is not just about doing good deeds, but also about being friendly, inclusive, generous, and understanding.

Safety - Safety refers to protecting yourself and others from harm and danger, or anything that could hurt you. It is about making sure you and the people around you stay healthy and secure, both in person and online.

June Birthdays

~ Noora ~ Delaney



~ Bella ~ Marlee



Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships

Talbot Primary School is a proud Respectful Relationships school.

Respectful relationships education is part of the Victorian Curriculum and delivered by all Victorian government schools. It supports students to develop the knowledge, attitudes and skills needed for respectful relationships, and helps to build respect and equality across the entire school community.

Research tells us that providing respectful relationships education at school can lead to positive impacts on students' academic outcomes, their mental health, classroom behaviour and relationships.

Our school uses the Department of Education's evidence-based teaching and learning resources to teach our students about Respectful Relationships from Foundation to Grade 6.

The Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships resources have 8 topics that teach students about emotional literacy, personal and cultural strengths, resilience, problem-solving, stress-management, help-seeking, gender norms and stereotypes and positive gender relations.

This fortnight in class we are working on Topic 4 which helps students to learn about Problem Solving. The activities from this topic are below.

Foundation ~ Picnics, Everyone Playing Together, Making Friendly Decisions.

Year 1/2 ~ Working Together, How to solve Problems, Real World Problems.

Year 3-6 ~ Dealing with Problems, Roads and Roundabouts, Peer Situations.

**RESILIENCE,
RIGHTS &
RESPECTFUL
RELATIONSHIPS**

Teaching for Social and Emotional
Learning and Respectful Relationships

If you have any questions about Respectful Relationships education, you can contact Mrs Kelly and visit the Victorian Government's Respectful Relationships page: <https://www.vic.gov.au/respectful-relationships>

At Talbot Primary School, we are a connected, caring, and inclusive learning community where every student is empowered to thrive. We are committed to enhancing learning outcomes for all students by delivering high-quality, evidence-based teaching practices that cater to the diverse needs of our learners. Our teaching is not just guided by our beliefs—it is reflected in the actions we take every day.

We provide a dynamic and challenging curriculum within a safe and supportive environment, designed to equip every student with the knowledge, skills, and dispositions needed for success in learning and life. Our goal is to develop confident, curious, and capable learners who are not only academically strong but also socially responsible and emotionally resilient.

Students at Talbot Primary School are encouraged to take ownership of their learning, set meaningful goals, and approach challenges with persistence and courage. We actively nurture student voice and agency, ensuring that every learner feels valued and heard.

We place great emphasis on strong, respectful partnerships between home and school and recognise that working together with families and the broader community is essential to student success.

Our values - Tenacity, Aspiration, Safety and Kindness - are at the heart of who we are and what we stand for. They guide how we learn, how we treat others, and how we grow together.

Talbot Primary School Vision **The Future Begins Here...**

CULTURAL OBSERVANCE AROUND THE WORLD

June 14-20 ~ Refugee Week - a time to acknowledge the success of refugees and humanitarian entrants in Australian society.

June 17 ~ Islamic New Year - Observed on the first day of Muharram (the first month of the Islamic Calendar). This is the second holiest month after Ramadan.

June 19 ~ Dragon Boat Festival - Commemorates the death of the Chinese poet Qu Yuan. Cultural events involve eating rice dumplings and traditional dragon boat racing.

June 19 ~ Dano Festival - Official holiday in both South and North Korea celebrating the ending of spring as the summer season is welcomed.

June 20 ~ World Refugee Day - This day honours refugees and celebrated the strength and courage of people forced to flee their home country to escape conflict or persecution.

June 26 ~ Ashura - This day, for Sunni Muslims, marks Noah's departure from the ark and the exodus of Moses from Egypt.

July 1 ~ Coming of the Light Festival - Commemorating the arrival of the London Missionary Society on Erub Island in the Torres Strait in 1871.

July 5-12 ~ NAIDOC Week - National Aboriginal and Islanders Day Observance Committee (NAIDOC) Week is a time to celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander history, culture and achievements.

July 10 ~ Matariki - A New Zealand national holiday to celebrate the first rising of the Pleiades Star cluster. This marks the beginning of the new year in the Maori lunar calendar.

If you have any cultural dates you would like us to showcase please contact the office.



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