

Talbot Primary School

Aspiration * Kindness * Safety * Tenacity

Term 3 Week 1 - Monday 21 July, 2025

Dear Parents,

Welcome back for Term 3! We hope that everyone managed to stay warm over the holidays! It was fabulous to see everyone's bright, smiley faces this morning. Please remember to send your child wearing their school jumper and please send an extra jacket, and even a beanie to help combat the cold during outside breaks.

New Staff Member

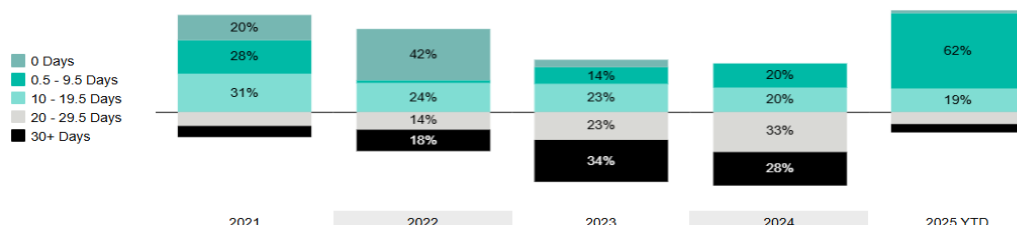
We are excited to welcome Lexie Cicchini to our school as a member of our Education Support staff. You will see Lexie working in both the 123 and 456 classrooms supporting our learning programs. Please introduce yourself if you see Lexie at drop off or pick up times!

Attendance Update

Attendance is still our top priority here at Talbot Primary School. I would like to thank all parents for ensuring we have extremely high attendance on our first day of Term 3! We know that sometimes things happen to upset routines, and encourage all families to contact the school via the mobile or log absences on Sentral prior to the day.

Here is where we are sitting in comparison to the last 5 years. This shows the percentage of students who have had numerous days absent so far this year. Let's keep this excellent approach to attending everyday going strong throughout this term and for the remainder of the 2025 school year.

Absent day breakdown (5 years)
For students in Prep - 6



Pantry

This term, pantry will be held on Thursdays. The pantry will be restocked this week after everything was emptied to refresh the shelves at the end of last term. The first pantry day will happen on Thursday, Week 2.

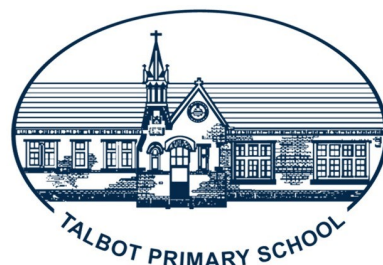
School Vision & Values

Our School Strategic Plan for the next four years has reached its final stages after being submitted over the holidays. Having completed our school review earlier this year, we are in a wonderful position to focus in on priority areas with learning and wellbeing. This is one of the most exciting times in a school where goals and targets are set and a map can be constructed showing the pathways to achievement.

The first step has been to refresh our school vision and values. Thank you to everyone that provided input and feedback towards these. Read further in the newsletter for our updated school vision.

Thank you everyone,

Mrs Kelly ~ Principal



Upcoming Events

Monday 21 July

First day of Term 3

Thursday 24 July

High Jump training

Monday 28 July

Assembly @ 3pm

Friday 1 August

Noel Pollerd Competition

Wednesday 6 August

Cluster Athletics Day

Thursday 7 August

SSGs & Learning Conferences

Monday 11 Aug

Assembly @ 3pm

Wednesday 13 Aug - 22 Aug

Book Fair

Monday 18 August

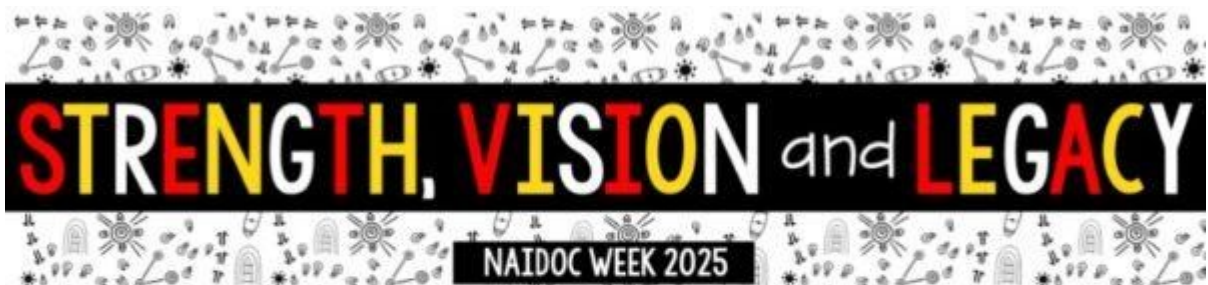
Book Week
Character Dress Up

Monday 25 Aug

Assembly @ 3pm

We would like to acknowledge the Djaara People, the traditional owners 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.

NAIDOC Celebrations





*What did the
staff get up to on
their holidays?*

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...



SECOND-HAND UNIFORM

If you are short on school uniform please come in and select some from our second hand uniform supply.

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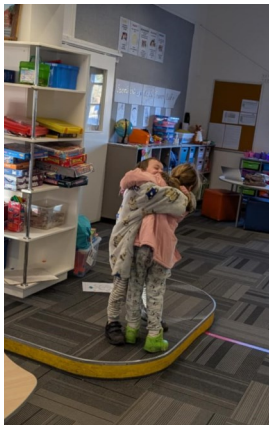
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Final Breakfast of Term 2 ~ Toasties & Pyjamas!



CULTURAL OBSERVANCE

4 August - National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

6 August - Hiroshima Day ~ commemoration of those who lost their lives in the bombing of Hiroshima, Japan on 6 August, 1945

9 August - Nagasaki Day ~ commemoration of the atomic bombing of Nagasaki City in 1945

9 August - International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples ~ The United Nations' International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples encourages people to protect and promote the rights of indigenous peoples.

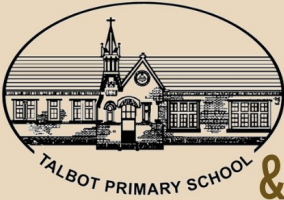
15 August - Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary ~ Christian Feast Day celebrates the belief that God assumed the Mother Mary into heaven following her death

16 August - Krishna Janmashtami ~ Important Hindu festival celebrating the birthday of Lord Krishna

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

TALBOT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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OPEN MORNING & TOURS ON REQUEST

Talbot Primary School is a happy and supportive learning environment where students are inspired to achieve their best academically and make a positive contribution to their community.

At Talbot Primary School, students are encouraged to be independent learners who are confident in themselves and their learning. Students are guided to be resilient, responsible, kind and respectful of others.

FIRST LOOK AT FOUNDATION

FRIDAY - 23 MAY 9:30 -10:30AM

Bring your 2026 Foundation child along for some stories and activities in the Foundation Room and be guided around the school by our Year 6 Leaders & Principal



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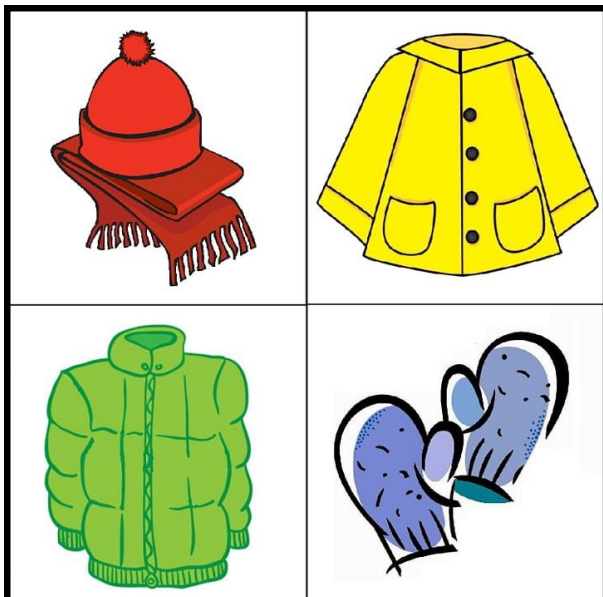
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The chilly days are here. We will always try to play outside unless it is raining. Please remember to send extra jackets, beanies and scarves so that students can enjoy outside play time.



LUNCH ORDERS

MENU

Sandwiches

Ham, Cheese & Salad	\$5.00
Curried Eggs Sandwich	\$5.00

Pies

Plain	\$6.00
Steak & Onion	\$6.00
Steak & Bacon	\$6.00
5 Nuggets & Chips	\$5.00
Battered Hotdog & Chips	\$6.50
Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap & Pop top Drink	\$9.50
Fish & Chips	\$5.95
3 Fried Dim Sim & Chips	\$5.50
Battered Hot Dog & Chips	\$6.50

DRINKS

Apple Pop Top	\$3.00
Apple & Blackcurrant Juice Pop Top	\$3.00
Nippy's	
Chocolate	\$3.00
Banana	\$3.00
Honeycomb	\$3.00

Please write your child's name and order clearly on an envelope and seal the correct money inside.

Please note that late orders will be held over to the next fortnight.