



Dear Parents,

Parent Teacher Interviews will be conducted on **Tuesday 25th of June and Thursday 27th of June 2019**, between the times of **3.30pm-6.30 pm**. All parents are encouraged to participate together with your child/ren in parent-teacher meetings to discuss your child's progress.

Bookings for Parent / Teacher Interviews can be made through our student portal COMPASS.

To access COMPASS log onto: <https://albanvaleps-vic.compass.education>. All families have a unique log in code and password to access COMPASS. If you should require this information or need help to book an interview time, please see our office staff for assistance. Parents that do not make a booking via COMPASS will be allocated a time to meet with their child's teacher.

In our endeavour to ensure sustainability of our environment and reduce paper usage, we will only be printing hard copies of students' reports on request. Families will be able to access students' reports online via Compass from Friday 21st of June.

Whilst the reporting process and parent-teacher interviews provide a formal opportunity for parents to meet with their child's teacher, please note that we have an open door policy at Albanvale Primary School, whereby parents are welcome to make a time to see teachers at any point throughout the year.

Sports Awareness Program

The Sports Awareness Program will be held next week. This program enables teachers to meet in teams to plan teaching and learning for next term. Professional Practice Days provide an opportunity for teachers to engage in professional dialogue and ensure consistency and best practice across all classrooms. Further planning and discussion about student progress is undertaken in teams each week.

All students will be involved in the Sports Awareness Program next week, whereby they are engaged in various activities provided by our Enrichment Team. The Enrichment Team tries to provide a diverse curriculum where the students are involved in varied and fun learning experiences. On **Monday 24th June**, our grade 3-6 students will participate in a self-guided tour of the National Sports Museum and a guided tour of the MCG stadium. This will be followed by lunch at Yarra Park.

On **Wednesday 26th June**, our grade F-2 students will participate in a variety of activities at the Westgate Party and Play Indoor Sports Centre. Children will be involved in activities such as basketball, indoor soccer, beach volleyball, indoor cricket and kickball.

There will be no lunch orders for the grades that participate in Sports Awareness on these days, so please ensure that your child has a packed lunch and is wearing the correct uniform and hat.

Prep Enrolment 2020

Prep enrolments for 2020 are being taken now. If you have any children who will be attending Albanvale in 2020, please call or visit the school to arrange a tour and receive enrolment information. We encourage families to do this as soon as possible, so that we may begin to plan the prep transition program.

School Holidays

Students and staff will break for school holidays on **Friday 28th of June at 2:30pm**. School will resume **Monday 15th July at 9:00am**. Parents requiring outside school hours care for the earlier finish or during school holidays are requested to contact our outside hours care service provider Sweet Sounds on 9310 8955

Mrs Vermezovic
PRINCIPAL

IMPORTANT DATES

Term 2

**Sports Awareness
Years 3-6**

**Monday 24th June
MCG Stadium**

**Parent Teacher
Interviews**

**Tue 25th & Thur 27th
3.30 to 6.30 pm**

**Sports Awareness
Years F-2**

**Wed 26th June
Westgate indoor sports
centre**

End of Term

**Friday 28th June
Finish 2.30pm**

**Term 3 Begins
Monday 15th July**



Term 2:
Valuing and accepting others' differences and respecting the right to learn

Thursday, June 20th 2019

Albanvale

Attendance News

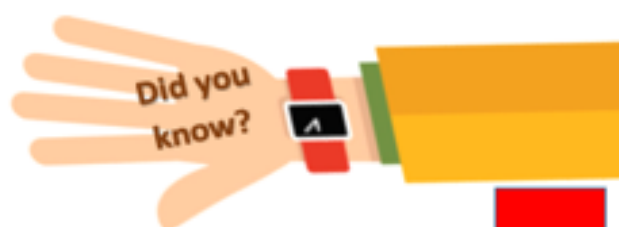


**Who will be the winner for
Term 2??**



**Attend school every day and
your class might be the
winners.**

GOOD TIMEKEEPING MATTERS



EVERY DAY COUNTS

...and every minute is important

Lost minutes = Lost Learning

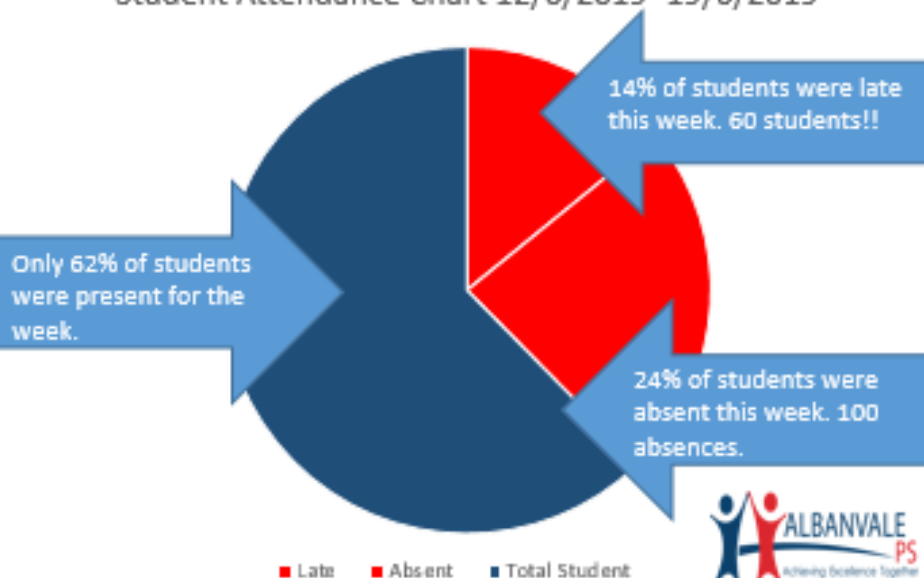


Parent Responsibility

The school must be notified by a parent or guardian if your child is absent from school

**Please call
9367 2197 or enter
the absence
into your
Compass App**

Student Attendance Chart 12/6/2019- 19/6/2019



eSafetyparents and carers

Tips and advice on helping your child have safe and enjoyable experiences online



CYBERBULLYING — Supporting your child online

Childhood bullying used to be face-to-face physical and verbal behaviour in the playground, classroom and on the way to and from school. Now online technology and constant connectivity has allowed bullying to harm children through often anonymous contact or actions. Cyberbullying can happen at any time and leave a child feeling unsafe and alone.

Cyberbullying commonly occurs through:

- ❖ Comments posted in an open online environment such as Facebook.
- ❖ Direct text, email or instant messages online or on a mobile phone.
- ❖ Private features on social networking services such as Snapchat and Facebook Messenger.

Children can manage cyberbullying with your support by taking the following action:

- ❖ Blocking the person cyberbullying and changing privacy settings. Retaliating or responding to the perpetrator only gives them the attention and power they want.
- ❖ Reporting the bullying. Most websites have online safety centres and reporting facilities. Online abuse is in violation of the Terms of Use of most social networking sites. The Office of the eSafety Commission can take complaints and provide assistance in relation to serious cyberbullying material that is directed at a particular child with the intention to seriously embarrass, harass, threaten or humiliate.
- ❖ Collecting the evidence. Keeping mobile phone messages and printing emails or IM conversations.
- ❖ Talking to someone they trust like parents or a teacher.
- ❖ Visiting iParent for a list of sources of professional support including the Kids Helpline on 1800 55 1800, eheadspace on 1800 650 890 or parentline.
- ❖ Taking the cyberbullying quiz. There is also a quiz for parents.
- ❖ Watch the "Chatterbox" video and listen to the podcast about cyberbullying



Visit esafety.gov.au for more information

WANT TO HELP WITH MATH HOMEWORK? ASK THESE QUESTIONS!

GETTING STARTED

What do you know?
What do you need to find out?

How could you begin?
Are there words you do not understand?

PROMOTING REASONING

How can you organize the information?
Can you make a prediction?

Does that always work?
If you broke this into parts, what would the parts be?

COMPREHENSION

What is this problem asking?
Can you reword that in simpler terms?

What should you do next?
What do you know about this part?

RESTARTING

How could you make a diagram of the problem?
Is there anything you overlooked?

Where can you find the information you need?
Did your teacher give you an example to check?

REFLECTING

Has the question been answered?
Can you convince me that the answer makes sense?

What strategy did you try that did not work?
Can your explanation be written more clearly?

PERSEVERING

Is there another way you could try this?

Do you see any patterns or relationships you can use?

Notification of Payments made using BPay or Direct Deposit

Families can make payments via internet banking for all camps, excursions, incursions and education costs. To assist you with this the office can print out **your statement**, which **will have your unique BPay Reference and Biller Code** as well as the school banking details for direct deposit purposes.

After making payments online, it is important to let the office know what you have paid for by completing the details **below and returning to the school** as soon as possible.

Student Name:

Student ID:

Class:

Payment for:

Amount Paid:

Date Paid by BPay/Direct Deposit:

Receipt No:

Term 2 Educational Costs are now due.

Please ensure payments are made by June 21st. If you would like a payment plan or wish to pay with Eftpos please see Office staff .

PAYMENTS USING ENVELOPES

Please ensure following details are completed when making payment.

Student ID: _____

Class: _____

Payment Amount-

For: _____

Remember To

Sign and complete back off envelope



St Albans Sweet Sounds
Early Learning Centre

**Enquire about our Before
& After School Care!**

 **9310 8955**

 **27-29 Elizabeth Street, St Albans**

Lost Property

We have many items in 'Lost Property' without names, therefore we are unable to return these to the rightful owners. Please clearly label clothing and hats with your child's name, to enable us to return them as soon as possible.

Please check at 'Lost Property' or the office for any other lost items such as jewellery.

School Day

**8.45 - 9.00 students in
classroom**

11.00 - 11.30 Recess

1.30 - 2.15 Lunch

3.15 School Finishes

End of Term 2

Friday 28th June

Finish 2.30pm



ENROL NOW FOR 2020

**Dover St, Albanvale
Call Now: 9367 2197**

www.albanvaleps.vic.edu.au



End of Year Major School Fundraising Raffle

Albanvale Primary School will be having a major fundraising raffle at the end of the year and we need your help!

We are seeking support from families for raffle hamper donations. Parents are asked to make donations of new/ unused items such as chocolates, biscuits, wine, perfume, toys etc to be included in the hampers for the raffle.

Do you have goods or services from a business that can be donated to our school?

If your donation is from a business we will acknowledge the donation your business has made in our newsletter.

Donations can be made in the following ways:

- handed to your child's classroom teacher
- via the office

This fundraiser will generate much needed funds for school improvements.

We ask that all donations be in before the end of term 3 so we can display all the fantastic prizes up for grabs!





Early Learning Services
Committed to Child Care

Vacation Care Program

Sweet Sounds Early Learning Centre

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
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| 1 July- Excursion Jamieson Street Park* | 2th July Games Day in the centre | 3 July Excursion-Kealba hotel \$10 for additional cost | 4 July Art and craft day in the centre | 5 July Excursion- crocs play center 16 dollars | | |
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| Children will be participating in a picnic and increase their physical activities | Bring your boardgames and card Games as we engage in fun competition with each | Increasing physical and social activity, we will engaged healthy meal with friends | Let's explore our creativity using assorted natural resources, paper, buttons and beads. | Increasing their social and physical activity eat healthy meal with peers | | |
| 8 July Cooking day in the centre | 9 July Excursion-bowling \$15 at Watergardens | 10 July Disco Day in the centre | 11 July Water gardens cinema \$15 | 12 July Messy play day in the centre | | |
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| Come and join us for a day becoming master chef's, we'll have our own cooking competition | Children's will be engaged with peers. Extending on physical and social ability. | Children have full day of dancing and musical activities | Come and join us for a relaxing movie as we celebrate the holiday program, MOVIE TO BE CONFIRMED | Children make their hands messy by making playdough, slime and clay art | | |

If you would like your child to participate in this exciting program please contact the Centre Manager. Places are limited so book now!

Sweet Sounds Early Learning Centre , 27-29 Elizabeth Street St Albans 3021. Phone: 9310 8955

DIY eSafety checklist



Do you respect others and only post what you'd say to someone's face?



Is your time between screens and other activities well balanced?



Do you use strong privacy settings and passwords, and update these regularly?



Do you get consent before sharing an image or video of another person?



Have you secured your digital lifestyle with the right software and settings?



BE THE CHANGE.

Unite for a better internet