



Our News



Templestowe Heights
Primary School

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News from Templestowe Heights Primary School

Newsletter Term 1 Week 5

27th February 2025

Templestowe Heights Primary School Values

Persistence Respect Courage Responsibility

“Inspiring learners for life”

Whole School Assembly – Friday 28th February – All Welcome

Welcome Picnic

Thursday 6th March 5.30pm to 7.30pm



PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Parent/Carer-Teacher Discussions

Thank you to all our families for making the time to come along to our parent/carer-teacher discussions. These invaluable opportunities allow parents and carers to meet their child’s teachers and discuss how they have settled in. It also gives families a chance to learn more about the topics, skills and knowledge being taught in not only classrooms, but across all our specialist programs.



Whole School Assembly Friday

This Friday at 2:45pm in the gym, we will be hosting our first whole-school assembly. At this event, our junior school councillors, environmental leaders and year 6 leaders (with the exception of our school captains) will receive their badges by Basketball World Hall Of Fame inductee Michelle Timms. All members of our community are welcome to attend.

Semester 1 Leaders

Grade	JSC	Enviro
FEV	Christian	Annabelle
FHA	Matilda	Harvey
FJR	Willow	Rachel
FSM	Aurelia	Eve
1AS	Karen	Luca
1KD	Mira	Bahar
1PC	Theo	Hana
1RR	Xavier	Dawson
1SJ	Daneen	Jayla
2EZ	Amelia	Fletcher
2LH	Olivia	Anna

2NS	Lachlan	Jayden
3EJ	Sophie	Daisy
3JA	Angelo	Olivia
3MR	Tiam	Scarlett
4LZ	Lachlan	Josie
4RR	Elwood	Georgia
4SM	Grace	Olive
5KW	Phoenix	Timoleon
5LS	Ariana	Arnav
5SP	Aleks	Harper

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Our extra-curricular activities provide students with opportunities to participate in some of their passions during lunch time, after school and before school. We are so grateful that our staff give up their lunch times to support this worthwhile initiative.

Monday Lunchtime	STEM Club Prep - 2	LEGO Club 3 - 6	Library Open
Tuesday Lunchtime	STEM Club 3 - 6	LEGO Club Prep - 2	
Friday Lunchtime	Garden Club	Remote control Car Club	

Rhys Coulson
Principal

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2025

Term 1 2025

Friday 28th February	Whole School Assembly 2.45pm – Gym-Badge Presentation Ceremony
Thursday 6th March	Interschool Sports Year 5 & 6 (9.00am to 11.00am) Welcome Picnic 5.30pm to 7.30pm
Monday 10th March	Labour Day Public Holiday
Thursday 13th March	Year 3 Online Safety Incursion Interschool Sports Year 5 & 6 (9.00am to 11.00am)
Wednesday 19th March	School Council Meeting 7.00pm
Thursday 20th March	Interschool Sports Year 5 & 6 (9.00am to 11.00am) Year 4 Incursion BioEYES+Australia
Wed 26th & Fri 28th March	Year 6 Online Safety Incursion
Wed 26th to Friday 28th March	Life Education Year 1 & 2
Thursday 27th March	Interschool Sports Year 5 & 6 (9.00am to 11.00am)
Thursday 3rd April	Interschool Sports Year 5 & 6 (9.00am to 11.00am)
Friday 4th April	Term 1 Ends – 2.30pm



2025 TERM DATES

Term 1	Thursday 30 th January to Friday 4 th April
Term 2	Tuesday 22 nd April to Friday 4 th July
Term 3	Monday 21 st July to Friday 19 th September
Term 4	Monday 6 th October to Friday 19 th December

FROM THE OFFICE

2025 School Fees

2025 school fees are due this Friday 28th February, 2025. Please remember to return the form with your payment. If you require a new form please contact the office. The payment notice is attached to this Compass notification.

Family Contact Details



Have you moved house or changed contact details?



It is important that we have your most current contact details in our system in case of an emergency. It is also important that you keep your mobile phone number, home address and email address details up to date. This is to ensure you do not miss out on vital information including student attendance alerts. Please find the change of details form attached to this Compass notification. Complete the required changes and return this form to the school office or via email at:

templestowe.heights.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Change of Clothes

We have a limited supply of uniform items to loan to students with muddy or soiled clothing, so we would suggest putting some spare clothes in your child's school bag in case of emergency. Underwear, shorts, and socks are in particularly high demand! A reminder to ensure that any clothes your child wears or brings to school are clearly labelled with your child's name so that we can avoid items getting lost.

If your child has borrowed clothes from the school recently, can you please ensure they are washed and returned to the office ASAP (excluding underwear).



BASKETBALL NEWS



GRADE 3/4 GIRLS NEEDED!

Grade 3/4 girls are needed to fill spots in a team!! If you have a daughter that would be interested in joining, please register using the link:

<https://www.trybooking.com/CXME0>

Grade 3/4 girls play Thursday afternoons.

For more information, please email Natalie & Kate

thpsbasketball@gmail.com

GO HEIGHTS!!!



Hello Parents & Friends! We hope everyone has settled into the new term well.

Firstly, we would like to warmly welcome to all new and existing families to the community.

P&F is here to promote welfare, provide support to the school community and of course to host social and fundraising events.

Term 1 Events:

Welcome Picnic – Thursday 6th March

Our welcome picnic is always a fun filled even providing a fantastic opportunity for you to meet other parents and carers within the school community.

P & F will be selling Zooper Doopers for \$1.00 and Soft Drink/Juice boxes/water for \$2.00

EFTPOS will be available.

If you would like to help out on the night, Volunteering spots for the "2025 Welcome Picnic" are now open. Please click on the following link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

volunteersignup.org/WYFWT

It only takes a few seconds to do and it is much appreciated.

THPS Parents & Friends Community Facebook page



Don't forget to join the THPS Parents & Friends closed Facebook group by scanning the QR Code or by searching for the THPS Parents & Friends Community group. The joining process includes a few simple questions to answer.

The Facebook group is a great way to stay up to date with all that is happening socially at school.

Working With Children Check (WWCC)

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Lauren & Elisa Need to contact us? thpspaf@gmail.com

COMMUNITY NEWS



**LOOKING FOR GIRLS
TO JOIN OUR
FOOTBALL CLUB!**

**MINI
TILLIES
PROGRAM**
**AGE FROM 5-7
(FIRST TERM IS FREE)**

**SPOTS
AVAILABLE
FOR
UNDER 10 & 11**

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER
YOUR DAUGHTER'S INTEREST**



Access Psychological Treatment and Assessments

Elysium Psychology

**Meet
Katrine Anthoulas
Provisional Psychologist**



**What can therapy
help with?**

- Social anxiety
- Academic stress
- Bullying
- Body Image
- Mood disorders
- Learning difficulties
- Emotional Regulation
- Sleep difficulty
- ASD
- ADHD

Contact us today:

Templestowe Heights Primary
Rhys.Coulson@education.vic.gov.au
Tel: (03) 9850 1796

or

Elysium Psychology
katrine@elysiumpsychology.com.au
Ph. 0491709555

**How can I access this
service?**

Katrine will be working on-site
every Wednesday from Week 2,
Term 1, 2025
Sessions are 50 minutes.
MHCP required - no gap fee
NDIS Fees may apply