

NEWSLETTER

Term 4 Week 3

VALUE OF THE WEEK

I like to be Responsible

- Look after your own belongings
- Demonstrate the school values in the classroom and playground



26th October 2022

SCHOOL CONTACT DETAILS

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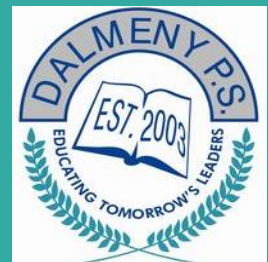
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Education



SENIOR EXEC

Farewell Miss Moffat

We would like to inform you that Miss Moffat, a teacher at Dalmeny for fourteen years, has received a service transfer to work closer to home. Miss Moffat will be a permanent classroom teacher at Wattawa Heights Public School as of Monday 7th November 2022. This transfer has come quicker than anticipated and Miss Moffat is both sad to leave Dalmeny and looking forward to her new adventure.

We are fortunate to have Miss Moffat for the first half of this term and know students and parents/carers will take the time to wish her well and thank her for her dedication to Dalmeny over her fourteen years. Miss Moffat's last day with 4 Red will be on Friday 4th November 2022.

2023 Class Planning

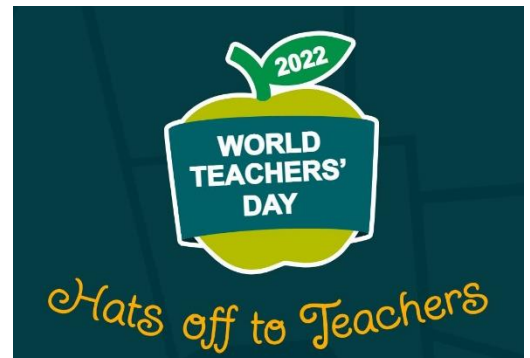
Planning has been underway for our class formations in 2023. It is of vital importance that if you are NOT returning in 2023 that you, please inform the office via email dalmeny-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

The numbers of students enrolled will impact on how many classes we are entitled to have and also on students being placed into 2023 classes. We really want to start the classes as soon as we can so information about students who will NOT be returning is vital for this to happen.

Also, parents of students who plan to return from their holidays after school begins on Tuesday, 31 January 2023 are asked to let the school know by writing. This will help ensure that class positions are held for your child/ren.

World Teachers Day

At Dalmeny our teachers will celebrate their day, on Thursday 27th October, with a designated lunch in the staffroom organised by our amazing SASS staff (admin and SLSO's). We appreciate our dedicated staff who go above and beyond for the students and community of Dalmeny.



Dental Program

The NSW Health Dental Program will be visiting our school this term.

Students have received an envelop containing information and a consent form. Only those students who return a consent form will have a dental check up at school. The Dental program is a check, no procedures are conducted. If your child requires a follow up dental examination or procedure the NSW Dental Health program providers will send home a dental health information note with your child.

Be a Star – Stewart House Fundraiser Thursday 3rd November

3-6 SRC is hosting a 'Be a Star for Stewart House' fundraiser on Thursday 3rd November, 2022.

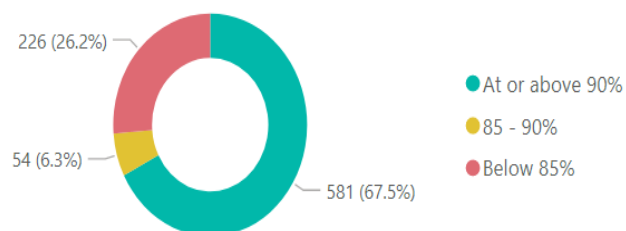
We are inviting you to come to school dressed as a 'star personality', who has an influence in your life. This could be an athlete, a rockstar or a movie star/character.

Please support this fun day with a gold coin donation. All funds raised on the day will be sent to Stewart House.

Attendance Matters

Attendance remains a priority of all NSW Public Schools, and at Dalmeny we have noticed a significant improvement this year. This improvement is attributed to a consistent approach from school and home and the introduction of House Points and incentives throughout the term for students. As of this week we have 581 students who have attended school at or above 90% of the time which is fantastic. We look forward to hosting our reward days this term for our winning house in week 5 and week 10 as well as awarding individual students for positive attendance at the end of term. Positive attendance includes being punctual at school.

Attendance Level



In addition, we have rolled out a text message service which will send automated text message to a parent/carer, if your child/ren are absent from school without a justified reason. Please respond via text message clearly stating your child's name, class and reason for absence.

On rare occasions during the initial roll out parent/carers have received a text message in error, these have been promptly resolved and we thank you for your understanding.

Selective High School Applications

Selective High Schools are specifically designed to provide optimal learning conditions that will make a difference in supporting the development of academic talent and the wellbeing of high potential and gifted students.

Opportunity classes and selective High Schools form part of the NSW Department of Education's commitment to identify and provide a range of opportunities for high potential and gifted students in NSW.

For entry to Year 7 in 2024, applications are expected to open on 18 October and close on 16 November 2022.

The Selective High School Placement Test will be held on 4 May 2023.

Information is included at the end of this newsletter.

Ms E. Jamieson

We wish to inform you that Ms Jamieson has extended her leave, for personal reasons. Ms Jamieson has been on leave since 12th September 2022. Mrs Callan and Miss Joseph have been leading the school during this time and will continue as required.

SDD Tuesday 20th December

As a staff we have conducted a survey to better use our professional learning this term via hosting two 'Twilight Sessions'. Our staff will be engaged in professional learning in week 6 and week 8 focusing on 2023 policies and procedures including curriculum reform and the wellbeing and discipline policies. On Tuesday 20th December only our senior exec and admin staff will be onsite.



Kinder 2023 Orientation Information

Our Kinder 2023 orientation program has commenced with an online SeeSaw class as well as upcoming Online Parent Information Session on Wednesday 30th November at 5pm, further information to come. Our Kinder 2023 enrollments have received a welcome email and unique SeeSaw login to join the SeeSaw Orientation class. The SeeSaw class is established to share important information as well as learning activities for our incoming students. We are pleased to announce that we will be welcoming our kinder 2023 students and their families onsite for the morning on 1st December 2022. This onsite orientation will include a tour of the school, meeting some of our kinder teachers, and engaging in activities to help students feel more comfortable and confident when at school.

Kinder 2023 Orientation

30th November- Parent Information Session online at 5pm

1st December- Kinder 2023 Onsite Orientation morning



Save the Dates

We will be hosting an online parent information session on **Wednesday November 30th 2022 at 5pm.**

Our onsite orientation morning will be on **Thursday 1st December 2022.**

More information to come.

Student wellbeing: Core values recognition System

A reminder we have launched our “Core Values Recognition” system at Dalmeny. The system is a vital component in our student wellbeing program, with a focus on maintaining a positive school culture that inspires students to strive for their personal best as safe, respectful and active learners, and to provide individual students with recognition of effort, achievement and progress, as based around our 5 core values

Dalmeny’s Core Values are:

	Value	Mascot Name	
I show	Kindness	Kindness Kirby	
I am	Honest	Honest Harper	
I like to be	Responsible	Responsible Rex	
I strive for	Excellence	Excellence Ernie	
I work in	Cooperation	Cooperation Cosmo	

- The Core Value Recognition System will span a student’s school life, between Kindergarten to Year 6 while enrolled at Dalmeny PS.
- Students will accumulate merit awards as they progress through a levelled award system, with the aim being to achieve a Principal’s Award within this timeframe.
- Students will be rewarded by school staff with colour-coded values tokens (pictured above), as acknowledgement for displaying the Core Values. These will be traded up for higher level certificates: Bronze -Assistant Principal, Silver - Deputy Principal, Gold - Principal
- Students will be responsible for attaching their tokens to an individual values chart that will be distributed to everyone. Please note that awards cannot be replaced if they are lost or damaged, so please look after them
- The system rolls over from year to year and the onus for safe-keeping, tracking and trading awards lies with the student.

P & C News

Next P&C Meeting is on 1st November 2022 in week 4.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

The Committee are looking for volunteers to assist with up coming events like K-2 games Day and our annual disco (Working With Children Check required). We welcome & appreciate any time you can spare. Please contact the P&C either via email

at: dalmenypublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au OR via Messenger on the P&C Facebook Page - Dalmeny Public School P&C





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Music games. Fun introduction to music.*



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for 2023*

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- Small group, 45 minute weekly lesson
- Competitive rate
- Instrument not required initially
- Fun introduction to music

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VIP Music acknowledges awareness & compliance
with the health advice regarding COVID-19.

SAVE THE DATES

Term 4:

8th November

K-2 Games Day

13th December

Year 6 Graduation Day

16th December

Year 6 Farewell at Liverpool Catholic Club

16th December

Last Day of the year for all students

19th and 20th December

Staff Development Day (Staff only on site)

Term 1, 2023:

27th January and 30th January

Staff Development Days (Staff only on site)

31st January

Years 1-6 commence school

6th February

Kindergarten commence school





Information for applicants

For entry to selective high schools in Year 7 in 2024

Ready to apply?

Apply online at:

shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au

Note: there may be changes to the dates and procedures in this document.

For the latest updates visit:

education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc

Key Dates

Application website opens

18 October 2022

Application website closes

16 November 2022

Test centre and test authority advice released

20 April 2023

Selective High School Placement Test

4 May 2023

Illness/misadventure requests submitted

11 May 2023

Placement outcome expected to be released

Mid-August 2023

TERM 4- CALENDAR

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	24/10	25/10	26/10 Sport Photo Day	27/10 P and C Disco	28/10 PSSA Round 2
4	31/10	1/11 P and C Meeting	2/11	3/11	4/11 PSSA Round 3
5	7/11 Stage 3 Camp	8/11 K-2 Games Day Stage 3 Camp	9/11 Stage 3 Camp	10/11	11/11 PSSA Round 4
6	14/11	15/11 Year 3 Excursion – The Australiana Pioneer Village	16/11 Year 4 Excursion – The Australiana Pioneer Village	17/11	18/11 PSSA Round 5
7	21/11	22/11	23/11	24/11	25/11 PSSA Round 6
8	28/11	29/11 P and C Meeting Sports Presentation Assembly	30/11 Sydney Special Christmas Party- Support Unit Kinder 2023 Online Parent Information Session	1/12 Kinder 2023 Onsite Orientation Morning	2/12 PSSA Round 7
9	5/12	6/12 Celebration Learning Assemblies	7/12 Stage 2 Aquatopia Day Kindergarten Farm Excursion	8/12 Stage 3 Aquatopia Day	9/12 PSSA Round 8
10	12/12	13/12 Stage 1 Wellbeing Day Year 6 Graduation Day	14/12	15/12	16/12 Last day of the year for all students Year 6 Farewell
11	19/12 Staff Development Day	20/12 Staff Development Day			

HEALTHY CANTEEN

Our canteen is open every day and offers students two menus - **one for everyday ordering before 9.00am and the second is the late order menu.** All food is Halal unless otherwise stated. Please refer to the attached menu and price list attached.



healthy canteens menu



SANDWICHES & WRAPS		
	SANDWICH	WRAP
E VEGEMITE OR JAM VEG	\$2.00	
E CHEESE VEG	\$2.00	
E HAM	\$2.90	
E CHEESE & TOMATO VEG	\$3.30	
E HAM & CHEESE	\$3.40	
E EGG VEG	\$3.30	
E CHICKEN WITH MAYO	\$3.90	
E EGG & LETTUCE VEG	\$3.90	\$5.00
E CURRIED EGG & LETTUCE VEG	\$3.90	\$5.00
E HAM, CHEESE & TOMATO	\$4.00	\$5.30
E CHICKEN & CHEESE	\$4.00	\$5.30
E SALAD VEG	\$4.00	\$5.50
E SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN	\$4.50	\$5.50
E HAM & SALAD	\$4.50	\$6.00
E CHICKEN, LETTUCE & MAYO	\$4.50	\$6.00
E CHICKEN, CHEESE & TOMATO	\$4.50	\$6.00
E CHICKEN & SALAD	\$4.50	\$6.00
E CHICKEN CAESAR SALAD		\$6.00

SALAD BOWLS		
E GARDEN SALAD VEG	\$4.90	GF
LETTUCE, TOMATO, CUCUMBER, BEETROOT, CARROT		
E CAESAR SALAD	\$4.90	
E SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN SALAD	\$5.50	
E HAM & GARDEN SALAD	\$5.50	GF
E CHICKEN & GARDEN SALAD	\$5.50	GF
E CHICKEN CAESAR SALAD	\$5.50	
E EGG & SALAD	\$5.50	GF
CHOOSE ANY OF THESE DRESSINGS : CAESAR, ITALIAN, MAYO, FRENCH		

FRESH FRUIT		
E FRUIT WATERMELON, APPLE, BANANA, SEASONAL FRUITS	\$1.30	
E FROZEN ORANGES SNACK PACK	\$2.30	
E WATERMELON CHUNKS	\$4.90	
E FRUIT SALAD SEASONAL FRUITS	\$5.40	

FOOD CODING		
VEG VEGETARIAN	GF GLUTEN FREE	
E EVERYDAY RATED	O OCCASIONAL RATED	
ALL ITEMS ARE HALAL (EXCEPT PORK BASED PRODUCTS)		
WRITE "GLUTEN FREE" ON YOUR LUNCH BAG		
ALL OF OUR GLUTEN FREE ITEMS HAVE		
"GF" NEXT TO THE PRICE		

SNACK DEAL \$ 2.80		
Choose One Popper - Water - Plain Milk		
Popcorn or Fruit Piece		
Add 50c Oak Milk		

DRINKS		
E POPPER 100% JUICE APPLE, ORANGE, ABC	\$2.00	
E WATER 600ML	\$2.00	
E PLAIN MILK 300ML	\$2.00	
E OAK MILK 300ML CHOCOLATE, STRAWBERRY	\$2.60	
E GLEE 250ML 100% JUICE	\$2.90	
RASPBERRY, GRAPE, WATERMELON SOUR		
E UP N GO 250ML CHOCOLATE, VANILLA	\$3.20	
E ICE TEA 500ML PEACH, RASPBERRY	\$3.80	
E ALOE VERA 500ML GRAPE	\$3.80	
E HOT CHOCOLATE	\$2.00	

ICE COLD TREATS		
E FROZEN JUICE CUP ASSORTED FLAVOURS	\$1.50	GF
E FRUITY ICES ASSORTED FLAVOURS	\$0.60	GF
E SOUR SNAP APARTS ASSORTED FLAVOURS	\$1.00	GF
ICE BLOCKS ARE NOT PUT IN YOUR LUNCH ORDER BAG		
ASK YOUR CHILD TO GO AND COLLECT IT FROM THE CANTEEN DURING THEIR LUNCH BREAK		
YOGHURT		
E VALIA YOGHURT VANILLA	\$3.60	

SNACKS		
E PANCAKE	\$1.00	
E POPCORN GF	\$1.00	
E BROWNIE OUR FAMOUS SNACK	\$2.00	
E CHIPS 27% HONEY SOY	\$2.00	
E PIRANHA RICE SNAPS VEGE CRACKERS	\$2.50	GF
E JELLY BOWL	\$1.60	GF
E BANANA BREAD	\$2.80	
E MUFFIN CHOCOLATE	\$3.80	



Register For Online Ordering
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SUSHI ROLLS		
E CHICKEN TERIYAKI	\$4.00	GF
E TUNA	\$4.00	GF
E VEGETARIAN VEG	\$4.00	GF
WRITE "SOY SAUCE" ON YOUR LUNCH BAG IF YOU WOULD LIKE ONE FOR FREE		

EXTRAS		
SAUCE PORTION - BBQ OR TOMATO SAUCE	\$0.40	
TOMATO, BEETROOT, CUCUMBER, CARROT, ONION	\$0.50	
CHEESE SLICE, SHREDDED CHEESE	\$0.50	
CHICKEN, HAM, EGG	\$1.00	

MEAL DEALS		
MONDAY \$6.6		
PASTA OR RICE CHOOSE ANY ONE		
GLUTEN FREE LASAGNE OR MAC & CHEESE \$6.60		
TUESDAY \$6.6		
HOME MADE PIZZA CHOOSE ANY ONE		
WEDNESDAY \$6.6		
BURGERS CHOOSE ANY ONE		
+ POPPER OR WATER (ADD 50c FOR OAK MILK) + POPCORN		
WRITE "MEAL DEAL" ON YOUR LUNCH BAG + THE FOOD & DRINK YOU WANT		

HOT BITES		
E CHICKEN NUGGETS 100% BREADED	\$0.90	
E CORN COB VEG	\$1.30	
E HASH BROWN VEG	\$1.40	GF
E GARLIC BREAD VEG	\$2.70	
E CHEESE & BACON ROLL WARM	\$3.00	
E HOT DOG WITH TOMATO SAUCE (CHICKEN)	\$3.70	
E GLUTEN FREE CHICKEN NUGGETS	\$0.90	GF
E GLUTEN FREE CHICKEN NUGGETS	\$3.50	GF
E SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN CHEESE, SAUCE	\$5.00	GF
TOASTED WRAPS		
E CHEESE TOASTED WRAP VEG	\$2.40	
E HAM & CHEESE TOASTED WRAP	\$3.40	
E CHICKEN, CHEESE & BBQ BBQ SAUCE	\$5.30	
E SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN CHEESE, SAUCE	\$5.50	

PASTAS & RICE		
E BUTTER CHICKEN WITH RICE	\$4.50	GF
E BOLOGNESE PASTA BEEF SAUCE	\$4.50	
E CREAMY CHICKEN PASTA	\$4.50	
E FRIED RICE VEG	\$4.90	
E MACARONI & CHEESE VEG	\$4.90	
E LASAGNE BEEF	\$4.90	
GLUTEN FREE WRITE "GLUTEN FREE" ON BAG		
E MACARONI & CHEESE GLUTEN FREE VEG	\$5.50	GF
E LASAGNE VEGE GLUTEN FREE VEG	\$5.50	GF
E LASAGNE BEEF GLUTEN FREE	\$5.50	GF

PIES & PASTRIES		
E PARTY PIE LOW FAT	x3 \$4.50	\$1.60
E SAUSAGE ROLL LOW FAT		\$3.80
E MEAT PIE LOW FAT		\$4.80
E POTATO PIE LOW FAT		\$5.00
E BEEF PIE GLUTEN FREE		\$5.40
MEXICAN NACHOS		
GLUTEN FREE		
E BEEF NACHOS HOME MADE ADD CHEESE 50c		\$4.90
E VEGE NACHOS TOMATO SALSA ADD CHEESE 50c VEG		\$4.90
E CHEESEY NACHOS CHEESE SAUCE VEG		\$4.90
CUP OF NOODLES		
E CHICKEN		\$3.30
E BEEF		\$3.30
E ORIENTAL VEG		\$3.30
E TOM YUM HOT & SPICY		\$3.30

NOODLE CUPS ARE NOT PUT IN LUNCH ORDER BAGS
YOUR CHILD MUST GO AND COLLECT IT

BURGERS		
E CHEESEBURGER BEEF, CHEESE, TOMATO SAUCE		\$5.30
E AUSSIE BEEF LETTUCE, TOMATO, BEETROOT, BBQ		\$5.30
E CHICKEN BREADED FILLET, LETTUCE, MAYO		\$5.20
E CHICKEN & CHEESE BREADED FILLET, BBQ SAUCE		\$5.20
E HOT & SPICY CHICKEN BURGER LETTUCE, MAYO		\$5.30
SAUCES : BBQ, TOMATO, PERI PERI, MAYO, SWEET CHILLI		
HOME MADE PIZZAS		
E CHEESE VEG		\$4.00
E HAM & CHEESE		\$4.80
E PEPPERONI & CHEESE		\$4.80