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MITCHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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IMPORTANT DATES

- APR 27** WORKING BEE
- MAY 1** AFTER SCHOOL CHESS COMMENCES
- MAY 8** DISTRICT X - COUNTRY
- MAY 9** MOTHERS DAY STALL
- MAY 9** PREP 2020 INFO EVENING - 6.00PM
- MAY 10** MOTHERS DAY STALL
- MAY 10** MITCHKIDS BEGINS
- MAY 14** NAPLAN DAY 1
- MAY 15** NAPLAN DAY 2
- MAY 16** NAPLAN DAY 3
- MAY 18** OPEN DAY
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- MAY 23** WORKING OPEN DAY
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- JUNE 10** QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY
- JUNE 11** STUDENT FREE DAY

VALUE OF THE MONTH

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Welcome back to Term 2. It's lovely to see the students all return to school refreshed and full of energy and enthusiasm for the term ahead.

During my travels through the classrooms on our first day back I was spoilt to be able to sit in on the presentation of Grade 5 and 6 Embassy designs. These designs and models were the culmination and celebration of Term 1 Inquiry Studies, students had been tasked with creating an Embassy building to represent their particular (fictitious) electorate. The features of their designs were all carefully considered and justified, for example where large pillars held up roofs this was a demonstration of the strength of an electorate and windows were a range of shapes and sizes to represent the diversity of the electorate. The photos below capture the high level of student engagement in this task, the creativity and cleverness of designs, and the range of mediums used to create the models: Minecraft, Lego, box construction and posters to name a few.



GROUPS WORKS

The School Holidays were a hive of activity at Mitcham Primary School as our grounds works continued. We are now only about two weeks away from the completion of our new Sports Field and excitedly the hydroseed sprayed that was sprayed over upper oval is already flourishing. We also had some bricklaying completed during the break, with the remaining centenary bricks laid under the friendship chair and a lovely brick rainbow created in the Kelly Pika garden. Our fabulous groundsman Shane also repainted and re-stained most of our outdoor chairs, including the friendship chair. Shane also repainted the yellow visibility markers on all our poles. So many of these jobs came to fruition because of the time and



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK: CONTINUED

energy dedicated to the school by Lucille and Adam Matthews, I thank them gratefully for all their efforts and commitment.

ANZAC Day

On Wednesday afternoon our senior students traveled to Box Hill to represent Mitcham Primary School and participate in a special school focused ANZAC day commemoration. All our students have been learning about the ANZACs in their classes and are being taught the importance of ANZAC day.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old;

Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning

We will remember them.

WORKING BEE

There will be a working bee this Saturday afternoon from 2pm - 5pm, with afternoon tea provided.

Wishing all families a lovely weekend.

Erin Norman

Principal

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PREP 2020
Information Evening

THURSDAY
9TH
MAY, 2019

6.00 PM - 7.00 PM

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Mitcham, 3132

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Mitcham
Primary School
this is how we learn

MITCHAM PRIMARY OPEN DAYS



**OPEN
DAY**

Saturday 18 May
10.00am - 1.00pm

**WORKING
OPEN DAY**

Thursday 23 May
10.00am - 1.00pm

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FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S DESK

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to all our families. It has been interesting listening to all the stories about how the children spent their holidays. It would appear that many, many chocolate Easter eggs were enjoyed!

We look forward to another exciting term with lots of things happening across the school, including excursions, NAPLAN, Education Week and Mitchkids will be starting again on Friday 10th May. A reminder that school photo day has been changed to Friday 31st May.

ANZAC DAY

On Wednesday, our Grade six students went to Box Hill to be a part of the ANZAC Day commemorative service. Our school captains placed a wreath at the site. The service was organised by the RSL and local schools were given the opportunity to attend. It was great for our students to be a part of this important service.



AFTER SCHOOL CHESS

Chess club will start next Wednesday 1st May and finish for Term 2, on Wednesday 26th June. If your child would like to join Chess Club please let the office know. I will notify you if your child has been successful in gaining a place this term.

Term 1 was great, watching the children develop their skills and strategies. Well done to all who participated. They all demonstrated good sportsmanship and improved their skills.

2020 PREP/FOUNDATION INFORMATION NIGHT

On Thursday 9th May, we will be having a Prep/Foundation Information session for any new families who have children starting Prep in 2020 who want to know more about our school and the programs we run including our Prep/Foundation Transition program. There will be an opportunity to ask questions as well.

This session will be held in the school library from 6.00pm – 7.00pm.

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

The Mother's Day stall will be held on Thursday 9th and Friday 10th May. This is a great opportunity for your child to do their own shopping for Mother's Day. The items will range from \$1 to \$6 and it would be helpful if children brought a plastic bag for their purchases.

NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing this year will be on Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th May. An information sheet will be sent home in Term 2 to the parents of students in Grades 3 and 5. If you have any questions regarding NAPLAN please see your child's teacher or Mrs Wood.

EDUCATION WEEK - 18TH – 25TH MAY

OPEN DAYS

On Saturday 18th May, we will be having our Open Day from 10.00am – 1.00pm. This is a great opportunity to showcase our school and the great work that our students do.

On Monday 20th May, it will be our Grandparents and Special Friends' day from 11.30am – 1.00pm.

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S DESK

We look forward to welcoming many visitors into our school and into the classrooms. We hope they can bring their lunch to have with the children after they complete the interesting activities in the grades.

On Thursday 23rd May, from 10.00 – 1.00, we will have our 'Working Open Day' where people can tour the school to see how the school operates on a 'normal' daily basis.

PUPIL FREE DAYS

The remaining pupil free days for 2019 are:

- Tuesday 11th June, and
- Monday 4th November.

Your children are not required at school on these days. Please put these dates in your diaries.

SCHOOL PHOTOS DATE CHANGED

Our School Photo day has been changed and will now be on Friday 31st May. Photo ordering forms will be distributed to all students in May.

Heather Wood

Assistant Principal



Mitch Kids Playgroup

May
Friday May 10
Friday May 24

June
Friday June 7
Friday June 21

July
Friday July 19

August
Friday Aug 2
Friday Aug 16
Friday Aug 30

September
Friday Sept 13

10.00 - 11.00am

Mitcham Primary School
294 Mitcham Road, Mitcham
Phone: 9873-1551

The poster features several photographs of children and adults participating in playgroup activities, including painting, drawing, and socializing.

IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	EVENT
27 April	Working Bee
1 May	After School Chess Commences for Term 2
8 May	District Cross Country
9 May	Prep Information Evening
9 - 10 May	Mothers' Day Stall
10 May	Mitchkids Commences
14 May - 16 May	NAPLAN
17 May	Robotics Workshop
18 May	Open Day
20 May	Grandparents/Special Person Day
21 May	Robotics Workshop
22 May	National Simultaneous Storytime
23 May	Working Open Day & Morning Tea
31 May	School Photos
3 June - 6 June	Book Fair Open for Sales
10 June	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday
11 June	Student Free Day
14 June	Grade 5/6 Winter Sport
21 June	Grade 5/6 Winter Sport
26 June	After School Chess Finishes for Term 2
28 June	Last Day Term 2
15 July	First Day Term 3
19 July	The Ridiculous Rhyme Show Visit
17 - 23 August	Book Week

DATE	EVENT
23 August	Grade 5/6 Summer Sport
26 August - 28 August	Grade 3/4 Camp 1
28 August - 30 August	Grade 3/4 Camp 2
2 September	District Athletics
5 September	Grade 5/6 Performance
6 September	Grade 5/6 Summer Sport
20 September	Last Day Term 3
7 October	First Day Term 4
4 November	Student Free Day
6 November	Grade 3 - 6 Swimming Commences
15 November	Grade 3 - 6 Swimming Ends
18 November	Prep - 2 Swimming Commenced
29 November	Prep - 2 Swimming Ends
20 December	Last Day Term 4



FROM THE MITCHAM PRIMARY OFFICE

CSEF (CAMPS & SCHOOL EXCURSIONS FUND)

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) provides payments for eligible students to attend activities like:

- School camps or trips
- Swimming and school-organised sport programs
- Outdoor education programs
- Excursions and incursions.

Applications for 2019 are now open and will close on 28 June 2019 (end of Term 2). Families holding a valid means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents are eligible to apply.

Successful applicants will receive \$125 per year for eligible primary school students. Payments are made directly to the school and are tied to the individual student. Most payments start from March onwards.

Payments are for the application year and cannot be claimed for previous years.

The CSEF payment cannot be used towards voluntary school charges, books, stationery, school uniforms, before/after school care, music lessons, or formals/graduations.

You will only need to submit an application form in 2019 if any of the following changes have occurred:

- Your child has started or changed schools in 2019 or you did not apply at the same school in a previous year
- Changed family circumstances: such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2019.

We are able to accept and process applications up until the end of term two each year.

The payment system only allows one application per student. Parents in shared custody situations (who both hold a concession card) must make the decision beforehand who applies for the CSEF at the school on behalf of their children.

If you have already paid for some camp, sports or excursion costs up front, you have the option to:

- Allocate the payment towards remaining activities in 2019
- Carry over the amount to be used on eligible activities in 2020

Please note, CSEF funds cannot be directly refunded to families.

If you think you may be eligible, and are yet to apply, or would like more information, please see the information and application sheets enclosed in the later pages of this newsletter.

Alternatively, contact our school office for more information.

STATE SCHOOLS' RELIEF

Prep students who are applicable for the CSEF fund may also be able to receive support for school uniforms through State Schools' Relief.

State Schools' Relief helps with the cost of new school uniforms, shoes and books for families who are facing hardship.

The Victorian Government has provided more than \$15.65 million to State Schools' Relief to help provide 100,000 students with free or discounted new school uniforms, shoes and books over four years (2015-19).

For students commencing prep in 2019, State Schools' Relief can provide a winter warmer uniform package:

- 1 x rugby top or windcheater or polo long sleeve
- 1 x tracksuit pants
- 1 x pair of shoes (lace up or t-bar or runner/sneaker)

To apply, make sure you lodge your application for CSEF before the closing date and ensure you speak to the office about a uniform pack.

If your application is successful, uniform items and vouchers may be given directly to you, or the school. The school will contact you to pass on the items.

Please see the ladies in our office for more information or assistance.

**A SPECIAL DAY AT
MITCHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL**



**SAVE THE
DATE**

MONDAY 20 MAY



**GRANDPARENTS AND
SPECIAL VISITORS DAY!**

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES 2019

CLUB/ACTIVITY	COST (Y/N)	DAY OF WEEK	WHEN	STUDENTS INVOLVED	ORGANISER
Before School Reading	N	Tuesday	Before school	All Welcome	Heather Wood
Bonsai Club	Y	TBC*	During school	Grade 5/6s	Marina Rich
Chess Club	Y	Wednesday	After school	All Welcome	Heather Wood
Five Six Mix Choir	N	Thursday	During lunch	Grade 5/6s	Natalie Wickham
Gardening & Sustainability Club	N	Monday	During lunch	All Welcome	Marina Rich, Laura Luscombe & Kate Medcalf
Hooptime	N	Thursday	During lunch	Selected	Laura Ellis
Hot Shots Tennis	Y	Multiple	During & After School.	All Welcome	Contact Office
Instrumental Music	Y	Various	During school	All Welcome	Contact Office
Junior School Council	N	Various	During school	Elected students	Jayne Koth & Tracey Irvine
Kelly Sports	Y	Multiple	During lunch	All Welcome	Contact Office
Lunchtime Library Sessions	N	Wednesday & Friday	During lunch	All Welcome	Erin Norman
Media	N	Thursday	During school	Media Team	Tracey Irvine & Emma Bates
Mitcham Melodies Choir	N	Thursday	During lunch	Grade 3/4	Jess Yuen, Emma Bates & Deb Williamson
Mitcham Music Makers	N	TBC	During lunch	Grades 4-6	Natalie Wickham
New Zealand Exchange	Y	N/A	N/A	Grade 5/6s	Heather Wood
Peer Mediation	N	Various	During recess	Grade 6s	Tracey Irvine, Laura Luscombe & Marianne McKay
Perceptual Motor Program	N	Monday	During school	Preps	Val Berardini
Quiet Space	N	Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday	During lunch	All Welcome	Michelle Dybing
Robotics Club	N	Friday	During lunch	TBC	Netanel Koles
Running Club	N	Friday	Before school	Grades 3-6	Laura Ellis &
Snack and Study	N	Thursday	After school	EAL Students	Michelle Dybing
Tournament of Minds	N	TBC	TBC	Grade 5/6s	TBC
Grade 5/6 Games	N	Friday	During Lunch	Grade 5/6	Paul Bremner (Volunteer)

NEWS AND UPDATES

MULLAUNA COLLEGE HIGH ACHIEVERS YR 7 CLASS FOR 2020

If your son/daughter is interested in applying for the Year 7 High Achievers class for 2020 at Mullauna College, testing will take place at 9.00am on Friday 10 May, 2019 at Mullauna College. Please complete the following online survey and you will be contacted via email regarding the testing closer to the test date:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/HB8WD6L

2019 EDUCATION WEEK: 18TH - 25TH MAY

Every year Mitcham Primary School celebrates Education Week with a range of fun activities, we love having our families come and be a part of all the fun. Pencil the following dates into your diaries and we will distribute more information about these activities over the next few weeks.

- Saturday Open Day 18th May
- Grandparents' Day Monday 20th May
- Working Open Day and Morning Tea Thursday 23rd May
- Robotics Workshops Friday 17th May and Tuesday 21st – Friday 24th May

LUNCH ORDER PROVIDER

Lunch orders are available on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Simply [click here](#), or search the following address in your browser: www.classroomcuisine.com.au

You will need to register an account in your name and select Mitcham Primary School. Once you are in your account there is a tab to add a child. Please add your children and select Mitcham Primary School and their grade.

Placing orders can be done up until 8.30 the morning of the lunch day.

The option to select future dates is available to place orders, if your child is not attending school on the future day you can cancel the order the morning of the absence.

Payment is required at the time of ordering with a credit card.

See our lunch order menu in the following pages.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

This year the school photos will be taken on Friday 31st May. The company will send out packs to all students closer the date. Please note this date in your diary.

SCHOOL BANKING

Does your child want to be part of School Banking?

The school banking program is a great way to start creating good financial habits. There are also great reward items to redeem after each 10 deposits, as it is an incentive for banking regularly and not a monetary exercise.

School banking takes place every Wednesday.

Please add this event to your calendar every Wednesday.

If you would like your child to participate in School banking please go to the Commonwealth Bank and open an account in your child's name.



Hello everyone,

Hope you all had safe Easter. Children enjoyed making Poppies and Anzac biscuits in the first week back.

Mitcham OSHClub had a wonderful Easter Holiday Program. We participated in Carnival day at Rangeview Primary School which was a fantastic day full of sporting games and competitions. We also met furry farmyard friends and there was even a jumping castle to enjoy. We went on a special bus trip into the city to explore the Melbourne Museum. The children enjoyed some special visitors that came to do some activities with us including fitness for fun, animal painting, master builders' musical instruments and making terrariums with lots of scents. We had lots of fun doing arts and craft, cooking and outdoor play with the beautiful weather we had.

Our thoughts and prayers are extended to our local community impacted by the recent attacks in Sri Lanka.

UPDATE IN THE BOOKING POLICY FOR BSC AND ASC SESSIONS

- Parents will not be able to book online within 24 hours as the system is locked 24 hours before the session commence time.
- Parents can book their child(ren) into the program on the day by calling or texting 0422 097 497.
- Program times are from 7am—9am and 2:30pm—6:30pm, bookings will be confirmed during these times.
- A late booking fee of \$4 will automatically be charged when a booking is made at short notice (0-24 hrs ahead of the start time of the session). This fee was waived last term for goodwill as the CCS was stabilising – it is part of our usual T&C's.
- When a child is booked but does not attend, and there's been no notification that they will be absent, a \$5 'no-show' fee will be incurred.
- Our cancellation policy is now 48 hours before the session commences. Cancellations within 48 hours will incur full fee.

UPDATING CONTACT DETAILS

Please remember to update your family's contact details, especially phone numbers, addresses, and any medical conditions on the enrolment form if there is any change. This can be done online at:

www.oshclub.com.au

WEEK 1 : BEFORE SCHOOL CARE	
DAY	ACTIVITY
MONDAY	Draw moons, rockets & Space Balloon Table Tennis
TUESDAY	'If I Went To Space' & Foosball Tournament
WEDNESDAY	Mobile Making- Space & Chinese Whispers
THURSDAY	Design your own Space ship/Rocket & Heads Down, Thumbs Up
FRIDAY	Make a Paper Rocket & Gaga ball
WEEK 1 : AFTER SCHOOL CARE	
DAY	ACTIVITY
MONDAY	Paper Mache Planet & Fruit Salad
TUESDAY	3D Stars & Interactive Playground Play
WEDNESDAY	Handprint Aliens & Line Tiggly
THURSDAY	Animal Name Rocket Ships & Cricket
FRIDAY	Space Ships & Aliens & Space ships

Enrol Now: www.oshclub.com.au

OSHClub Program Phone: 0422 097 497

OSHClub Head Office: 1300 395 735

Program Coordinator: Jagruti

Program Assistants: Lekky and Jess (permanent), Jane, Maylee, Ashleigh, Jade and Maria (casuals).



Commencing a Trial with MITCHAM PRIMARY in T1, 2019!

A Two Course Lunch is \$8.95 and a Three Course Lunch is \$10.35

AVAILABLE – MONDAY'S, WEDNESDAY'S & FRIDAY'S!

LUNCH ITEM ONE

SALADS

Greek Style Salad with Feta and Olives (GF)
Brown Rice & Mixed Bean Salad (GF)
Thai Style Noodle Salad (GF)
Quinoa, Tabouli & Tuna Salad (GF)
Pasta Salad (GF)
Pic(k)nic Box – Vegetarian (GF)
Pic(k)nic Box with Ham (GF)

SUSHI

Sushi - Teriyaki Chicken Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Cooked Tuna Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Avocado Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi - Cucumber Hand Rolls (2)
Sushi – Vegetarian Hand Rolls (2)

BAKERY

Cheese and Bacon Roll
Cheese and Vegemite Scroll
Supreme Pizza Roll
Topped with Only Cheese Roll

PITA PIZZAS

Margherita Pita Pizza
Ham and Pineapple Pita Pizza
Fresh Tomato and Italian Herb Pita Pizza
Spinach & Feta Pita Pizza

SANDWICHES, ROLLS & WRAPS

Ham, Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
Turkey, Cranberry, Lettuce and Cheese Sandwich
Ham and Cheese Roll
Gluten Free Ham & Cheese Sandwich (GF)
Simple Salad Roll
Gluten Free Ham & Cucumber Sandwich (GF)
Vegemite Sandwich
Mild Salami and Salad Roll
Beetroot and Salad Roll
Roast Beef, Fruit Chutney, Cheese and Lettuce Roll
Cheese and Salad Roll
Wholegrain Cheese and Tomato Sandwich
WRAP (GF) Ham and Salad
Chicken and Salad Roll
Wholegrain ROLL Tuna and Salad
Salad with Ham (No Cheese) ROLL

LUNCH ITEM TWO/THREE

FRESH FRUIT & VEG

Fresh Fruit Combo
Freshly chopped Orange Segments
Freshly chopped Strawberries with Green Grapes
Apple with Lemon Juice, Brown Sugar & Cinnamon
Freshly chopped Cantaloupe & Watermelon
Freshly Chopped Watermelon pieces
Chopped Carrot, Cucumber, Red & Yellow Capsicum
Freshly chopped Pineapple with Orange Pieces
Lightly Steamed Corn Wheels & Broccoli
Sugar Snap Peas, Beans & Cherry Tomatoes
Cherry Tomatoes with Tasty Cheese & Rice Crackers

BAKED GOODS

Choc Chip Cookie
Fruit Bun
Hedgehog Slice
Finger Bun with Sprinkles
Banana Cup Cake (GF, DF)
Iced Cup Cake
Choc Cup Cake (GF,DF)
Blueberry Muffin
Apple & Cinnamon Cake

YOGHURT

Chobani Yoghurt - Strawberry
Chobani Yoghurt - Blueberry
Chobani Yoghurt - Passionfruit
Chobani Yoghurt – Plain
Chia, Banana, Coconut and Strawberry Bowl

DIPS & CRACKERS

Tzatziki dip with Rice Crackers
Avocado dip with Rice Crackers
Spring Onion dip with Rice Crackers
Moroccan Carrot dip with Rice Crackers

POPCORN/SNACKS

Cobs Popcorn, Lightly Salted
Cobs Popcorn Slightly Sweet, Lightly Salted
Lightly salted Fav'va Beans

DRINKS

Apple Juice
Orange Juice
Nippy's Chocolate Milk

For more information check out our website

www.classroomcuisine.com.au

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is:

- \$125 for primary school students
- \$225 for secondary school students

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the CSEF visit
www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

If you applied for the CSEF at your child's school in 2018, you do not need to complete an application form in 2019 unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

You only need to complete an application form if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments;** your child has started or changed schools in 2019 or you did not apply in 2018.
- **changed family circumstances;** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2019.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.



CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/legal guardian details

Surname _____

First name _____

Address _____

Town/suburb _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Contact number _____

Centrelink pensioner concession **OR** Health care card number (CRN)

- - - **OR**

☐ Foster parent* **OR** ☐ Veterans affairs pensioner

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Student details

Child's surname	Child's first name	Student ID	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	Year level

I authorise the Department of Education and Training (DET) to use Centrelink Confirmation eServices to perform an enquiry of my Centrelink customer details and concession card status in order to enable the business to determine if I qualify for a concession, rebate or service. I also authorise the Australian Government Department of Human Services (DHS) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DHS will use information I have provided to DET to confirm my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund and will disclose to DET personal information including my name, address, payment and concession card type and status.
- this consent, once signed, remains valid while my child is enrolled at a registered Victorian school unless I withdraw it by contacting the school.
- I can obtain proof of my circumstances/details from DHS and provide it to DET so that my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund can be determined.
- if I withdraw my consent or do not alternatively provide proof of my circumstances/details, I may not be eligible for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund provided by DET.
- information regarding my eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund may be disclosed to the Victorian Department of Health and Human Services and/or State Schools Relief for the purpose of evaluating concession card services or confirming eligibility for assistance.

You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child's school.

Signature of applicant _____

Date ____ / ____ / ____

CSEF ELIGIBILITY

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

Criteria 1 – Eligibility

To be eligible* for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or;
- on the first day of Term two;
- a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the *State Concessions Act 2004*, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
- b) Be a temporary foster parent, and;
- c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

* A special consideration eligibility category also exists. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age inclusive.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years inclusive.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (29 January 2019) or term two (23 April 2019).

PAYMENT AMOUNTS

CSEF payment amount

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school to be used towards camps, sports and/or excursion expenses for the benefit of the eligible student.

- Primary school student rate: \$125 per year.
- Secondary school student rate: \$225 per year.

The CSEF is paid directly to your child's school and will be allocated by the school towards camps, sports and/or excursion costs for your child.

For ungraded students, the rate payable is determined by the student's date of birth. For more information, see: www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Year 7 government school students who are CSEF recipients are also eligible for a uniform voucher. Secondary schools are required to make applications on behalf of parents so please register your interest at the school.

HOW TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

1. Complete the PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN DETAILS section.
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your concession card. You will also need to provide your concession card to the school.
If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, you will need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans Affairs Pensioner Gold card to the school.
2. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.
3. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office as soon as possible. The CSEF program for 2019 closes on 28 June, 2019.

CSEF payments cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

Queries relating to CSEF eligibility and payments should be directed to the school.

ANTI-BULLYING KIDS PROGRAMS

CLASSES FROM MONDAY TO FRIDAY

MARTIAL ARTS TRAINING

- ✓ BUILDS SELF CONFIDENCE
- ✓ IMPROVES COORDINATION

- ✓ IMPROVES CONCENTRATION AND FOCUS
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