



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

11th March 2022



Email: cranbourne.east.ps@education.vic.gov.au

Website: www.cranbourneeastps.vic.edu.au

Coming Events - Also on Compass

March	April
Monday 14th – Labour Day Public Holiday – School Closed Thursday 17 th - Whole School Photos Friday 18 th - Whole School Photos Friday 18 th – Outdoor Movie Night Wednesday 23 rd – School Council Meeting	Friday 8 th – Last Day Term 1 2.30pm Early Student Dismissal Monday 25 th – ANZAC Day Public Holiday Tuesday 26 th – Term 2 Commences

As part of the School SunSmart Policy and Student Dress Code Policy school approved Hats are to be worn on the way to and from school, during the recess and lunch breaks and during outdoor lessons

Shining Stars

YEAR	SHINING STAR	AWARD
PE Mr Shaw	Logan D 2W	For his outstanding sportsmanship during PE this week. Keep up the outstanding work, Logan!
PE Mrs Holmquest	Eliza M 2N	For her fair play in group games. Well done, Eliza. Keep up the great work!
PE Mrs Ellis	Kye B 4X	For persisting and being the first student to complete a double under in skipping. Well done, Kye!
Mrs Coburn Science	Kade N 4H	For being responsible and making great choices. Keep on setting a good example to others Kade!
Performing Arts Mr Caddy	Arya-Ali B 1B	For always bringing a smile and enthusiasm to Performing Arts.
Performing Arts Mrs Spillane	Aneel D 6W	For leading the group well when performing rhythms.
Mrs Wickramasinghe	Emmanuel J 2P	For showing good listening and participating actively during Oral Language. Well done.
Mrs Harris	Farhad Q 4W	For doing really well in the SPELD Program. Keep it up!
Mrs Beck	Amelia F 4L	For great class participation. Well done!
Mrs Simmonds	Jasmeen K Prep P	For your great picture of 'Pete the Cat'. It went perfectly with the story.
Mrs Price	Adel U Prep A	For showing good listening and participation during Oral Language.
Mrs Silva	Parthiv S 3R	For working hard during the SPELD Program. Well done, Parthiv!
Mrs Warren	Logan H 6B	For always being thoughtful and showing respect.

Mr Smith	Evo N-L 6S	For a fantastic job with his creative writing. Awesome work!
Mrs Sathiyamurugan	Lily W 4K	For a great effort during Spelling sessions. Keep up the great work.
Mrs Bhasin	Vihaan P 2W	For always being very courteous and respectful towards peers and teachers. Keep it up!
Mrs Perera	Syeda A 3N	For settling in so well and showing a positive attitude towards your learning.
Mrs Premaratne	Ivy W Prep A	For participating well in the group activity at Oral Language. Well done, Ivy.
Mrs Stanley	Max M 3H	For being an excellent community helper in cleaning up the school yard.
Mrs Hateley	Eva P 1D	For always being inclusive with your classmates and encouraging them to participate and have a go.
Library	5K & 5E	For a wonderfully quiet and respectful Library session.



YEAR	SHINING STAR	AWARD	YEAR	SHINING STAR	AWARD
Prep	Samira A	For helping to keep her learning space clean and tidy.	Year 4	Addison J	For using up levelled adjectives in her writing. Well done, Addison!
	Jonathan F	For using his manners in the classroom. Fantastic job!		Sahir J	For being a fabulous learning support partner. Well done!
	Abhayjot S	For always being respectful to his teachers and his peers. Great work, Abhayjot!		Kye B	For showing excellent sportsmanship and athleticism throughout Athletics Day. Excellent effort, Kye!
	Reet G	For always coming to school ready to learn. Well done!		William N	For trying new activities out at the Athletics Day. Well done, Will.
	Amber B	For concentrating so well and practicing all the sounds during cued articulation.		Ethan C	For showing extraordinary determination, resilience and sportsmanship during the Athletics Day. Well played, Ethan!
	Ivy W	For always completing work to a high standard. Well done, Ivy!		Ezra K	For showing excellent athleticism throughout Athletics Day and for giving it your best. Terrific effort, Ezra!
	Raphael F	For his wonderful efforts when sorting objects and explaining how they were sorted.		Teina I	For showing outstanding skills, sportsmanship and support of his peers at Athletics Day. Amazing effort, Teina!
Year 1	Bella H	For showing rigour when faced with challenges. Well done!	Ruby W	For being an absolute superstar on Athletics Day. Well done on such fantastic results!	
	Ariyana C	For a great effort with her reading. Great job!	Year 5	Mohammad F	For settling in with a positive attitude to Cranbourne East Primary School.
	Trayvon R	For showing persistence with his writing. Well done!		Esha P	For your positive and lovely attitude every day! It is a pleasure having you in the classroom.
	Vanessa S	For her excellent effort with her mind map. We loved learning more about you, well done!		Dhyani P	For always contributing to class discussions and your determination to do well in every task. Well done, Dhyani!
	Surkhab D	For his hard work and effort during our Math sessions this week. Well done!		Zaneta I	For having a go at all activities at athletics and achieving a personal best. Great work, Zaneta!
	Stephanie S	For always showing the 5Rs, trying your best with your work and following instructions. Keep it up!		Zain S	For making fantastic inferences during Reading discussions.
	Exodus-Reign H	For being helpful in the classroom.		Caleb S	For his amazing effort and sportsmanship at the Athletics Carnival.

Year 2	Myra S	For putting in a fantastic effort with her work and her classroom job.	Year 6	Aum P	For being an excellent role model in the classroom. Thanks Aum!
	Japbir D	For trying something new and for producing 5-Star work. Well done, Japbir!		Khush S	For enthusiastically answering questions and contributing to classroom discussions. Well done, Khush!
	Anjith D D	For putting up his hand and gaining confidence in contributing to whole class discussions!		Simranjeet K	For having a positive and wonderful start to CEPS. Welcome to 6AS, Simranjeet!
	Sarunghjan A	For putting in 100% effort, when writing his narrative. Well done, Sarunghjan!		Aryan K	For encouraging a classmate in Reading groups and confidently sharing your ideas.
	Nevaeh V	For being a fantastic classroom helper!		Mritika V	For assisting her peers when learning long division. Great work using your knowledge to teach others, Mritika!
	Millie C	For her excellent persistence in reading and trying her best! Fantastic work!		Anne E	For being supportive by helping an upset student and showing care and compassion in the classroom. Well done, Anne!
Year 3	Sophie W	For always respectfully contributing to class conversations.	Izaiah N	For showing respect and listening to your teachers. Well done, Izaiah!	
	Jaden R	For his awesome resilience with a broken arm!	Ronit S	For contributing to class discussions thoughtfully and confidently. Keep up the great work, Ronit!	
	Bhavani K	For showing persistence during class activities.	Allia V	For a wonderful effort at identifying persuasive devices in reading. Well done!	
	Robie D	For trying his best during Math.	Leonidiz D	For using new strategies to solve division equations.	
	Roncy S	For doing a great job during Math class this week!	Ekam S	For doing a fantastic persuasive advertisement. Great work, Ekam!	
	Ella H	For being resilient in Math this week and trying different addition strategies.			
	Vaanya S	For her fantastic effort in numeracy sessions this week. Well done!			

STUDENT AND STAFF BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Happy Birthday



to you...

Mrs Thiel
Miss Hogan

Mourtaza Z	3M
Sakina A	3N
Samar S	3N
Seth P	3N
Ruby W	4K
Hedayat N	4L
Sahar J	4W
Nargis E	4X
Nate D	5E
Kirianna F	5H
Ashrith H	5T
Bonnie G	5T
Imaan G	6H
Sanjana B	6H
Harry M	6K
Jazper G-K	6M
Izaiah N	6M
Arhan S P	6P

Kritana A	Prep A
Sidhie M	Prep A
Diyan P	Prep B
Gurnayab S	Prep B
Kalki B	Prep G
Toa B	Prep G
Mary N	Prep N
Jasmeen K	Prep P
Dinay G	1B
Isaiah E	1N
Cami J	2B
Japbir Singh D	2M
Nirvair Singh S	2M
Mayur D	2N
Yosuf I	2S
Kareena K	2W
Cindy M	3G
Rhythm L	3K
Elianah V	3K



Privacy Collection Notice

Information for students, parents and carers

The Department of Education and Training (the Department) values your privacy and is committed to protecting the personal and health information that schools collect.

All school staff must comply with Victorian privacy law and the [Schools' Privacy Policy](#). This notice explains how the Department, including Victorian government schools (schools), handles personal and health information. On occasion, specific consent will be sought for the collection and use of information, for example, for a student to receive a health service. Our schools are also required by legislation, such as the *Education and Training Reform Act 2006*, to collect some of this information.

Throughout this notice, 'staff' includes principals, teachers, student support service officers, youth workers, social workers, nurses and any other allied health practitioners, and all other employees, contractors, volunteers and service providers of the school and the Department.

On enrolment, and during the ordinary course of a student's attendance at a school, schools will collect information about students and their families for the following purposes:

- educating students
- supporting students' social and emotional wellbeing, and health
- fulfilling legal obligations, including duty of care, anti-discrimination law and occupational health and safety law
- communicating and engaging with parents
- student administration
- school management
- supporting policy in relation to student education and wellbeing.

If this information is not collected, schools may be unable to provide optimal education or support to students or fulfil legal obligations.

For example, our schools rely on parents to provide **health information** about any medical condition or disability that their child has, medication their child may take while at school, any known allergies and contact details of their child's doctor. If parents do not provide all relevant health information, this may put their child's health at risk.

Our schools also require current, relevant information about all **parents and carers** so that schools can take account of safety concerns that affect their children. Parents should provide schools with copies of all current parenting plans and court orders about or that affect their children and provide updated copies when they change.

When parents enrol their child in primary school, they will be asked to provide personal and health information in several ways, including via the Enrolment Form, the [School Entrance Health Questionnaire](#) (SEHQ) and the [Early Childhood Intervention Service](#) (ECIS) Transition Form.

The **Enrolment Form** is used to collect information that is essential for the purposes listed above, and requests information such as:

- **Emergency contacts** – Individuals parents nominate for a school to contact during an emergency. Parents should ensure that their nominated emergency contact agrees to their contact details being provided to the

school and that they understand their details may be disclosed by the Department if lawful, e.g. in the case of emergency communications relating to bush fires or floods.

- **Student background information** – Information about country of birth, Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin, language spoken at home and parent occupation. This information enables the Department to allocate appropriate resources to schools. The Department also uses this information to plan for future educational needs in Victoria and shares some information with the Commonwealth government to monitor, plan and allocate resources.
- **Immunisation status** – This assists schools to manage health risks and legal obligations. The Department may also provide this information to the Department of Health and Department of Families, Fairness and Housing to assess immunisation rates in Victoria, but not in a way which identifies students.
- **Visa status** – This is required to process a student's enrolment.

All schools may use departmental systems and online tools such as apps and other software to effectively collect and manage information about students and families for the purposes listed above.

When schools use these online tools, they take steps to ensure that student information is secure. If parents or carers have any concerns about the use of these online tools, please contact the school.

School staff will only share student and family information with other school staff who need to know to enable them to educate or support the student as described above. Information will only be shared outside the school (and outside the Department) as required or authorised by law, including where sharing is required to meet duty of care, anti-discrimination, occupational health and safety, and child wellbeing and safety obligations. The information collected will not be disclosed beyond the school and Department without parent consent unless such disclosure is lawful.

When a student transfers to another school (including Catholic, independent and interstate), personal and/or health information about that student may be transferred to the next school. Transferring this information is in the best interests of the student and assists the next school to provide the best possible education and support to the student. For further detail about how and what level of information is provided to the next school, refer to the: [Enrolment: Student transfers between schools](#)

Schools only provide school reports and ordinary school communications to students, parents, carers or others who have a legal right to that information. Requests for access to other student information or by others must be made by lodging a [Freedom of Information](#) (FOI) application.

To update student or family information, parents should contact their school.

For more information about how schools and the Department collect and manage personal and health information, or how to access personal and health information held by a school about you or your child, refer to the: [Schools' Privacy Policy](#)

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 while sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are a 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 CSEF visit:

<https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/Pages/csef.aspx>

HOW TO APPLY

New applicants should contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from the website below.

If you applied for CSEF at your child's school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year 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 this year.
- **changed family circumstances;** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing this year.

Check with the school office if you are unsure.



CAMPS, SPORTS AND EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) APPLICATION FORM

Cranbourne East Primary School

5518

School Name

School REF ID

Parent/carer details

Surname _____

First name _____

Address _____

Town/suburb _____ State _____ Postcode _____

Contact number _____

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

- - - **OR**

Foster parent under a temporary care order* **OR** Veterans affairs pensioner (Gold Card)**

*Foster Parents must provide a copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH).

**Applicants must provide a copy of the Veteran Affairs Gold card

Is this an application for special consideration? Yes No

Student details

Student's surname	Student'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 Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) to provide the results of that enquiry to DET.

I understand that:

- DFFH 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 DFFH 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 DFFH 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 – General eligibility

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

- on the first day of Term one
 - on the first day of Term two
- a) be a holder of one or more of the eligible financially-means tested cards **OR** be a temporary foster parent, and;
- b) submit an application to the school by the due date.

For the list of eligible financially-means tested cards refer to the CSEF Policy:

<https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund/policy>

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 the above.

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

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

Special Consideration

A special consideration category exists for

- Families on a bridging visa, temporary protection visa, in community detention or are asylum seeker families
- Students in temporary out of home care arrangements, including statutory kinship care

For more information, see <https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/camps-sports-and-excursions-fund/guidance/eligibility>

Eligibility Date

For concession card holders CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/carer's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either term one (28 January 2022) or term two (26 April 2022).

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/about/programs/Pages/csef.aspx

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/carers 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/CARER 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.
If you are seeking special consideration, mark this in the form and provide a copy of the relevant documentation.
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 2022 closes on the 26 June 2022.