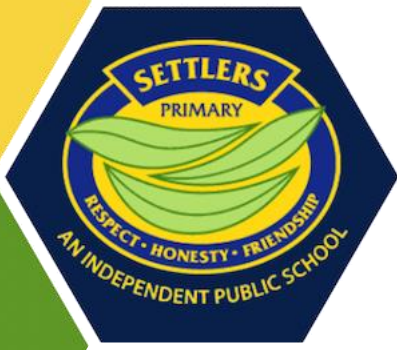


# Principal's blog



**Week 10, 19-23 September**

As we move towards the holidays it's a great time to have a think about everything that we have achieved over the last 10 weeks of school. I'd like to thank the parents, community members, students and especially our staff for making my first term at the school so positive and impactful. As you prepare for the holidays take the time to speak with your children about what their highlights of the term have been, both personally and academically, as this reflection will then help them set goals for the remainder of the year.

We have some staffing changes in Term 4. We say goodbye and thank you to Robyn Shinnars, who has been teaching with us in a fixed term capacity in 2022. Kimberly Preedy, who has been acting as Deputy Principal in the 5/6 phase will be returning to the classroom in Term 4.

Debbie Mackenzie, one of our substantive Deputy Principals, will be on leave for Term 4 and the entirety of 2023. We wish her the very best for her time away and are looking forward to her return in 2024. A process will be run to fill her position in Term 4 and beyond.

Finally, we congratulate Phoebe Anderson, who has been seconded to act as Principal of Woodanilling Primary School in the Wheatbelt. The Department's gain is our loss, and we wish her the very best with her first Principalship!

Enjoy the break!

Mr P

**This Week**

- **22 September** - Public Holiday
- **23 September** - Footy colours **and** crazy hair day

**Coming Up**

- **10 October** - Student Free Day
- **11 October** - Jump and Throws Carnival
- **13 October** - Junior Athletics Carnival
- **14 October** - Senior Athletics Carnival



# Around the School

## Year 6 Camp

The Year 6 students braved some wild weather and challenging conditions on their camp to Dwellingup Last week. Teambuilding, Flying Foxes, Rock Climbing, Commando Courses, Quiz Nights and Night Walks were all on the menu as the students stepped out of their comfort zones and worked together to have a fantastic time. A huge thank you to the Year 6 staff, as well as the parents who all worked together to make such an engaging experience for the children.

## Year 1 Excursion

On Friday 16th September 2022 the Year 1 classes, teachers and parent helpers had a fun-filled day at Perth Zoo. Students had a great time exploring the zoo, visiting the animals up close and answering questions on what they observed. The weather was beautiful, and the animals were out enjoying the sunshine!

## Photos

