



A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

WHAT A GREAT START BACK TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR. IT REALLY WAS WONDERFUL TO SEE ALL THE CHILDREN BURST THROUGH THE DOORS TO MEET THEIR NEW TEACHER AND SEE FRIENDS.

OVER THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS, THE TRUST HAVE COMPLETED SOME SIGNIFICANT INTERNAL WORKS AT VICTORIA. THIS HAS CREATED AN EVEN BETTER SCHOOL FOR YOUR CHILDREN. WE NOW HAVE A 'HEART SPACE' FOR GROUP AND PARENT SESSIONS, A 'MIND SPACE' (LIBRARY) AND A LEARNING SPACE CALLED 'THE PULSE' WHICH WILL TRANSFORM THE OFFER FOR OUR CHILDREN. THEY EVEN HAVE SOME NEW SWISH TOILETS!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO INVITING YOU INTO SCHOOL IN THE COMING WEEKS TO SEE OUR WONDERFUL SCHOOL AND THE INTERNAL DEVELOPMENTS FOR YOUR CHILDREN.

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A VERY WARM WELCOME BACK TO THE NEW ACADEMIC YEAR. WE HAVE HAD A LOVELY WEEK IN SCHOOL. THE CHILDREN ARE SETTLING INTO THEIR NEW CLASSES WELL AND THERE ARE LOTS OF HAPPY, SMILEY FACES!

WE HAVE HAD SOME MAJOR BUILDING PROJECTS GOING ON OVER THE SUMMER WHICH HAVE MADE A HUGE DIFFERENCE TO OUR SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT. THE TRANSFORMATION IS AMAZING AND IS A RESULT OF SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT FROM THE TRUST IN OUR LEARNING SPACES. WE ARE SO GRATEFUL TO THEM FOR MAKING OUR SCHOOL LOOK BEAUTIFUL! CHECK OUT THE PHOTOS BELOW!

Mrs Courtney

ATTENDANCE

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS **92%**

Comets	90.0%
Super Novas	58.6%
Nursery	94.4%
REF	82%
RCW	85.3%
1JR	94.2%
1/2NC	94.0%
2MH	94.9%
3LG	90.1%
3/4CC	97.3%
4LP	96.9%
5EM	95.2%
5/6EG	93.2%
6RM	94.7%
Number of lates this week	21

OUR TARGET IS 97%

3/4CC & Nursery

PE TIMETABLE

PE kits need to include a white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. For colder weather a sports jumper and joggers.

Please bring your child's PE kit on a Monday morning and leave it in school for the week to be returned on Friday.

Don't forget to label your child's clothes.

Nursery	Thursday	
RECEPTION	Thursday	
YEAR 1	Thursday	
YEAR 1/2	Thursday	
Year 3	Tuesday	Friday
Year 3/4	Tuesday	Friday
Year 4	Tuesday	Friday
YEAR 5	Friday	
YEAR 5/6	Friday	
YEAR 6	Friday	



We kindly ask all families to log in to the Arbor app and check that your contact details are up to date. This includes your phone number, email address, and postal address.

WATER BOTTLES



Just a gentle reminder to please fill your child's daily school bottle with plain water only. This prevents sticky spills and keeps our little learners perfectly hydrated all day. Thanks!

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HEART SPACE

Over the summer, VPA underwent exciting renovations to create three new rooms: The Heart Space (pictures below), The Mind Space (our new library) and The Pulse room for learning support. Specially designed to support children, parents and community groups, The Heart Space allows us to expand our school's offer even further. We can't wait to share these incredible new spaces with you this year!

