



**Merrijig Primary School  
No. 1379**

**Today is a good day to  
try!**

### **Principal News:**

*Welcome to Week 3 everyone!*

*It has been a busy start to the term. I have enjoyed hearing all about the skiing adventures. Thanks to Cathy for all her hard work around the organisation of the skiing experience, and the upcoming camp in Melbourne. Details around the camp will be shared soon.*

*Tom has continued the nature program, and students have again really enjoyed the campfire conversations and fun activities. Lego club has also been engaging and has been run by Kristy, Speech Pathologist, who is helping students with social skills and oral language development.*

*We have secured training on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> August. Thanks for your understanding around keeping your children at home that day, whilst we do some additional professional development.*

*Some of the older children have started participating in the Writer's Online Workshop, and the feedback was positive after the first session. Once the sessions have been completed, there will be an in-person event for the children to attend in Yea on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September. Sounds fun!*

*Again, please let me know if you have any questions, feedback, or something you'd like to discuss.*

*Enjoy the sunshine and looking forward to catching up with you all during the week.*

**Department of  
Education and Training**

**Term 3, Week 3**

**August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

### **Important dates:**

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> –Teacher Professional  
Development Day—NO STUDENTS!  
Fridays—Skiing**

Snow Fun!!!



## PARENTS/FRIENDS

**Thank you to the families who have provided additional ski gear for other families to use this ski season.**

### Absence Notes

The government requires all absences to be approved via a **written communication** with the school. Remember 'It's Not OK To Be Away'. **You can enter your child's absence on uEducateUs, or on the telephone also.**

### FINANCE

**Parents with outstanding accounts are able to pay off your invoices through Bpay. Your reference code is on your invoice.**

**ALL CHILDREN SHOULD BE SENT TO SCHOOL WITH A BOTTLE CONTAINING ONLY WATER PLEASE.**



*Respect for Self, Others  
and the Environment.*

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## A visit with our friends from Timbertop



Resilience Project  
Message:

The only person who is  
educated is the one who  
has learned how to  
learn...and change

**If you would like your  
child to have a warm pie  
on Wednesdays please  
send it wrapped in foil  
with their name on top**

Merrijig Primary School is currently reviewing the Child Safety and Wellbeing Policies. If you would like to contribute to this process or provide feedback please contact Kimberly in the office. Copies of these and other policies can be found on the school website and in the office.

## Sun's out - Fun's out!



Merrijig Primary School Yard Duty Timetable Term 3 2025					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:15am	Before School  Kylie Vanessa	Before School  Matt Bailee	Before School  Cathy Cassie	Before School  Matt Vanessa	Before School  Cathy Vanessa
11.00-11.30	Recess  Bailee	Recess  Vanessa	Recess  Vanessa	Recess  Bailee	Recess  Cassie
1.30-2.30	Lunch  Andrea Cassie	Lunch  Kylie Bailee	Lunch  Kylie Kimberly	Lunch  Kylie Sue	Lunch  Cathy Matt
2.30-3.30	Bus  Andrea	Bus  Matt	Bus  Matt	Bus  Cathy	Bus  Matt