



# THORN LIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 2 Week 4

Wednesday 8th May 2024

## Together We Grow

### GROWTH, RESPECT, OPPORTUNITY, WORTH

#### Welcome to All

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been great to see our students settling back in this term to class routines. Students will receive their Semester 1 Reports at the end of Term 2.

#### PARENT / TEACHER COMMUNICATION

A reminder that parents and carers are welcome to contact their child's class teacher if they require information regarding their child's progress and achievement. Feel free to call or email the school. Alternatively class teachers may contact parents if they need to meet and discuss any matters relating to your child's schooling.

#### TERM 2 PARENT CALENDAR

A reminder to check the term calendar for upcoming events and dates.

#### AFTER SCHOOL HOURS & PLAYGROUNDS

A friendly reminder that all school playgrounds are out of bounds before and after school. Students are not permitted to stay and play on the oval area after school and must travel home immediately.

#### EXCURSION & INCURSION SUBSIDY FOR STUDENTS 2024

In order to provide support to our students to attend incursions or excursions this year the school will provide a subsidy to reduce the overall cost.

#### FOOD ALLERGIES

A reminder that some of our students have allergies to foods such as peanuts and tree nuts. We respectfully ask that Parents and Carers for this reason DO NOT send nuts or nut products to school in lunch boxes. We ask that food is NOT shared amongst other students. We ask that you please reinforce this message at home with your children. Thank you.

#### MOBILE PHONES AND SMART WATCHES AT SCHOOL

Parents/carers, please remind your children that if they bring their mobile phone or a smart watch to school, they must hand these into the front office on arrival at school (IEC office for IEC students) and then get their phone or watch before leaving the school. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

#### HATS AT PLAY TIMES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Staff are requesting support from parents/carers in ensuring their child has a hat for school and to encourage children to bring their hat to school and wear it when they go outside for play and sport. During these warm months, it is very important that students have a hat for play and physical education.

#### BREAKFAST CLUB

A reminder that our before school breakfast club operates every Monday and Thursday from 8am in the covered assembly area. All students are welcome to attend.

Lee Woodcock  
Principal

Parents/Caregivers

Please remember when taking photographs and videos of school assemblies and events that they are for your personal use only and CANNOT be uploaded to social media sites such as Facebook or websites such as YouTube. Thank you.



# THORN LIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Term 2 Parent Calendar 2024

T2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	15 Apr School Development Day Students Do Not Attend	16 Apr Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	17 Apr	18 Apr Breakfast Club	19 Apr
2	22 Apr Early Close 2.30pm AEDC Data Collection PP only Assembly: Student Leaders Breakfast Club Future Seekers Yr 5/6	23 Apr Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	24 Apr Newsletter ANZAC SERVICE 10.00AM	25 Apr ANZAC Day Public Holiday Students Do Not Attend	26 Apr
3	29 Apr Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club Future Seekers Yr 5/6	30 Apr Playgroup 9.00am-10.40	1 May	2 May Breakfast Club	3 May
4	6 May Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club Assembly: Student Leaders Future Seekers Yr 5/6	7 May Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	8 May Newsletter TSHS Yr 6 Intro 1.40pm	9 May Breakfast Club	10 May
5	13 May Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club Future Seekers Yr 5/6	14 May Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	15 May	16 May Breakfast Club	17 May
6	20 May Early Close 2.30pm Assembly: Rms 12,13,14 Breakfast Club Future Seekers Yr 5/6	21 May Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	22 May Newsletter	23 May Breakfast Club School Board Meeting - 9am	24 May Reconciliation WA Incursion (Rms 5,6,7,19)
7	27 May Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club Future Seekers Yr 5/6 Water Corp Incursion Yr 3-6 Reconciliation Week	28 May Playgroup 9.00am-10.30 Reconciliation Week	29 May Reconciliation Week	30 May Breakfast Club Reconciliation Week	31 May SERCL Incursion Yr 1-2 Reconciliation Week
8	3 June WA Day Public Holiday Students Do Not Attend	4 June Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	5 June Newsletter	6 June Breakfast Club	7 June
9	10 June Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club Assembly: Student Leaders	11 June Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	12 June	13 June Breakfast Club Koora Waangkininy Boodjar Activity- Year 5 students	14 June
10	17 June Early Close 2.30pm Breakfast Club	18 June Playgroup 9.00am-10.30	19 June Newsletter	20 June Breakfast Club	21 June
11	24 June Early Close 2.30pm NAIDOC Week- Opening Assembly 9am	25 June NAIDOC Week- Whole school incursion 11.10am Playgroup 8.40-10.40	26 June NAIDOC Week Reports issued to Students.	27 June NAIDOC Week	28 June NAIDOC Week Final day Term 2

Students Return for Term 3, Tuesday 16 July 2024



# THORNIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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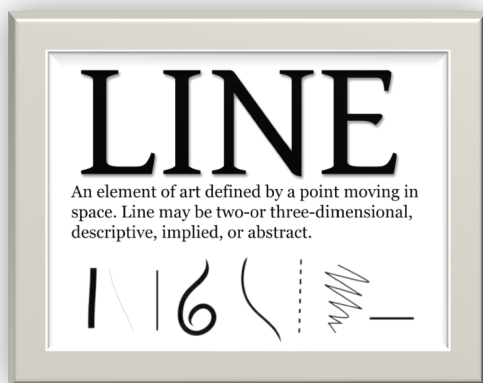
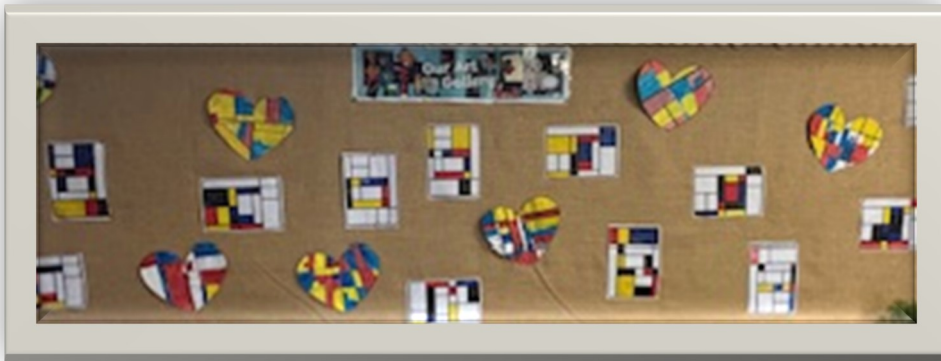
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**\*\* Term 3 commences Tuesday 16 July 2024\*\***

# What's been happening in Room 1

The students in Room 1 have been learning about lines and primary colours, and were introduced to the Artist, Piet Mondrian.

Mondrian was a pioneer of abstract art which focuses on using a range of thick and thin lines to create geometric shapes and then fill these with bold, primary colours. First we used a template and then had a go at making our own.





# HONOUR CERTIFICATES



Congratulations to the following Students who received Honour Awards at our last Assembly.

EC2	Eugene S,	Rebecca C,
EC3	Maya L,	Sayhan J,
Room 1	Isaiah J,	Malaika S,
Room 2	Bilal R,	Sarah Y,
Room 3	Marwa A,	Leia E,
Room 6	Jacob W,	Saja A,
Room 7	Connor H,	
Room 7B	Zahra A,	Boling W,
Room 8	Zac R,	
Room 10	Abbas A,	
Room 13	Matthew M,	
Room 14	Taksh S,	Yazn A,
Room 15	Elham K,	Allu L,
Room 18	Kaiwan N,	Mahnaz,
Room 19	Hamza M,	Hniang K M

# IN-TERM VACATION ABSENCES

The Department of Education does not support students going on vacation during the school term. In line with Department of Education guidelines parents are required to seek *Principal* authorisation at least two weeks prior to holiday departure.

Please visit the front office to complete a form.

Please visit the office and complete a “Extended Absence from School” form if you intend to take your child out of school for this reason.

**Kindergarten  
enrolments  
are open**

**Contact us  
today**

# 2025 Year 7 Important Dates

Applications for Enrolment open Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2024 (Week 2, Term 2).

Applications close Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 (Week 11, Term 2).



## Parent Information Evening

Date: Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (Week 9, Term 2)

Time: 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Venue: Staff Room (*follow the signs*)

## SAER Transition Day – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2024

Parents will be contacted if their child is selected to attend the SAER Day

## Transition Days

### Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024

- South Thornlie Primary School
- Yale Primary School
- Huntingdale Primary School
- Students who cannot attend on the Thursday from non-feeder primary schools (by appointment only).

### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2024

- Forest Crescent Primary School
- Thornlie Primary School
- All students from other Primary Schools

## Parent Tours – Prospective Students

The tour commences at 10:00am at administration and concludes around 10:30am.

The scheduled dates are:

### Term 3

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2024

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2024

### Term 4

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2024

## Instrumental Music Program - Parent Orientation

in the Green Room (*follow the signs*)

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 3:30pm

*Please contact the school on 6235 7900 to register your attendance.*

## Testing Dates for Specialised and Scholarship Programs

Netball	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2024	8:45am – 10:45am
Music	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024	9:00am – 9:30am
Rugby	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	8:00am – 10:30am
Academic Challenge	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	9:00am – 10:00am
Cheerleading & Dance	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	8:45am – 9:45am





PLAYGROUP WA INVITES YOU TO ATTEND:

# Thornlie Playgroup



**WHEN:** Tuesdays

**WHERE:** Thornlie Primary School

**WHEN:** 9:00am - 10:30am

**BRING:** Piece of fruit/morning tea, water bottle and hat

At playgroup you can have fun playing with your child, meet other parents and familiarise your child with the school environment ready for future school years.

For further information contact Lynette Booth by phone/email:  
phone 0451 191 044  
boothlynette@gmail.com





Department of  
Education

# The WA Student Assistance Payment

Helping you get  
the things you need  
for your kids.

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## \$150

For each Kindergarten  
and primary school student

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## \$250

For each secondary  
school student

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To help ease cost-of-living pressures on families with school-aged children, the State Government is offering the WA Student Assistance Payment.

This payment is to help you get the things you need for your kids. From new school shoes, backpacks and sports equipment to uniforms, healthy meals, school excursions and more.

### Get ready to claim

Download the ServiceWA app to your mobile device.

Available from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.

Locate the student's 8-digit WA student number (WASN).

You'll find it on:

- school reports
- previous NAPLAN results
- secondary student's SmartRider

If you have trouble locating the number, contact your school for assistance.

Claims open Monday 15 April

For more information about the WA Student Assistance Payment and how to claim, go to [education.wa.edu.au/wasap](https://education.wa.edu.au/wasap)

Claim on the  
ServiceWA app

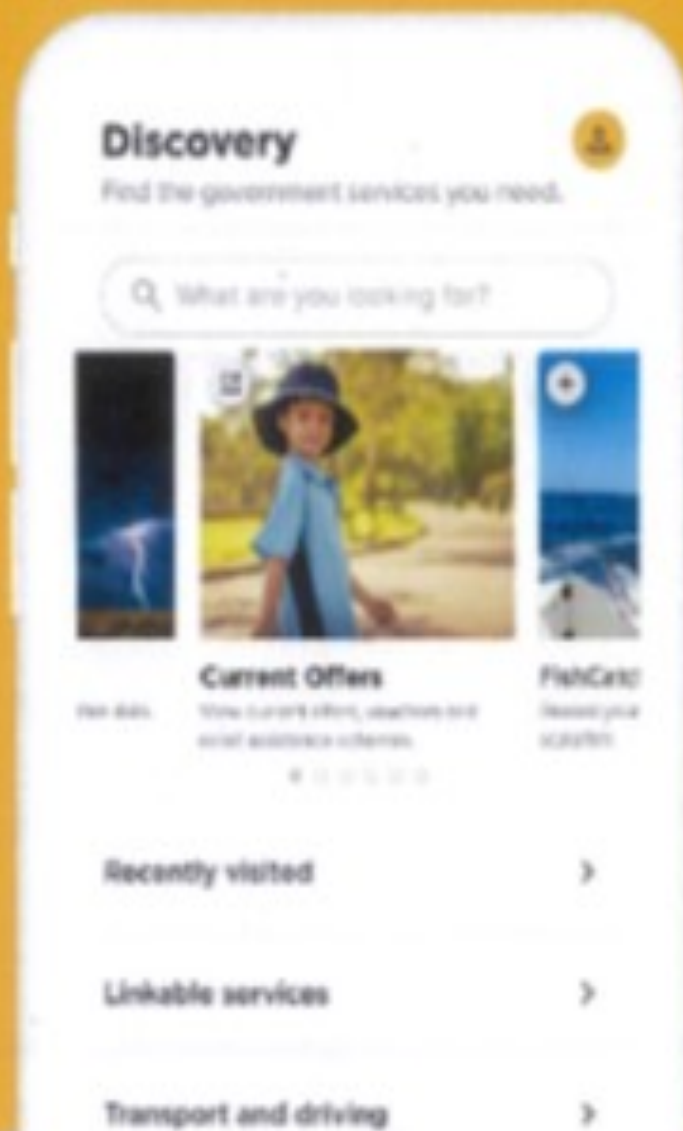




# ALTERNATIVE CLAIMS METHOD FOR STUDENT ASSISTANCE PAYMENT



The **fastest** and most convenient way to access the **WA Student Assistance Payment**





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AGRICULTURAL  
SOCIETY  
of WA

FREE  
ENTRY

Your primary school is invited to compete!

# AGRICULTURE IN CHILDRENS RHYMES & STORIES

Perth Royal Show 2024 Scarecrow Competition

This year's theme is Agriculture in Childrens Rhymes and Stories. Think Old McDonalds Farm, Little Bo Peep, This Little Piggy, Mary Had a little lamb and more!



NEW AGE  
GROUPS

Now split into  
K-2 & years 3-6

SCHOOLS  
CAN ENTER  
EITHER  
GROUP OR  
BOTH

Proudly supported by

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Term starts  
Monday 22 April

# Tumble Tots

Tumble Tots classes are loads of fun, with varied activities to assist the growth and development of young minds and bodies.

**Skills developed:**

- Singing, dancing and climbing
- Strength, coordination and agility
- Build confidence and social skills

**(1 – 2 years)**

**Mondays**

9.15am – 10.15am  
10.30am – 11.30am

**Wednesdays**

9.15am – 10.15am

**(2 – 4 years)**

**Tuesdays**

9.15am – 10.15am  
10.30am – 11.30am

**Thursdays**

9.15am – 10.15am

**\$73.50** per child per term



**Bookings are essential**

Richard Rushton Community Centre  
24 Baron Way, Gosnells

There will be no classes on Thursday 25 April 2024 and Monday 3 June 2024 due to the Anzac Day and WA Day public holidays.

# Families Programs

## Creative Kids

**Skills developed:**

- Build confidence and social skills
- Learn how to use a range of craft tools such as scissors and paintbrushes
- Promotes creativity

Suitable for children aged 2 – 4 years  
Babies in strollers can attend for free

**Tuesdays** (2 – 4 years)

9.30am – 10.30am

Creative Kids is a fun program for parents and their children to be creative with themed craft activities each week.

**\$36.75** per child per term



**Bookings are essential**

Huntingdale Community Centre  
Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

## older Creative Kids

**Skills developed:**

- Build confidence and social skills
- Independence using craft tools such as scissors, glue and paint
- Promotes creativity

Suitable for children aged 5 – 8 years  
Babies in strollers can attend for free

**Thursdays** (5 – 8 years)

3.30pm – 4.30pm

Creative Kids is a fun program for parents and their children to be creative with themed craft activities each week.

**\$36.75** per child per term



**Bookings are essential**

Huntingdale Community Centre  
Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale



### Acknowledgement to Country

*Nidja Boodjar* (Here is the earth),  
*Nidja Worl* (Here is the sky),  
*Nidja Ngany Koorda* (Here are my friends),  
*Nidja Ngany* (Here am I).

We thank the Whadjuk people for the lands on which we learn and play,

*Maara* (Hands) up, *Maara* (Hands) down,  
we are on Whadjuk ground!



ALL families welcome

## Park Play

From Wednesday 24 April

Bring the kids and join in the fun with messy activities, big games and sports equipment. Be sure to dress for the weather and bring a drink and snacks.

**No bookings required**

### Park Play locations

**Wednesdays**

9.30am – 11.30am

**24 April (Possum's 5th Birthday)**

Mills Park Playground  
Brixton Street, Beckenham

**1 May**

Tom Bateman Playground  
Wilfred Road, Thornlie

**8 May | 15 May**

Harmony Fields Reserve  
Alcock Street, Maddington

**22 May**

Mills Park Playground  
Brixton Street, Beckenham

**29 May**

Homestead Park  
Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

**5 June**

Sutherlands All Abilities Playground  
Holmes Street, Huntingdale

**12 June**

Robinson Park Playground  
Corfield Street, Gosnells

**19 June**

Walter Padbury Playground  
Elvington Way, Thornlie

**26 June**

Alexandria Boulevard Reserve Playground  
Illawarra Crescent, Canning Vale

**Fridays**

9.30am – 11.30am

**26 April**

Homestead Park  
Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

**3 May**

Harmony Fields  
Alcock Street, Maddington

**10 May**

Sutherlands All Abilities Playground  
Holmes Street, Huntingdale

**17 May**

Homestead Park  
Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

**24 May**

Walter Padbury Playground  
Elvington Way, Thornlie

**31 May**

Tom Bateman Playground  
Wilfred Road, Thornlie

**7 June**

Harmony Fields Reserve  
Alcock Street, Maddington

**14 June**

Mills Park Playground  
Brixton Street, Beckenham

**21 June**

Tom Bateman Playground  
Wilfred Road, Thornlie

**28 June**

Homestead Park  
Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

**Saturdays**

9.30am – 11.30am

**18 May**

Huntingdale Community Centre  
Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

## Baby Play

From Monday 22 April

Meet other new parents and enjoy play time with your little one in these fun and relaxed Baby Play sessions.

Learn new songs with Rhyme Time at the end of each session.

**No bookings required**

**Mondays** (0 – 18 months only)

9.30am – 10.30am

**11am – 12pm**

Huntingdale Community Centre  
Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

**Wednesdays** (0 – 12 months only)

9.15am – 10.15am

10.30am – 11.30am

Richard Rushton Community Centre  
24 Baron Way, Gosnells

## Play and Learn at the Shops

From Tuesday 23 April

A fun, play-based weekly program for children aged 3 – 5 years that focuses on the skills children need to develop before heading to school.

Maddington Central shopping centre  
Corner Burslem Drive and Atfield Street, Maddington

**No bookings required**

**Tuesdays**

1.00pm – 2.00pm

## Story Time at the Shops

From Thursday 2 May

Join us at Maddington Central for fun children's activities and a story time.

Maddington Central shopping centre  
Corner Burslem Drive and Atfield Street, Maddington

**No bookings required**

**Thursdays**

9.30am – 10.30am





Australian Early Development Census

## Thornlie Primary School

### **Building a national picture of child health**

**From May 2024, our school, along with thousands of others across the country, will participate in the Australian Early Development Census (AEDC).**

The AEDC is a teacher-completed census (similar to a questionnaire) which provides a comprehensive picture of how children have developed by the time they start their first year of full-time school.

The AEDC is an Australian Government Initiative and is completed nationally every three years.

Children don't miss any class time while the AEDC is completed, and parents/carers don't need to supply schools with any new information.

The data collected through the AEDC is used by schools, communities, and governments to better understand children and families' needs, and identify the services, resources and support they need.

AEDC data is reported at a school, community, state/territory and national level. AEDC results for individual children are not reported and the AEDC is not used as an individual diagnostic tool.

Some teachers have found that completing the AEDC made them more aware of the needs of individual children and their class, and that the data was useful for planning for transitions to Year 1 and developing programs.

Participation in the AEDC is voluntary, however the AEDC relies on all schools with children in their first year of full-time school participating in the collection. Parents/carers don't need to take any action unless they choose not to include their children in the census.

To find out more about the AEDC and how it is being used to help children and families visit:

[www.aedc.gov.au](http://www.aedc.gov.au).



## The 2024 Australian Early Development Census

# Every school counts

The Australian Early Development Census (AEDC) is a national census that builds a picture of how children have developed by the time they start their first year of full-time school.

Every school has a vital role to play in helping our nation collect the information it needs to better understand and respond to the needs of children and their families.

Since 2009, communities, schools and governments across Australia have used AEDC results to help provide services, resources and supports that give our kids the best start in life.

From May 2024, teachers will complete the census for children in their first year of full-time school.

AEDC results for individual children are not reported and individual children cannot be identified.

With the support of parents/carers and schools, we can build a more complete picture of early childhood development in Australia. If parents/carers consent to the collection of their child's information they do not need to do anything. Parents/carers only need to contact the school if they do not consent to the collection of their child's information.

To find out more about the AEDC and how schools, communities and governments are using the data to help children and families, visit [www.aedc.gov.au](http://www.aedc.gov.au).







**Lynwood**  
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL



# ENVIRONMENT & LIFE SCIENCES

## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

The Environment and Life Sciences Program at Lynwood Senior High School is an academic enrichment program that provides students with access to an accelerated curriculum in key learning areas.

Students in EaLS also participate in cross-curricular projects in school, incursions, community partnerships and excursions. The additional educational opportunities offered in EaLS focus on sustainability, environmental education, STEM skills and increasing the overall academic performance of students.



Apply via QR code

**APPLICATIONS  
OPEN NOW  
FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS**

**For Test Dates**  
Please see our website  
[www.lynwood.wa.edu.au](http://www.lynwood.wa.edu.au)



**Lynwood**  
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL



# SOCCER ACADEMY

## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

The Lynwood Senior High School Soccer Program is an approved sports specialist program through the Department of Education.

Students in the Soccer Program participate in school and regional competitions. There are opportunities provided to students within the program to achieve coaching and referee licenses as well as attend International Tours.

Three Scholarships are awarded each year to one male student, one female student and one Aboriginal student who display leadership qualities.



Apply via QR code

**APPLICATIONS  
OPEN NOW  
FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS**

**For Trial Dates**  
Please see our website  
[www.lynwood.wa.edu.au](http://www.lynwood.wa.edu.au)





Dear parent or carer,

Your State Government recognises the cost of living pressures Western Australian families are facing, as a result of higher interest rates and increased day-to-day costs.

Providing cost of living support to Western Australians is our number one priority.

We also believe that nobody in Western Australia should be left behind in their education. All students should have what they need for school – regardless of their financial situation.

**That's why we are pleased to introduce a new initiative to help with cost of living pressures for families with school-aged children.**

**The new WA Student Assistance Payment will provide parents and carers with a \$250 payment for each secondary student, and \$150 for each primary school student or kindergartener.**

You will need a valid WA Student Number (WASN) to be eligible for the payment. Please see attached important information on where to find your child's WASN.

The payments will be available through the ServiceWA app from the start of Term 2 (April 15), and we encourage you to use the coming weeks to set up your ServiceWA account and digital identity. Further information is available at [wa.gov.au/servicewaapp](http://wa.gov.au/servicewaapp).

Visit [education.wa.edu.au/wasap](http://education.wa.edu.au/wasap) for information on eligibility and how to claim.

We hope this initiative provides both relief to the family budget and an important investment in your child's education.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Roger Cook".

**Hon Roger Cook MLA**  
Premier of Western Australia

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tony Buti".

**Hon Dr Tony Buti MLA**  
Minister for Education

## CHAPLAINCY



### What does a YouthCARE Chaplain do?

At YouthCARE we believe school chaplaincy matters. By focusing on the wellbeing of students, parents and teachers in WA school communities, we're making a real difference to educational outcomes.

Your school chaplain forms an integral part of your school by:

- providing pastoral care for staff, students and families
- linking schools with the local community, support agencies and organisations
- playing an active role assisting and supporting school events
- facilitating pastoral support programs and resources
- supporting, mentoring, encouraging and empowering the school community

**Respect • Compassion • Service**

Our core values underpin everything we do.

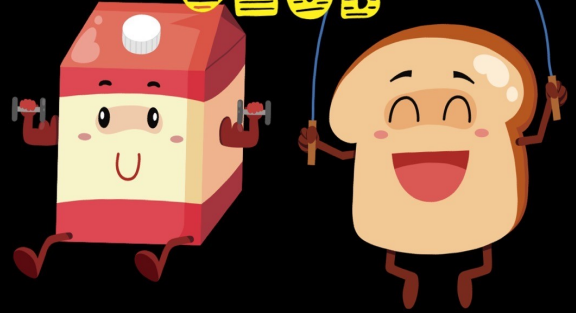


[www.youthcare.org.au](http://www.youthcare.org.au)



# THE RETURN OF

# BREAKFAST CLUB



## THURSDAY

## 23RD FEBRUARY

## 8.15AM

## USEFUL INFORMATION

School Hours: Mondays 8.40am—2.30pm  
Tues -Fri 8.40am to 3.00pm

Please ensure all students are at school ready to commence the day at 8.40am and collected at 2.30pm or 3.00pm when the school siren sounds. Classroom doors open at 8.30am

Thornlie Primary School Bank Account  
BSB 066 040 Account: 19901172 Commonwealth Bank

Dentist: At Thornlie Primary School Ph: 9459 7540



To help your child participate in Crunch&Sip® please provide a clean, clear plastic bottle of water and a small piece of fruit or vegetable each day. The bottle for water can be any clean clear bottle (e.g. empty juice, cordial, water or sports drink bottle etc.). The fruit can be any variety of whole or chopped fruit (e.g. apple, chopped melon etc.) or vegies such as carrot or celery sticks. Other drinks or foods are not permitted in the classroom.

School Watch encourages the school community to report any suspicious activity in an around school grounds, after hours and on weekends, as well as during school holidays. Telephone 1800 177 777 (freecall) or 13 14 44 (WA Police)

## SCHOOL WEBSITE

All information for parents is posted on our website including fortnightly Newsletters, Term Planners, Enrolment Forms and information about upcoming events.

Our school website is very user friendly, you can find us at [thornlieps.wa.edu.au](http://thornlieps.wa.edu.au)







Perth-based author, TED speaker, educator, performer and entertainer



presents

# MEET YOUR POWER!

Wednesday 29 May

4.30pm – 5.30pm

Mills Park Library, 86 Brixton Street, Beckenham

Discover what it means to have *period power* from the author of *Period Queen*, Lucy Peach.

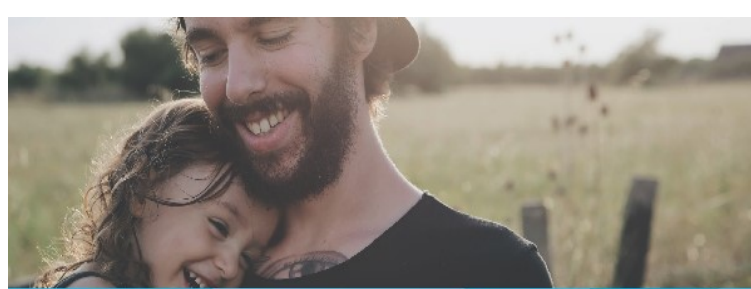
Through a combination of song, stories and education, Lucy's presentation will engage, entertain, and reframe the way attendees think about menstrual cycles.

All ages and genders are welcome.



Bookings are essential for this free event – visit the City's website or follow the QR code

gosnells.wa.gov.au | 9397 3000 | [/CityofGosnellsLibraries](#)



## Tuning in to Kids®

South East Metro Parenting Support Services

For Parents and Carers of children 3-12 years

### 1-session program

#### Workshop Overview

This interactive workshop will help parents and carers teach their children to understand and regulate their emotions. Children with good emotional intelligence often have better emotional, social and physical functioning, as well as fewer behavioural difficulties.

Tuning In to Kids is a parenting program that aims to provide helpful ways of teaching children the skills of emotional intelligence.

#### DATES

Mondays

6 May - 17 June 2024

(Public Holiday on Monday 3 June 2024)

#### TIME

9.30am - 11.30am

#### LOCATION

Communicare  
28 Cecil Avenue  
Cannington

#### COST

Free

#### CRECHE

Yes - bookings essential.  
Places are limited

#### BOOKING DETAILS

08 9251 5777

[parenting@communicare.org.au](mailto:parenting@communicare.org.au)

<https://www.trybooking.com/CQCNH>



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54 reasons  
South East Metro Parenting Support Services



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HEALTH  
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# FREE food and movement program for kids

Registrations OPEN



[www.betterhealthprogram.org](http://www.betterhealthprogram.org)



## NEW LIBRARY SHELVING & RESOURCES

Our library is now open and ready for students after receiving new shelving and resources. Our students and staff are very excited about the new learning space. Thankyou to Mrs K our school librarian for her fantastic work.



## FREE

We have 8 x double sided shelves in excellent condition to give away. Would be Great for the shed creating lots of storage for the home handyman. The measurements are 1633mm x 1733mm long The shelves are available for collection now. If interested you will need to arrange your own transport and helper.







GosTalks  
Free Event







## Understanding Your Child's Brain

- Does your child not fit into the educational box?
- Does your child seem to be learning differently?
- Does your child not enjoy school?

Explore different learning styles, identify how your child learns best and how their brain functions. Gain strategies to support your child's learning journey and the partnership between home and school.

Discussion will focus on the primary school years.



-  Wednesday 15 May 2024
-  6.00pm - 8.00pm
-  Maddington Community Centre  
19 Alcock Street, Maddington
-  9251 5777
-  [parenting@communicare.org.au](mailto:parenting@communicare.org.au)
-  <https://www.trybooking.com/CRDMN>



TURN ME  
OVER!

# Parenting Across Cultures

Did you grow up outside Australia and are now raising children inside Australia?

Meet with other parents in similar situations and share ideas about how we navigate this change whilst still preserving our family's culture.

(For parents and carers of children aged 0-18 years)



Bookings  
are  
essential

**Date:** Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024

**Time:** 12:00pm – 2:00pm

**Venue:** Child and Parent Centre, 26 Brookman Ave, Langford

**For more information please:**

**Email:** [CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au](mailto:CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au)

**(Creche is available)**





EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST  
**SOCCER SCHOOLS**  
AT Bletchley Park Primary School  
Southern River

**Saturday 27th April - 29th June**

**Littlies 3 & 4 years 9.00 am 30 mins**  
**Middlies 5, 6 & 7 years 9.45 am 45 mins**  
**Biggies 8, 9 & 10 years 11.00 am 60 mins**  
**Teenies 11, 12 & 13 years 11.00 am 60 mins**

Bsb No: 036231 Acc No: 228584

**10**  
week  
program



**Contact Nick today & reserve your place!**

Bletchley Park Primary School take no responsibility for any sporting activity being held on school grounds after school hours. Under no circumstances should contact be made directly to Bletchley Park Primary School. All correspondences must go directly through to the soccer school.

**Office: 9304 8111 Mobile: 0409 118 228**

**Email: [nick1965@bigpond.com](mailto:nick1965@bigpond.com) [www.ncsoccerschools.com.au](http://www.ncsoccerschools.com.au)**

**HOME READERS**

**URGENTLY NEEDED**

Still need helpers for changing books for Mondays and alternate Fridays.

If interested, please contact Thornlie Primary School or Tammy on 04500484389.



THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
IS NOW TARGETING

**RESPECT YOURSELF**



Thornlie Primary School

Respect yourself - Respect Others -  
Respect the Environment

Thornlie Primary School is a BUZ school!




BUZ Life Skills is a proactive, wholesome approach that enables children to develop emotional and social well-being.




Rooms 7B, 8 and 10 are learning about personal and group power through BUZ Power this term. Each week there will be a symbol for personal and group powers...

**The Power to Re-store and Re-charge.**



**The Power to Co-operate.**



www.buildupzon



**BECOME A FRIENDSHIP MAGNET**

- Smile
- Show Interest
- Listen Attentively
- Be Inclusive

little life lessons • BIG life skills



The Thornlie Primary School Chaplain is available in the Community Room for a confidential 'chat' with students, families and staff from the school community on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Appointments can be made through the school office on 9232 3450, or just drop in to the Community Room.

Christine Thomas  
School Chaplain



## Seasons For Growth

### Living with change and loss

Change and loss are issues that affect all of us at some stage in our lives. At Thornlie Primary School we recognise that when changes occur in families through death, separation, divorce and related circumstances, young people may benefit from learning how to manage these changes effectively. We are therefore offering a very successful education program called *Seasons for Growth* which will commence in this term. This program is facilitated in small groups and is based on research which highlights the importance of social support and the need to practise new skills to cope effectively with change and loss. The program focuses on issues such as self-esteem, managing feelings, problem-solving, decision-making, effective communication and support networks.

If you think your child would benefit from Seasons for Growth we would encourage you to talk to him/her about participating in the program.

Thornlie Primary School is pleased to be offering this important program through the Chaplaincy Service and we are confident that it will be a valuable learning experience for those who request to be involved. If you require further information, please contact the school chaplain, Christine Thomas, on 9232 3450 or go to <https://www.goodgrief.org.au/>

Christine Thomas

(Chaplain and Seasons for Growth Companion/  
Site Co-ordinator)



CoderDojo movement believes that an understanding of programming languages is increasingly important in the modern world, that it's both better and easier to learn these skills early, and that nobody should be denied the opportunity to do so.

To that end, we've built a global network of free, volunteer-led, community-based programming clubs for young people. Anyone aged seven to seventeen can visit a Dojo where they can learn to code, build a website, create an app or a game, and explore technology in an informal, creative, and social environment.

Choose your challenge:

1. Scratch
2. Javascript
3. Python
4. Lego Mindstorms now with Micropython!
5. Arduino Robots

CoderDojo Thornlie  
Lot 205 / 24A Wynyard Way Thornlie  
Western Australia  
Tuesdays 4pm - 5:30pm, Weekly  
[thornlie.au@coderdojo.com](mailto:thornlie.au@coderdojo.com)

**Next event on Tuesday, February 27th**

Register at: <https://zen.coderdojo.com/dojos/au/thornlie-wa/thornlie-thornlie-community-church>





PLAYGROUP WA INVITES YOU TO ATTEND:

# Thornlie Playgroup



**WHEN:** Tuesdays  
**WHERE:** Thornlie Primary School  
**WHEN:** 9:00am - 10:30am  
**BRING:** Piece of fruit/morning tea, water bottle and hat

At playgroup you can have fun playing with your child, meet other parents and familiarise your child with the school environment ready for future school years.

For further information contact Lynette Booth by phone/email:  
phone 0451 191 044  
boothlynette@gmail.com



# Australian Early Development Census

All schools are required to complete the AEDC in Term 2, 2024.

The AEDC gives us a complete picture of how children have developed by the time they start school. The data is used by schools, communities, and governments to plan services and supports that give our kids the best start in life.



Find out more [aedc.gov.au](http://aedc.gov.au)

Ikon Plan for AEDC



## CITY OF GOSNELLS

### Safer School Parking

Where you park matters

- Walk together, bike together or car pool
- Try arriving a bit earlier or later to avoid peak times
- Park a short distance from school and walk the rest of the way

### Safer School Parking

Where you park matters

Parking on verges or footpaths puts children at risk

City of Gosnells Rangers are working to keep your children safe by monitoring parking at local schools.

School Watch encourages the school community to report any suspicious activity in an around school grounds, after hours and on weekends, as well as during school holidays. Telephone 1800 177 777 (freecall) or 13 14 44 (WA Police)



# Multicultural Meet and Greet

Network with local cultural groups and service providers within the City of Gosnells to build relationships and explore opportunities to collaborate.



**When:**

Wed 6 March

Wed 5 June

Thurs 5 September

Wed 4 December

**Where:**

Connect@Kenwick  
Melaleuca Room  
82 Kenwick Road  
Kenwick

**Time:**

5.30pm  
to  
8pm

To register,  
please email  
[council@gosnells.wa.gov.au](mailto:council@gosnells.wa.gov.au)

Visit the City's website  
at [gosnells.wa.gov.au](http://gosnells.wa.gov.au) or  
phone 9397 3000 for  
more information



## Girls uniform

Zip Jacket



Green Polo Shirt  
(Not available through school)



New School Polo Shirt



Bucket hat



Skirt



~~Skort~~



Jazz Pants



Track pants



White Hijab



## Boys Uniform

Zip Jacket



Track  
Pants



New School Polo Shirt



Bucket Hat



Shorts



Green Polo  
(Not available through school)

