

THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 4 Week 2

Wednesday 18 October 2023

Together We Grow

GROWTH, RESPECT, OPPORTUNITY, WORTH

WELCOME TO ALL

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to Term 4!! The school has some exciting events planned for students this term. Parents and Carers please note these events and look out for additional information from the school.

CASUAL DRESS DAY TO SUPPORT VICTIMS OF THE AFGHANISTAN EARTHQUAKE

On Friday 20 October students may wear casual clothes and bring along a gold coin donation that will be donated to support families in Afghanistan. Donations are voluntary.

You may be aware that Afghanistan recently suffered a large earthquake that has unfortunately resulted in more than 1,300 deaths and 2,000 injuries. Approximately 19,000 people in total have been affected.

As we have many students who originate from this country we would like to make a donation to assist with aid for the affected area. All funds raised will be sent to **CARE Australia** who are directly supporting the victims of the Afghanistan Earthquake. Your support is appreciated.

BOOK FAIR

A reminder to students and Parents/Carers that the Book Fair commences on Monday November **20**th in the school Library.

P&C BOOK AWARD ASSEMBLY 2023

A reminder that our P&C Class Book Award Assembly will be held on Monday **27**th **Nov from** 1.45pm. Each class teacher will present two awards; an Endeavour Award and an Achievement Award. Parents and Carers are welcome to attend.

GRADUATION ASSEMBLY

The Year 6 Graduation Assembly will be held on Wednesday 13th December at 9.00am in the covered assembly area followed by a morning tea. Invites will be sent home shortly.

STUDENTS NOT RETURNING TO THORNLIE PS IN 2024

Parents/Carers, if you are aware that your child/ren will not be attending Thornlie Primary School in 2024 we kindly request that you inform the front office as soon as possible to allow for future class planning.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN TERM 4

| 27 October | Lynwood Super 7 Soccer Competition Learning Expo 3-4pm |
|------------------|---|
| 20-24th November | Book Fair |
| 27 November | P&C Book Awards Assembly 1.45pm |
| 30 November | Shipwreck Excursion Thornlie SHS Year 6 Orientation Carols in the School 4.30-6pm |
| 1 December | Parent helper Morning Tea |
| 12 December | Year 6 Graduation Excursion Semester 2 Student Reports sent home with Students |
| 13 December | Graduation Assembly 9.00am |
| 14 December | Final day Students |

SCHOOL BOARD

Are you interested in your child's education and would you like to be a member of our School Board? If you are, then please nominate for our School Board. Simply complete attached School Board Nomination form and return this to the front office. Additional information is available on our Website at thornlieps@education.wa.edu.au

The next School Board meeting will be held on Tuesday November 7th at 3.15pm in the staffroom. This will be a public meeting and open to all who would like to attend.

Kind Regards

Lee Woodcock
Principal

Parents/Caregivers

HONOUR AWARD WINNERS



UNIFORM NEWS

Our Uniform shop is now closed and Lowes at Maddington Metro are in the process of having full stock available for January 2024 in time for the new school year.

Parents and Carers will be able to access uniforms 7 days a week at a time that suits them. Online ordering and EFTPOS is available.

We suggest you apply for a LOWES ZERO CARD.. Which will give you the option to buy now pay later, 5% discount every time as well as exclusive discounts each term. https://www.lowes.com.au/zero

Keep a lookout for the special discount days.



USEFUL INFORMATION

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

Thornlie Primary School Bank Account

BSB 066 040 Account: 19901172 Commonwealth Bank

Dentist: At Thornlie Primary School Ph: 9459 7540

School Office: 9232 3450

Thornlie Intensive English Centre: 9232 3480

Student Absences SMS: Mob 0437 881 842

Education Security Ph: 1800 177 177

For School News and School Event Updates please go to our School Website thornlieps.wa.edu.au

VACSWIM SWIMMING LESSONS

Enrolments are closing soon for VacSwim summer swimming lessons.

VacSwim offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations across WA. It's a great school holiday activity that teaches valuable safety skills to help keep your child safe in the water.

Your children can start as young as five years old.

Hurry, places are limited, so enrol now at education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



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Spring season of wildflowers

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Thornlie Primary School Second Hand Uniforms

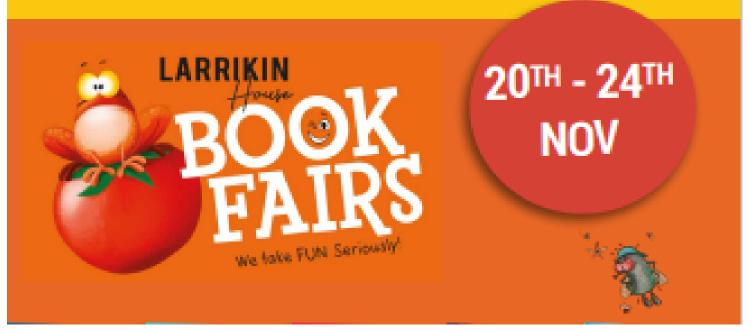
Facebook Page

https://www.facebook.com/groups/660752509214113/?mibextid=NSMWBT

Parents and Carers looking for second hand uniforms or wanting to donate their child's outgrown uniforms please see the above Facebook page.

You're Invited to the

Thornlie Primary School Book Fair



Our school is hosting a Book Fair with Larrikin House soon. Book Fairs are a great way to earn new resources for our school. Our school receives a generous commission on all sales from the fair.

Classes will have the chance to attend the Larrikin Book Fair during their library session and have the opportunity to make a 'wish list'; younger students will receive help with this. The wish lists will then be sent home so you can review them.

You will be able to review your child's choices and pre-order online using click & collect at https://larrikinhouse.com.au/ collections/book-fair-range You will also have the option to purchase items at the Book Fair in person.

LARRIKIN BOOK FAIRS TOP 200' CLICK & COLLECT ORDERING

- 1. You can ONLY order from our 'Book Fair Top 200' range/page below.
- 2. In the cart below your selection add your Child's Name and Class in the 'Click & Collect Information' field.
- 3. At Checkout be sure to select 'Click & Collect' as your Shipping Method.
- 4. Carefully Choose your **School Name** from the list.
- 5. Print / show your order email at the Book Fair as proof of purchase by the closing date.

We will also be accepting regular cash and credit card payments on site during the Book Fair too.

Although every effort will be made to ensure your child brings home the correct item/s there could be a lack of stock or change of students' minds.

If there is a discrepancy, please contact us and we will resolve it as best we can.

If you would like to donate a new book to our school library, each classroom teacher has selected a few titles. There will be a section 'Teacher's Choice' at the Book Fair.

BOOK FAIR OPENING HOURS 2023 All Parents and Carers Welcome

8.20—8.40am 2.30-3.00pm Monday:

Tuesday:

8.20-8.40am

3.00-3.20pm

Wednesday: 8.20-8.40am

3.00-3.20pm

Thursday: 8.20-8.40am

3.00-3.20pm

8.20-8.40am Friday: 3.00-3.20pm

BOOK WEEK COMPETITION WINNERS

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| EC2 | Sophia | \neg |
| | Leia | |
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| | Navreet | |
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| | Dihein | |
| ROOM 19 | Osman | |
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Congratulations on your wonderful art work.

All the above winners will be receiving a \$10.00 book voucher to spend at the Book Fair in Week 7.



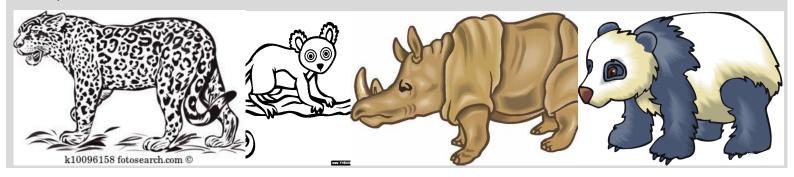
YEAR 6 CAMP 2023

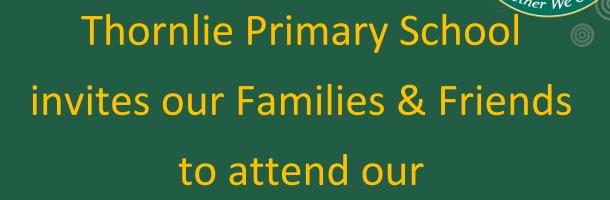


What's Happening in Room 8?



The students in Room 8 have been working hard on their Science/Technology project that will be presented during our Learning Journey this term. The students had to work in groups and create habitats of an endangered species. To enable them to complete this project, students had to learn about their selected endangered species and how it adapts to survive in its environment. Not only did the students create 3D models of these habitats, they also presented their findings in an Information Report.





Learning Expo 2023 on Friday 27th October Time: 3pm – 4pm

Art Displays & Craft Activities

Junior Choir Performing at 3.15pm

Year 6 Clarinet Performing at 3.20pm

Year 6 Advanced Recorder performing at 3.25pm

Drumbeat performing at 3.30pm

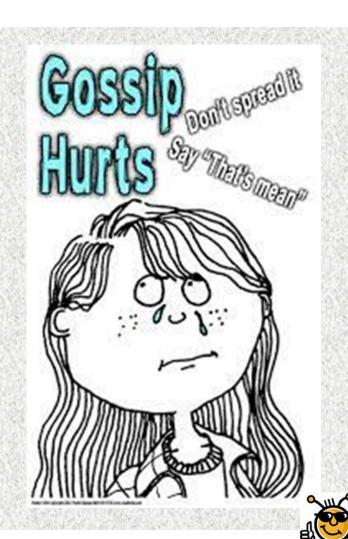
Year 5 & 6 students performing 'L'este'e Qui' at 3.35pm

Senior Choir Performing at 3.40pm



THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL Term 4 Parent Calendar 2023

| T4 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|----|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | 9 October | 10 October | 11 October | 12 October | 13 October |
| | School Development Day | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | School Photos | School Photos | |
| 1 | Students do not Attend | | Kindy Green | Kindy Yellow | |
| | | | EC2/3 Rm 1-6 | Rm 7 & 8 | |
| | 16 October | 17 October | Rm 10-15 & 19 18 October | Rm 18 & 20 19 October | 20 October |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | Newsletter | 10 0010001 | |
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| | Assembly: Student Leaders | Science Incursion Rm's 15,18,4,6 | Science Incursion Rm's 5,7,8 | | Day |
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| | 23 October | 24 October Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | 25 October | 26 October | 27 October |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 6.40-10.40 | Kindy 2024 | | Lynwood Super 7 Soccer |
| 3 | | | Parent Meeting | | Competition |
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| | | | | | Learning Expo 3-4pm |
| | 30 October | 31 October | 1 November | 2 November | 3 November |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | Newsletter | | |
| 4 | Assembly:Rm 11 & 12 | | DFES Excursion | | |
| | , | | Room 15 & 19 | | |
| | 6 November | 7 November | 8 November | 9 November | 10 November |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | o November | 3 NOVELIBEI | 10 November |
| 5 | | Oak and Daniel | | | |
| | Headspace 1.40pm | School Board Meeting 9.00am | | | |
| | 13 November | 14 November | 15 November | 16 November | 17 November |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | | | |
| 6 | Assembly: Student | | Newsletter | | |
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| | | | BOOK FAIR | | |
| | 27 November | 28 November | 29 November | 30 November | 1 December |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | Newsletter | Carols in the School | Danantillala |
| 8 | Assembly: P&C | | | Room 4, 5 & 6 | Parent Helper Morning Tea |
| | Book Awards | | | Shipwreck Excursion | Worning rea |
| | | | | Thornlie SHS Year 6 | |
| | 4 December | 5 December | 6 December | Orientation Day 7 December | 8 December |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | o Decelling | , December | o December |
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| | 11 December | 12 December | 13 December | 14 December | 15 December |
| | Early Close 2.30pm | Playgroup 8.40-10.40 | Newsletter | Final Day all | School |
| 10 | | Year 6 Graduation Excursion | Graduation | Final Day all Students | Development Day Students do not |
| | | Reports Issued to | Assembly 9.00am | | Attend |
| | | Students | | | |



THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL IS NOW TARGETING

RESPECT



Respect yourself - Respect Others -Respect the Environment

Thornlie Primary School is a BUZ school!

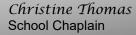
All mainstream classes have completed BUZ this year, learning how to be a friendlier class so that our school is a Build Up Zone. We know that....







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.







Christmas Bazaar

St Andrews Anglican Church Cnr Thornlie Ave & Camberley Street, Thornlie Saturday 4th November From 9am to 1pm











Browse items such as plants, cakes, Toys, books, jewellery, craft, gifts, bric-a-brac, crockery, Sausage Sizzle

Come and have morning tea and a chat

Part proceeds to Bible Society, Bush Church Aid, St. Barts and Youthcare school chaplains. If you would like to have a stall cost \$10 Please phone Wendy 0403 559 191





FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER Casual Dress Day

Donate a gold coin and support victims of the Afghanistan Earthquake.

All funds raised will go directly to CARE Australia.



Icey Poles for Sale 50c Each

Day commences with Welcome to Country, address by the Principal, past Students and Dignitari 50 Third Avenue Event will be held at **Celmscott** Please RSVP by 14th November to jacinta.peggs@education.wa.edu.au

Sunday 11:00 - 15:00



Kelmscott Senior High School Join us to celebrate

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Families Programs

Tumble Tots

9 week term 16 October - 14 December

Mondays (1 – 2 years) 9.15am - 10.15am 10.30am - 11.30am

Tuesdays (2 - 4 years) 9.15am - 10.15am

10.30am - 11.30am Wednesdays (1 - 2 years)

9.15am - 10.15am Thursdays (2 - 4 years)

9.15am - 10.15am

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

Richard Rushton Community Centre



per child per term

Bookings are essential

24 Baron Way, Gosnells



per child



Bookings are essential

Huntingdale Community Centre Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

9 week term

17 October- 12 December

Creative Kids is a fun program for parents

tools such as scissors and paintbrushes

Suitable for children aged 2 – 4 years

Babies in strollers can attend for free

and their children to be creative with

crafty themed activities each week.

• Build confidence and social skills

Learn how to use a range of craft

Tuesdays (2 – 4 years)

9.30am - 10.30am

Skills developed:

Promotes creativity

Creative Kids Creative Kids

9 week term 19 October- 14 December

Thursdays (5 – 8 years) 3.30pm - 4.30pm

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

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



Bookings are essential Huntingdale Community Centre Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale



Important Information

- Hand sanitiser will be available at each session
- Please do not attend if anyone in your family is unwell

Please note that requirements may change at short notice.

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!

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CITY or GOSNELLS

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

Wednesdays - 9.30am - 11.30am

18 October

Tom Bateman Playground Wilfred Road, Thornlie

25 October | 22 November Pioneer Park Playground Astley Street, Gosnells

1 November

Alexandria Boulevard Reserve Playground Alexandria Boulevard, Canning Vale

8 November Homestead Park

Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

15 November Mills Park Playground Brixton Street, Beckenham

29 November Sutherlands All Abilities Playground Holmes Street, Hungtingdale

6 December Wilkinson Homestead Homestead Road, Gosnells

13 December Robinson Park Playground Corfield Street, Gosnells

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Families Activities ALL families welcome

Fridays - 9.30am - 11.30am

20 October

Huntingdale Community Centre Holmes Street, Huntingdale

27 October | 1 December Harmony Fields

Alcock Street, Maddington

3 November | 8 December Langford All Abilities Playground Nightjar Lane, Langford

17 November

Robinson Park Playground Corfield Street, Gosnells

24 November Homestead Park

Glenbrook Road, Thornlie

15 December Walter Padbury Playground Elvington Way, Thornlie

Saturdays - 9.30am - 11.30am

28 October

Walter Padbury Playground Elvington Way, Thornlie

25 November Holling Street Reserve Holling Street, Maddington Baby Play

18 October No bookings required

Mondays (0 - 18 months)

9.30am - 10.30am 11am - 12pm

Huntingdale Community Centre Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

Wednesdays (0 – 18 months)

9am - 10am 10.30am - 11.30am

Richard Rushton Community Centre 24 Baron Way, Gosnells

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.



19 October - 14 December No bookings required

Thursdays

9.30am - 10.30am

Join us at Maddington Central for fun children's activities and Story

Maddington Central shopping centre

Corner Burslem Drive and Attfield Street, Maddington

* Opposite Strandbags and Just Jeans





















parenting@communicare.org.au https://www.trybooking.com/CKWCG

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08 9251 5777

BOOKING DETAILS



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COST

Huntingdale Community Centre 1645 Holmes Street

Free

(Parent and child

Topics will include:

prepare their children for school.

in November that will assist parents and carers to Please join us for a playgroup style structured program Are you a parent or carer of a child starting kindy at in

Workshop Overview

setting boundaries separation anxiety building social skills and independence

developing language and listening skills

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LOCATION

Huntingdale

9.30am - 11.30am

TIME Wednesdays

1-29 November 2023 DATES

commencing school in 2024

For families with pre-kindy aged Children (3-4 years)

South East Metro Parenting Support Services





SCHOOL BOARD NOMINATION FORM

| Throther We God |
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| I would like to nominate for the Thornlie Primary School Board in 2024. |
| Please select one category: |
| Parent/Carer |
| Staff Member |
| Community Member |
| I understand that all parent and community members of a school council/board are required to have a Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check (NCCHC) through the Department's Screening Unit and be cleared before their position on the council/board can be confirmed. |
| I understand that if the school receives numerous nominations for positions then a formal election may need to be held. |
| Signature Date |

PRIMARIA CHOOK

THORNLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

CLASS PLACEMENT OF STUDENTS POLICY & GUIDELINES

Guiding Principle

The child's educational interests will be the basis for class placement ahead of all other considerations.

Rationale

Individual class placements can have significant effects on student achievement and must primarily be based on the school's professional judgements of the child's educational needs, circumstances and interests.

Policy Guidelines

Placement Criteria and Considerations

- The child's academic, social, physical and emotional needs.
- Creating balanced class groups across the school.
- Whole of school organisation and flexibility.

Communication

- Parents are provided with a copy of the policy "Class Placement Policy".
- Parents are advised that letters from parents will not be considered in the placement process.
- Class lists are posted in the covered assembly area the day prior to the start of Term 1.

Placement Procedures

- Teachers and administrators spend a considerable time selecting the best placement of all students.
- The administration team and teachers review all the drafted lists prior to the preparation of final class groups.

Special Placements

'At Risk' children or those with special needs will be identified and recommended for placement first.

General Placements

- Projected numbers for the new year are estimated and possible class structures are then considered by the administration team.
- Staff are consulted on the preferred class structures.
- Teachers make placement decisions based on their knowledge and experience of students.
- Student and staff knowledge is used to provide information on friendship groups.
- Teachers meet to formulate the proposed classes.
- Specialist teachers consider class groups to provide their input.
- School administration make a final review of the class groupings.
- Parent requests for alteration of the class lists will not be considered by the school's administration.

Review Date: 2023

The successful implementation of this policy will ensure smooth transition from year to year with the overall well being of every student in the school being considered.



Apply now

Apply for our **Gifted and Talented** Secondary Selective Entrance programs

Applications close

Sunday 11 February 2024

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Bring out your child's exceptional creativity and academic talent with our unique Gifted and Talented programs.

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Programs are hosted at select public secondary schools, and include a fully selective academic school and an arts college.

Your child will learn with like-minded peers and be taught by expert teachers and mentors who will extend and enrich their studies.

If your child is in Year 5 in 2023, you can apply now for entry into Year 7 in 2025. Limited places may also be available for children entering Years 9, 10 and 11 in 2025.

Apply online:

education.wa.edu.au/giftedandtalented



Contact us: 9264 4307 gtsu@education.wa.edu.au





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.

Come on down and see if you can help solve this year's First Lego League challenge, or create a challenge of your own!

Remember:

- WiFi available.
- Laptops available or BYO

Choose your challenge:

- * Scratch
- * Javascript
- * Python
- * Lego Mindstorms now with Micropython!
- * Arduino Robots
- * ...?

Please bring:

- * A parent! (Very important). If you are 12 or under, your parent must stay with you during the session.
- * Your own drink bottle
- * Ideas!
- * Enthusiasm!

The CoderDojo website is back up and running, so if you are able, please sign up / in / book in, thanks. https://zen.coderdojo.com/dojos/au/thornlie-wa/thornlie-thornlie-community-church

CoderDojo Thornlie

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

Next event on Tuesday, October 24th

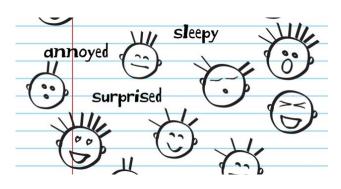


SEASONS FOR GROWTH

Seasons for Growth is a group for children who are transitioning through difficult change.

Level 2 Seasons for Growth groups are continuing this term

We have learnt about valuing my story and that naming and caring for my feelings is important to help manage change.



For more information about Seasons for Growth contact the School Chaplain or go to https://www.goodgrief.org.au/

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





Time is running out!

Photo day has been and gone and your school photos are on the way to being printed, but don't worry, for a limited time online ordering is still available.

Save on postage and late order fees by taking advantage of the photo day pre-print pricing which has been extended until **26**th **October 2023**.

Use your child's specific access key $\underline{\text{here}}$ or scan the QR code below.

If you do not have your child specific access key then please contact the school who will be able to provide this for you.

If the school cannot provide your access key please click on this <u>link</u> and complete the Access Key Release form. We will then email it to you once we have authorisation from the school.

Get your online orders in ASAP before it's too late.