

FHPS NEWSLETTER

Term 2, Week 8

Friday 16 June 2025

TERM 2 DATES

Wed 18 June	Book Fair Open Night 3.30 pm - 5.00 pm
Thurs 19 June	Book Fair Open Night 3.30 pm - 5.00 pm
Fri 27 June	Semester 1 Reports published to Sentral
Mon 30 June	Year 6 It's okay not to be okay
Tues 1 July	Year 5 It's okay not to be okay Year 3-6 Three Way Conferences
Wed 2 July	Prep - Year 2 Three Way Conferences
Thur 3 July	Prep Community Helper Day
Fri 4 July	Free Dress Day - Gold Coin Donation END OF TERM 2.30 pm Dismissal

MR JOYCE'S UPDATE

Mr. Joyce's Principal Update for Week 8 has been uploaded to our Facebook page. You can view it here

[Mr Joyce's Principal Update](#)



Three-Way Conferences

Close communication between home and school is vital to optimising learning opportunities for every student. One of the most valuable ways we strengthen this connection is through our upcoming **Three-Way Conferences**.

Parents and carers are requested to book a time via **Sentral** for their child's conference. These sessions provide a meaningful opportunity for students to **showcase their learning, reflect on their progress, and share goals for the future**.

It is important that every student is given the chance to actively participate in this process and celebrate their Semester 1 achievements.

Date	Time (10 minutes)	Location
Tuesday July 1 (Y3-6)	1:30-6:00pm	Student's classroom
Wednesday July 2 (Prep-Y2)	1:30-6:00pm	Student's classroom



Bookings open on Sentral from 9am Friday June 13
Bookings close at 4pm Monday June 30



Booking your Three-Way Conference

Follow the steps below to book your parent-teacher meeting.

- Go to FHPS website and click on the **SENTRAL** link at the bottom of the home page
Log onto the **FHPS Parent portal** using your user name and password.

OR

From the **Sentral for Parents app** select the **INTERVIEWS** tab

- Click on the **PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEW** tab on your home page or the **INTERVIEW** tab on the app.
- Select the tab titled '2025 Semester 1 Three-Way Conferences'
- Select **TIMESLOTS**
- Select the **time** you would like to schedule for your Three Way Conference (available timeslots are in black, unavailable in grey)
- A message will appear confirming your booking. Select **SAVE BOOKING**.
- Your appointment time will be displayed. Please take note of the date and time.

In the event that you **DO NOT** have access to the internet, please contact the school office and we will enter a booking time for you.

Michelle Smith
Assistant Principal

FRANKSTON HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Trivia night

A Night of Fun, Laughter & Friendly Competition!
Raffles, Games & Prizes (bring your gold coins)

- **FRIDAY AUGUST 15TH**
- **7PM - 11PM**
- **SCHOOL HALL**
- **\$30 per person**
- **Tables of 10**
- **BYO drinks & nibbles**
- **18+ only event**



BOOKINGS VIA : www.trybooking.com/DCSCG

LIMITED TABLES AVAILABLE – TICKETS MUST BE PRE-PURCHASED BY JULY 28!

Booking Options:

☐ **Group Booking (10 people):**

Nominate a team leader to book your table and keep your group together.

☐ **Individual / Couple / Small Group:**

Purchase your tickets and we'll assign you to a table – it's a great way to meet others!

OPTIONAL: PICK A TABLE THEME AND COME DRESSED TO IMPRESS.

Don't miss out. This night sells out fast!

Book now and join us for an unforgettable evening!



FREE DRESS DAY

EMBRACE WINTER

LAST DAY OF TERM 2

Rug up in your **winter woollies**
to stay warm and cosy!

Join in the fun **for a gold coin donation.**






All donations go towards our upcoming
Trivia Night on Friday, August 15.

Get your tickets @
www.trybooking.com/DCSCG

Funds raised from this event will be allocated to
landscaped play spaces for our
school community to enjoy

Let's make it a cosy day for a great cause!

		
ICAS ENGLISH	ICAS SCIENCE	ICAS MATHEMATICS

2025 Year 2-6 International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)

Every year FHPS provides students in Years 2-6 with the option of participating in the world-renowned International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS) in English, Mathematics and Science. ICAS is an online academic competition that is designed to assess students' higher order thinking and problem-solving skills

Students who participate are celebrated and recognised with a printed certificate in each subject area, and an online results report to track development. Top performers are eligible for one of the highly coveted ICAS medals.

The 2025 online ICAS assessments will be held at Frankston Heights Primary School on:

Assessment	Date	Cost
English	Monday August 11	\$20.95 (Inc. GST)
Science	Monday August 18	\$20.95 (Inc. GST)
Mathematics	Tuesday August 26	\$20.95 (Inc. GST)

The school encourages you to consider entering your child into ICAS this year. The assessments are suitable for students in Years 2-6 wishing to extend and challenge themselves academically.

HOW TO REGISTER & MAKE AN ONLINE PAYMENT

- Go to the ICAS Shop: <https://shop.icasassessments.com/pages/parent-payment/GXF105>
- Enter student details and click **SAVE STUDENT**
- Select the ICAS test(s) you wish to purchase
- Select proceed
- Go to the checkout
- Make payment (you will receive an order confirmation email, keep this for your records)

IMPORTANT: Please enter your child's name accurately into the system. The details you enter are the details that will appear on your child's ICAS certificate.

Online payment closes **Monday 28th July 2025.**

Michelle Smith
Assistant Principal



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FHPS VOLUNTEER AND PARENT HELPER INFORMATION

Frankston Heights Primary School greatly values the support and assistance of volunteers. Anyone who assists with our school programs is classed as a volunteer.

VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS

Every year volunteers are required to:

1. Read the Child Safety policies and procedures and the FHPS OHS Induction handbook (click on the links below to access). This requirement must be met for any volunteer to assist with classroom programs, excursions, sport events, camps, school concerts, fundraising events and other child-related programs.
2. Sign the Child Safety Code of Conduct, Volunteer Confidentially Agreement and Volunteer OHS Checklist at the office.
3. Present a current Working With Children Check (WWCC) at the office. Forms can be collected from the post office or visit the Working with Children Check website at www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au



All volunteers are to familiarise themselves with the following documents. Click on the hyperlinks to access each document. Hard copies are available at the office.

- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Policy](#) - READ
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Responding and Reporting Policy and Procedures](#) - READ
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Child Safety Code of Conduct](#) - READ
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Volunteers Policy and Child Safety Induction Pack](#) - READ
- [Frankston Heights Primary School Volunteers OHS Induction Handbook](#) - READ
- Once read, **please visit the office** to sign the Child Safety Code of Conduct, Volunteer Confidentially Agreement and Volunteer OHS Checklist.

RESPECT

RESILIENCE

RESPONSIBILITY



BOOK FAIR



18 - 19 JUNE 2025

3.30pm - 5.00pm

in the Prep Learning Area





3 & 4-YEAR OLD FUNDED KINDER

Enrol Today!

- Visit frankston.vic.gov.au/kindergartens
- Select **Ballam Park Preschool** as your first preference



Enrolments for 2026
are now open...

Register today!