# Peel Language Development School

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### **IMPORTANT DATES**

#### **RLPS CAMPUS**

15 Nov Gala Day9 Dec Book Awards

#### **BUNGAREE CAMPUS**

22 Nov Colour Run29 Nov Crazy Sock Day11 Dec PBS Rewards DayEnd of Year Assembly

#### MANDURAH CAMPUS

**9 Dec** Book Awards

## **PINJARRA CAMPUS**

**22 Nov** Cupcake & Choir Day **9 Dec** Presentation Assembly

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Kaya

It has been a busy beginning to Term 4. The students have been highly engaged in their learning program and the teachers have been busy teaching and accessing student progress ready for report writing. This week collaboration with the speech pathology team begins for teachers to grade the progress your child has made in the Individual Language Plan. These come home with the Curriculum Reports at the end of term.

Last week we welcomed new families onto each campus as they attended their Induction Meetings. It was fabulous to see them highly engaged with what an enrolment at Peel means for their child's ongoing learning and development. I would like to thank the parents who agreed to come and speak to some groups to explain to them what gaining a place at Peel meant to them and how supported they have felt during their time with us.

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Only you as parents can express to other parents just what the benefits to a place at Peel means. Special thanks go the Chantel Paterson and Shannon Bryden, who made me cry with their words.

Coming up in Weeks 9 and 10 are end of year events, Book Awards and Christmas concerts. Please keep you eyes peeled for these dates being sent out to you all, as they differ over each campus. In Week 9 on December 6th, we will once again hold our Annual Picnic at Rockingham City Park. This is a fully funded excursion, so not cost you at all. All our students really enjoy the picnic, and they enjoy it even more if you can share lunch with them on the day. Mark December 6th in your diaries and I hope to see you all then. Notices and permission slips will be coming home shortly.

Take care everyone and stay safe.

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Fiona Forbes Principal



# MANDURAH CAMPUS



#### **WORLD TEACHERS' DAY**

Friday, October 25th was World Teachers' Day. The educators at Mandurah Primary School were treated to a special lunch from the Admin team and were given tokens of appreciation from colleagues and families. At Peel Language Development School, we are fortunate to have a wonderful team of dedicated educators who work hard every day to provide high quality learning experiences for their students. Hats off to teachers, 2024!



#### **COMMUNITY BREAKFAST**

The weather was perfect for our last community breakfast at Mandurah Primary School on Wednesday October 30th. As always, our school community enjoyed the opportunity to come together and share a delicious array of food. There were waffles, fruit, juice and a sausage sizzle. The Mandurah Primary School Community Breakfast is a highlight of the school calendar, and we thank the staff for organising this great event.





## MANDURAH CAMPUS



## RM 10 / 11 - YOUR MOVE ASSEMBLY PRACTICE

Room 10 and 11 have been hard at work, preparing for their upcoming assembly. We have chosen to incorporate our wonderful "Your Move" program into our performance item. Your Move is an active lifestyle program provided by the Department of Transport. The Your Move program is designed to helps students and families maintain healthy, active lifestyles. Room 10 and 11 have learnt the words to The Pushbike Song and we have been practicing every day with our friends. Families are invited to our assembly, the very last for 2024, on Friday November 15th at 9am.





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# PINJARRA CAMPUS



Students at Pinjarra campus have just finished 2 weeks of swimming. Students had a great time and their behaviour at the pool was impeccable. Well done to those students who went up levels, for those students who didn't, keep practising and you will get there.



On the 18th of October students and teachers dressed up in purple and yellow in recognition of those people who have a DLD and to bring attention to people in our community living with a DLD and how they can be supported.



Earlier in the term Year 1 students went to incursion presented by **ALCOA** employees. Students moved through stations different explain to processes of mining aluminium. Children experimented with the process cleaning muddy water until distilled. They also created the layers of the earth that ALCOA mine and used miners sieves to separate minerals (M&Ms). Everyone had lots of fun and learnt things too!





# PINJARRA CAMPUS



#### **ROOM 28**



The Kindy and Pre-Primary students had a fantastic time at the K/PP Sports Carnival in Week 2, where they participated in a range of team and individual activities. The children loved the obstacle course and the big running event at the end of the day. A massive thank you to our amazing families with so many able to join us on the day. It was wonderful to see quite a few participating in the parent/child race to wind up the event.





















# PINJARRA CAMPUS



#### **ROOM 28**

Our class has been learning about a variety of occupations and we have been discussing some of the roles that people have in our community (parents, shop-keepers, carers, etc.). To explore some of these roles we have been using some dress-up clothes, small-world play, and dramatic role-play. The construction site has been a favourite and the children have also enjoyed 'going to work', and doing a little hair styling. Along with learning about occupations, we have also explored modes of transport, with the students helping to create a plane and a car for them to imagine some grand adventures (which have mostly been them pretending to show their friends their homes by 'driving' or 'flying' past ...)









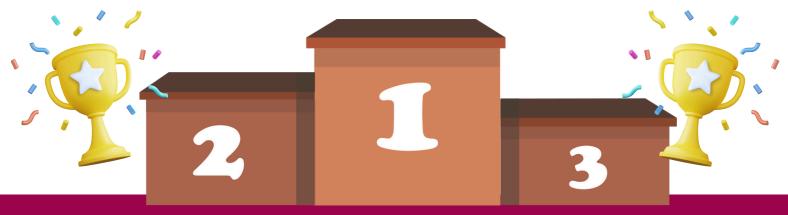
#### SPORTS CARNIVAL EXTRAVAGANZA: A DAY OF TEAM SPIRIT AND FUN



Friday, September 13th, was a day filled with excitement and energy as our students participated in the highly anticipated Sports Carnival. Dressed in their faction colours—red, green, and yellow—the students were ready to compete, cheer, and celebrate. The day kicked off with a vibrant parade around the oval, where teams, clad in their faction colours, rallied together with spirited chants and enthusiastic cheers.

The energy was palpable as students showcased their faction pride and competed with great determination. Parents and community members added to the excitement with their loud cheers and encouragement, making the atmosphere truly electric.

The support from our families was overwhelming and greatly appreciated. Thank you to everyone who attended and cheered on our students. Your involvement made the Sports Carnival a fantastic event, full of team spirit and community support. We're already looking forward to next year's event and hope to see even more enthusiasm and participation!

































#### KINDNESS ASSEMBLY

Last week Room 3, 4 and 5 presented their assembly item to the school. We sang a song all about kindness. This term we have been learning about kindness and ways in which we can be kind to others. The students came up with some great suggestions on how they can show kindness to their friends at school.

**Bruce** – Kindness is sharing the playground nicely and helping others out.

Wayne – Kindness is playing with your friends when they are alone.

**Jack** – Kindness is being friendly, looking after other people, helping people and being nice to others.

Izaiah – We can try to help our friends if they are sad.

**Ahi** – Kindness is when you are kind to a friend and teaching them how to do stuff on the playground.













#### **ROOM 5 BOOM, CLAP, GRAB**

In Room 5 we have been working really hard to identify the middle vowel sound in words. Our favourite class game this term has been "Boom, Clap, Grab". For this game the students work in partners and have to listen carefully to their teacher's instructions. When the teacher says "boom" the students tap their knees, when the teacher says "clap" the students clap their hands. Next comes the tricky part, the teacher will say a CVC word and the students must work in their team to find the correct letter sound and hold it up as quick as they can. The students blow us away every time we play this game with their patience, teamwork, ability to follow instructions and letter sound knowledge. What superstars!







# **RLPS CAMPUS**



## 3.3 / 3.4 - FOODBANK INCURSION

On the 18th of September, the year 3s from 3.3 and 3.4 had an incursion with Foodbank. They came out to teach us about healthy eating, the different food groups, safety in the kitchen and how to cook different food. We were really engaged with learning about the different food groups, and we had a race in our groups to sort the foods into our food group. Each group got to cook or make a different food that we shared with everyone. It was really great to see everyone trying all the different foods that we cooked. Gurshan won an apron for cooking some of the food that we learnt about with Foodbank at home with his family!









































# **RLPS CAMPUS**



Here is what the students said about the Foodbank Incursion:

**Hudson** – "I loved making the food because it was lots of fun and we got to learn how to be safe with knives."

**Declen** – "I got to learn how to make guacamole for the first time and it was delicious!"

Harper – "My favourite part was playing the 'sort the food into the food groups' race."







**Rowan** – "We got to try new foods and learnt how to hold knives without stabbing anyone."

Jackson B - "I liked cooking because we could eat other people's food."

**Aliyah** – "That we know how to use sharp knives carefully and know some tricks we can use for leftover food."

























# **RLPS CAMPUS**







#### **ECE5 - PREPARING FOR PRE-PRIMARY**

Kindy A is busily getting ready to transition into Pre-Primary. This term we have been focusing on the whole school program, Sounds Write, to help the children with their beginning letter sounds. The children are learning to identify the letters A I M S T that match the correct sounds. They are doing an amazing job of listening and following instructions on the mat while we locate and categorize toys that begin with these sounds. We are also learning to write these letters using the Peggy Leggo which is another whole school program.

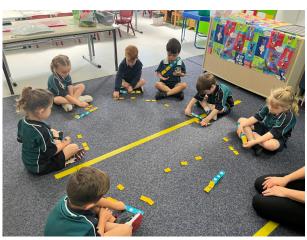


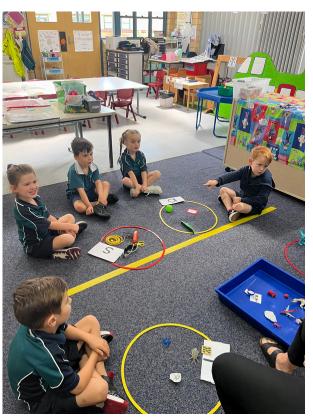














### 1.4 - RUN, RUN AS FAST AS YOU CAN

This term we have been continuing a Fairy Tales theme in class and after much deliberation, the students chose "The Gingerbread Man". All agreed this would be exciting and discussions brought about thoughts of Christmas baking! After reading and studying the book, we enjoyed thinking about the meaning and what the characters might have been feeling and thinking. We put these into thought bubbles. Some examples where:

"You smell yummy, I will gobble you up. Get on my nose" (The Fox to the Gingerbread Man).

"Don't get me because I don't smell yummy!", "I'll run, run, as fast as I can" (The Gingerbread Man to the characters chasing him).
"I am hungry, I will make a yummy gingerbread man" (The old lady).



We had a lot of fun making puppets to act out the story before writing our own story retells. Class 1.4 are very proud to have rewritten a whole story. And of course, everyone wanted to make their own gingerbread man to take home, complete with a handwritten recipe book.





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Have a child in school, starting school next year, or be studying yourself Get a regular income (you or your partner)

Agree to join in free online financial education workshops

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saverplus.org.au 1300 610 355

# Communication in Relationships Mandurah



We are often faced with stresses in our daily lives. Whether with family, friends or work colleagues, effective communication is essential for seeking to feel understood, resolve conflicts, and build trust in relationships. By actively listening, expressing your emotions, and respectfully articulating your needs, you will form stronger connections that promote mutual respect and cooperation.

In this 2.5-hour workshop, you will receive support to learn strategies to enhance your communication skills.

#### You will learn:

- Essential communication principles and skills
- Barriers that lead to communication breakdown
- Strategies to enhance feelings of connection
- Important aspects of both verbal and non-verbal communication

This course is a great introduction to learning some essential communication skills which can be of benefit to all relationships. It is suitable for both couples and individuals to attend.

When: Tuesday, 19 November 2024

**Time:** 6.30pm – 9.00pm

Where: Lotteries House, 7 Anzac Place, Mandurah

Cost: \$30 per person, \$15 concession

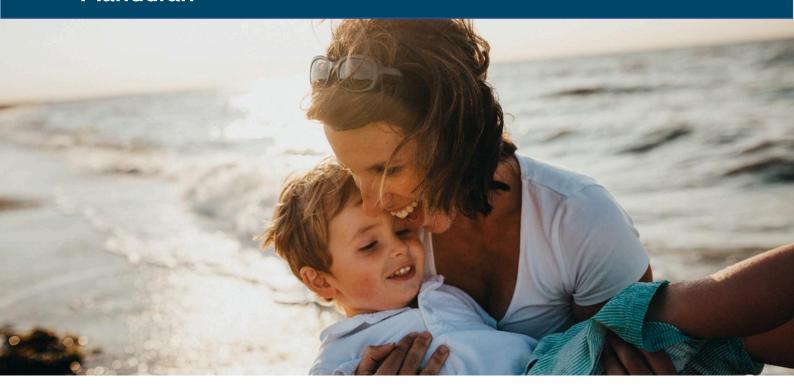
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# Emotion Coaching Your Child Mandurah



Raising our children should be one of life's greatest experiences, but as every parent knows it can often be overwhelming. This workshop is designed to introduce you to the art of Emotion Coaching which helps parents learn to be more supportive of their child's emotional world and to value emotional connection and intimacy. Participants will be encouraged to learn how to:

- understand the different styles of parenting
- communicate with their child more effectively
- •help their child identify and understand their emotions
- •soothe and guide their child through their 'difficult' emotions
- · understand the contribution of their own emotional world to their parenting

When: Tuesday, 12 November

Time: 9.30am to 12 noon

Where: Lotteries House

7 Anzac Place, Mandurah

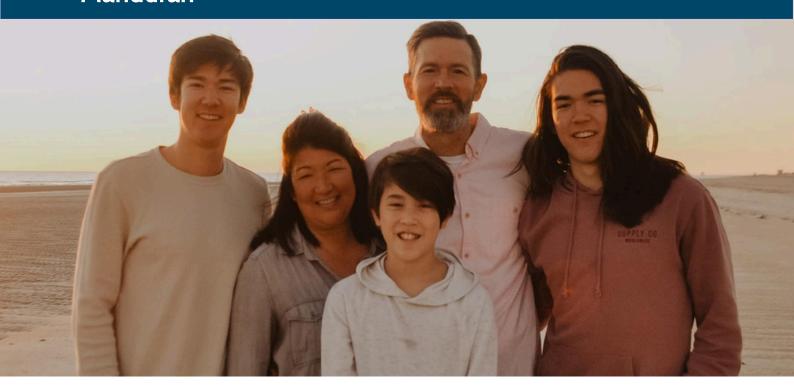
Cost:

\$30 per person (\$15 concession)

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# Parenting Teens Mandurah



Parenting an adolescent can be a challenging and stressful time. It has often been said that there is only one thing more difficult than being a teenager, and that's being the parent of one!

During this workshop you will be inspired with ideas on how to improve your relationship with your teenager by:

- •Learning about the importance of staying connected with your teens
- Exploring your changing role as a parent during the teen years
- Developing a greater understanding of the teenage brain
- •Learning about the developmental stages that your children go through during the teenage years
- •Connecting with other parents of teenagers and sharing your challenges and wisdom.

When: Tuesday, 10 Dec 2024

**Time:** 6.30pm to 9pm

Where: Lotteries House, 7 Anzac Place, Mandurah

Cost: \$30 per person, \$15 concession

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## Relationship Education: Mandurah

Term 4: October-December 2024



Face-To-Face	Date	Time	Cost
Anger Management for Men 8wks	Wed 16 Oct-4 Dec	6pm-8.30pm	\$150
Successful Single Parenting	Tues 29 Oct	9.30am-12pm	\$30
Emotion Coaching Your Child	Tues 12 Nov	9.30am-12pm	\$30
Communication in Relationships	Tues 19 Nov	6.30pm-9pm	\$30
Parenting Teens	Tues 10 Dec	6.30pm-9pm	\$30

Generous concessions available

Bookings, registrations and payment prior to the session are required.

For more information about our courses and workshops, please call 6164 O588 or visit www.relationshipswa.org.au

#### **Course Location**

- Lotteries House, 7 Anzac Place, Mandurah
- Online via Zoom platform



## Relationship Education: Online

## Term 4: October-December 2024

Online*	Date	Time	Cost
Understanding Angry Emotions	Wed 9 Oct	6.15pm-9pm	n \$30
Managing Anger and Stress for Women 4wks Bringing Up Great Kids 5wks	Tues 15 Oct-5 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$95	
Setting Healthy Boundaries	Tues 22 Oct-19 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$75	
Introduction to Managing Anger-	Wed 23 Oct	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
For Men 4wks Express Yourself Assertively	Thur 7-28 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$95	
Stronger Stepfamilies: An	Wed 13 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
Introduction  Dads and Daughters	Thur 14 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
Supporting Your Anxious Child	Thur 21 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
Emotion Coaching Your Child	Tues 26 Nov	9.30am-12.15pm \$	\$30
Stress Less	Thur 28 Nov	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
Healthy Conflict	Tues 3 Dec	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
Fathering After Separation	Wed 4 Dec	6.15pm-9pm \$30	
	Thur 5 Dec	6.15pm-9pm \$30	

<sup>\*</sup>These courses are delivered and attended online via Zoom. Please see website for information on how to attend our online courses.

Generous concessions available

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#### **Course Location**

- Lotteries House, 7 Anzac Place, Mandurah
- Online via Zoom platform







# Calista MyTime group





Do you have a child with developmental delay, a disability, a chronic medical condition or are undergoing a diagnosis?

Find real support from friends who understand at MyTime. A place where you can share your experiences with others who 'get it', learn about services and support available to you and gain access to reliable information.

You can also enjoy some simple craft activities provided at each session to give your wellbeing a little boost.

Mondays, 9.30am to 11.30am 8 sessions from 14 October to 2 December 2024 Facilitated by Ngala Early Years Community Practitioners For families with children from birth to 18 years

Child and Parent Centre - Calista, Harlow Road www.childandparentcentres.wa.edu.au/calista | 9367 0960 | calista@ngala.com.au







### Child Health

### Nurse Drop-in

See your Child Health Nurse for a weight check or a quick question.

Mondays, 9.30am to 11am

## Purple Book Appointments

Make an appointment for your child's developmental checks at 8 weeks, 4 months, 12 months and 2 years. Call 1300 749 869 to book.

Did you know the 2-year-old check is your child's last health check before starting school? Contact your Child Health Team on 1300 749 869 to book.

## Speech

## \* Speech & Language Chat

Book a time to meet with a local Speech Pathologist and discuss your child's speech development.

Fridays, 9am to 3pm 15 November and 29 November





## Parenting Programs and Workshops

Date	Day	Time	Program	Description
24 Oct	Thur	9.30am to 11.30am	* Smiling Starts Early Childhood Dental Program (6-17 months)	With a focus on prevention and early intervention, this session provides oral health information, with the option of dental screening for your 6 to 17-month-old child. Booking is essential. Please use the QR code or go to <a href="https://bit.ly/4d7nq7J">https://bit.ly/4d7nq7J</a>
13 Nov	Wed	9.30am to 11.30am	* Triple P: <b>Toileting</b> (1-3 years)	Learn how to support your child master this important skill and make toilet training smooth and successful. At Darius Wells, Frank Konecny Room. Crèche through Toddler Town creche.
Various dates and time Please scan the QR code for more details		Various evening time	Triple P Free Online Parent workshops	Topics to choose from:  * Starting school successfully  * The Power of Positive Parenting  * Making and keeping friends  * Learning to Separate  * Promoting digital wellbeing  * Learning to use toilet  * Doing well in high school  Registration is essential to attend online workshops. Please scan the QR code or visit <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/GyQwUQMmEN">https://forms.office.com/r/GyQwUQMmEN</a>

\* Bookings for all programs and workshops are essential. Please call 9367 0960 or email at calista@ngala.com.au to book or for more information.

## Kwinana Children's Party

Get ready for a day of laughter, games, and endless fun as we come together to celebrate Children's Week 2024!

It will be held at Rhodes Park, Calista from 9.30am to 11.30am. More details to come





Would you like to help your child become confident at reading and writing? Follow



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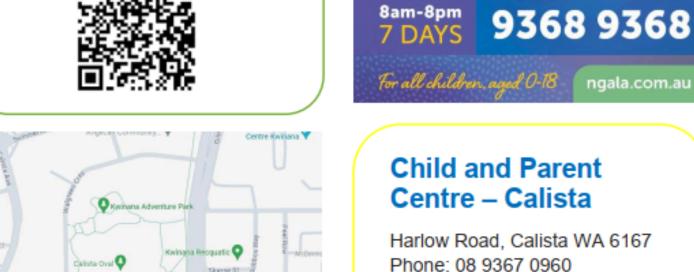
on Facebook to get lots of great 🗼 tips and join Karrak's adventures in Kwinana

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## **Free Online Parent Workshops**

#### October

- 🕜. Starting school successfully (children entering school) Tuesday 15th & Thursday 17th
- 🕜. The power of positive parenting (under 12 years) Wednesday 23rd & Friday 25th
- Making and keeping friends (10-16 years) Tuesday 29th & Friday 1st November

How to register: Scan the QR code or call 9367 0960 for more information.



## 🕖 Learning to use the toilet (1-4 years old)

- Tuesday 5th & Thursday 7th
- 🕜 Promoting digital wellbeing (10-16 years) Tuesday 12th & Thursday 14th

#### November

- Learning to separate (2-4 years old) Tuesday 19th & Thursday 21st
- Doing well in high school (high school age children) Tuesday 26th & Friday 29th

#### December

Starting school successfully (children entering school) Tuesday 3rd & Thursday 5th

Each topic has day session and evening session to choose from. Scan the QR code to find more details. Registrations are essential to attend online workshops and will close 24 hours before the scheduled workshop.

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# **Speech and Language Chat**



Want to know more about how to support your child's speech and language development? Or about the role of a Speech Pathologist and how to refer your child for support?

Come to meet and chat with Emma, our Speech Pathologist, to have your questions answered.

If you cannot attend in person, please let us know so we can arrange a call back service for you.

Fridays, 9.00am to 3.00pm

15 November & 29 November 2024

at the Child and Parent Centre Calista

To book, call 9367 0960 or email calista@ngala.com.au

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Casual Rate: \$32.35	Casual Rate: \$43.85	Casual Rate: \$89.50
Pay from \$2.99 after CCS	Pay from \$3.99 after CCS	Pay from \$8.25 after CCS

Book 24 hours in advance to receive the permanant rate. Bookings made within 24 hours receive the casual rate. Cancel free of charge, 24 hours in advance.

## How to Enrol (for free) and Book

1. Visit VillageOSHC.com.au and click "Book Your Sessions" in the top corner. 2. This will take you to our booking platform; LookedAfter. Click "Log in/Enrol". 3. Create your account. 4. Check your inbox for a verification email to activate your account. (check junk folder

if not found.)

- 5. Once you've logged in, enrol your children with the relevant details.
- 6. Book your sessions by searching for your school with "Find My School".

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