

IMPORTANT DATES

TERM 2 2026

Friday, May 22

National Walk Safely to School Day

Friday, May 22

Education Week - Open Session

Parent/Carers 10AM - 11AM

Biggest Morning Tea 11AM

May 25 - 29

National Reconciliation Week

Thursday, May 28

Wyndham Division Cross Country

Selected students

Monday, June 1

Year 6 Photos

Tuesday, June 2

Year 3-6 Athletics Day

Monday, June 8

King's Birthday **Public Holiday**

Tuesday, June 9 Pupil Free Day

Wednesday, June 10

Year 6 Gala Winter Sports Day

Thursday, June 18

Year 2 Pizza & Movie afternoon

3PM-5PM BER

Friday, June 19

Year 5 & 6 AFL Gala Day

Selected students

Thursday, June 25

Parent Teacher Interviews

3:15pm - 7:00pm

Friday, June 26

Last day of Term 2

Early dismissal 1:30pm

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Raquel Tweedley

It has been a wonderful and busy start to Term 2, with our students already enjoying many valuable experiences, achievements and celebrations across the school community.

Our Year 4 and Year 6 swimming programs were highly successful, providing students with opportunities to develop their confidence, skills and water safety awareness. Year 3 students also enjoyed their visit from Ecolinc, where they participated in engaging and hands-on learning experiences connected to their classroom studies.

We are incredibly proud of the students who represented our school at the Cross Country District Division event, demonstrating determination, resilience and excellent sportsmanship. Our Student Representative Council students also had the opportunity to participate in the SRC Forum with Joanne Ryan, further developing their leadership and student voice.

There have been many wonderful community celebrations as well, including our Attendance Picnic Lunch Celebration, our Mother's Day Stall, and our acknowledgement of ANZAC Day as we reflected on the importance of remembrance and service. We also proudly acknowledged and celebrated our Education Support Staff on ES Day, recognising the outstanding contribution they make to the daily life of our school and the support they provide to our students and staff.

This week we continue to celebrate Education Week with a range of buddy activities taking place across the school. It has been fantastic to see students working together, building connections and enjoying shared learning experiences. Congratulations also to Hughes House, who enjoyed an extra 10 minutes of play as their reward for earning the most house points in Term 1.

We will conclude Education Week by celebrating what makes Iramoo Primary School such a unique and special place to learn, grow and thrive by warmly inviting parents and carers to attend our Open Session tomorrow, Friday 22 May, from 10:00am. Families will have the opportunity to visit classrooms and see learning in action. Following this, parents and carers are welcome to join our staff for our annual Biggest Morning Tea.

We are all looking forward to the many more exciting experiences, events and learning opportunities that will take place throughout the remainder of the term.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support of our school community.



SSV - WERRIBEE & WYNDHAM VALE DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY

On Wednesday, April 29, thirty-six of our students represented Iramoo Primary School and competed in the District Cross Country. We all competed with a great attitude even though not all of us made it to the next level. We still showed great sportsmanship. On Thursday, May 28, six of these students will be heading off to Werribe Racecourse to compete in the Divisions. We hope for the best and thank Mr Grant and Mrs Buchanan for training us along the way and also want to thank all of the parents for cheering us on.

Before the Cross Country event, I made sure I was prepared for the race. My family gave me helpful tips like warming up properly before running and eating a healthy breakfast to give me energy. I also made sure I drank lots of water and got a good sleep the night before.

On the day of the race, I felt nervous, excited and proud all at the same time. I was nervous because there were lots of strong runners, but I was also excited to challenge myself and represent my school. I felt proud that I had the chance to participate and try my personal best.

During the race, I kept encouraging myself to keep going even when I felt tired. It was a great experience, and I was happy that I finished the race and supported my school with good sportsmanship.

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WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY – FRIDAY, MAY 22

Friday, May 22 is National Walk Safely to School Day. This is an event where all Iramoo students are encouraged to walk safely to school on this day - part way is ok.

The event aims to raise awareness about road safety, environmental benefits and health benefits that can foster long-term healthy habits and make a big impact on the wellbeing for children. Students will receive a temporary tattoo to take home on the day if they participate in the event. When walking to and from school it is important to be safe and obey the road rules.

- Cross the road at the school crossings.
- Stop – Look – Listen and Think before you cross the road.
- Walk, don't run when crossing the road.
- Hold you parent/carer's hand when crossing the road.

Students will be learning about National Walk Safely to

School Day and Road Safety Week through activities in their classroom.



MOTHER'S DAY STALL

We hope that all mums, grandmothers and other special women in our school community enjoyed their Mother's Day and that they were pleased with the gifts that the children brought for them at our Mother's Day stall. If the looks on children's faces can be taken as an indication, they certainly enjoyed shopping for the gifts and trying to choose something 'just right' for the special women in their lives.

Thank you to the parent volunteers who organised our gifts and assisted in selling them to the children. On current calculations, we estimate a profit of approximately \$2330.00.



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 **FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2026**
 **10:00 AM TO 11:00 AM**
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 **Biggest Morning Tea**

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2HC ART



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1BC PE



2027 PREP ENROLMENT

Attached is information for you, your friends or neighbours whose child will be 5 years old by the end of April, 2027.

We encourage families to enrol at their local neighbourhood school as soon as possible.

Any families who know they will be moving schools in 2027 also need to advise our school either via our school office 9741 2803 or email: iramoo.ps@education.vic.gov.au to assist us with our 2027 planning.

REMINDER: SCHOOL SUPERVISION HOURS

We kindly remind families that students are supervised by school staff between 8:35am and 3:15pm.

Recently, we have seen an increase in the number of students arriving at school well before 8:35am - some as early as 7:45am. Please note that school grounds are not supervised before 8:35am, and for safety reasons, students should not be on site before this time.

If your child needs to arrive earlier, they should be enrolled in our Before School Care program, which is operated by Big Child Care.

We appreciate your cooperation in helping us keep all students safe. If you would like more information about enrolling in Before School Care, please contact Big Child Care directly [BIG CHILDCARE](#)



Australia's Biggest Morning Tea



**FRIDAY
MAY 22**



11AM



STAFFROOM





IRAMOO PRIMARY SCHOOL



2027 PREP ENROLMENT

We are currently taking enrolments for 2027 Prep. If you, your friends or neighbours have a child who will be 5 years old before the end of April 2027, please encourage them to enrol at their local neighbourhood school as soon as possible.

Please email your supporting documents to iramoo.ps@education.vic.gov.au or bring the following documents into our office:

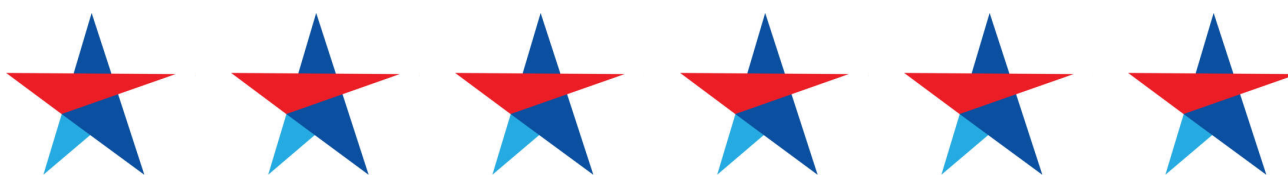
- The child's Birth Certificate (front and back)
- Immunisation History Statement
- Two documents for proof of the child's permanent residential address**, either:
 - Contract of sale/title document/rates notice (for homeowners) or
 - Rental agreement provided by a real estate agent (for tenants) or
 - Any current Centrelink related document e.g. health care card or
 - A current document from the Australian Taxation Office along with one other current piece of evidence such as a utilities bill (eg. gas/electricity).

Please note that documents must be original or certified copies.

**Statutory declarations will not be accepted, and no enrolment will proceed without the required documentation.



Tours of our school for prospective families will be conducted on alternative Wednesday afternoons at 2:00pm and Thursday morning at 10am throughout Term 2. Tours will start from Wednesday, April 22 at 2:00pm.



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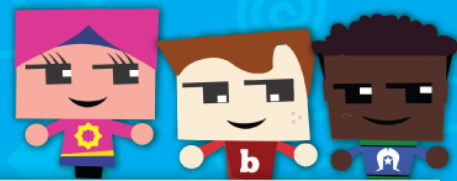
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CHILDCARE



WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL FOR TERM 2!

It has been a very busy time here at BIG Iramoo with our holiday program and coming back to school for term 2.

There have been some changes in our staffing and we welcome Alicia, Jess and Hayden to our team along with our regulars Alex and Emily.

VACATION CARE!

The children had lots of fun on the holidays with excursions to Luna Park, Airoworld, Melbourne Zoo and the movies.

Our themed days included STEM, Art Attack, Baking and Trooper day. The feedback from the children has been positive and we are looking at adding these themes to our weekly planner.

JUNIOR LEADER FEEDBACK

“I like to help people when they need it the most” – Molly

“I like to help people if they are upset or lonely” – Monique

“What I like about being a junior leader is I get to do special stuff like picking people for the philosophy and acknowledgment of country and to help lead others” – Aariah

Our Junior Leaders this term are: Aariah, Braxton, Imogen, Molly, Monique, Ruby, Sophia and Zoe

UPCOMING INFORMATION

Wed May 6th we will be organising for the children to make their own lunch in BSC. This will include a sandwich, fruit and snacks.

The week of May 4th, our planner theme is **COOKING CLASS**, so the children will participate in making their own snacks for the afternoon 😊

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