



Ermo's News

Term 3 - Week 5



Principal's Message

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my heartfelt thanks to all families who attended our Open Day celebrations. It was wonderful to see you sharing learning time in the classrooms, planting trees, and reading books in our library. Our students especially enjoyed sharing lunchtime with you. It truly was a day that reflected the strength of our school community.

A big thank you to the P&C for organising a fantastic lunch for us all. Your efforts are always appreciated!



Parent-Teacher Interviews

Our Parent-Teacher Interviews are almost complete. I'd like to thank our dedicated teachers for the extra hours spent ensuring families are informed and up-to-date on their child's learning journey. Thank you also to the many families who attended. It's always a valuable opportunity to strengthen the learning partnership between home and school.

Athletics Carnival

A special thank you to Miss Scott, Mr Clark, and Mr Talevski for their hard work in organising a fantastic Athletics Carnival for students for Years 3–6. Despite the unique (and muddy!) conditions, the resilience and spirit shown by all students were inspiring and should be celebrated. Well done, everyone!



Extracurricular Highlights

School Band at Ryde Eisteddfod

Our School Band recently competed at the Ryde Eisteddfod. They played beautifully and demonstrated exemplary behaviour throughout the event. Congratulations to all involved.



Aerobics Teams off to Nationals

Good luck to our three Aerobics Teams as they head to the Gold Coast next week for the FISAF National Championships. The students have been training hard and are ready to shine on the national stage. A sincere thank you to Mel Harriman, Miss Smilas, Miss Naughton, and Miss Alaura for their time, energy, and commitment to preparing the teams.

String Ensemble at the Opera House

Our String Ensemble will be performing in the Banksia Concert next week as part of the Festival of Instrumental Music at the Sydney Opera House. This is a tremendous honour and we wish them the very best for this special occasion. Thank you to Mrs Clarke and Ms Vallentine.

RoboCup Debut

Best of luck to our nine students competing for the first time in RoboCup! They will be coding robots to complete a range of challenges, and we are confident they are more than ready. Thank you to Mrs Chan for your work in preparing our students for this exciting event.



Kindergarten 2026 Interviews

Interviews for Kindergarten 2026 have been taking place over the past few weeks. A big thank you to our office team for warmly welcoming new families and ensuring they are well-prepared for the beginning of their primary school journey.

Dancing Through the Decades – School Concert

All classes are currently preparing to "Dance Through the Decades" in our upcoming school concert, scheduled for Tuesday 16 September. It promises to be a fun and entertaining celebration of music, movement, and creativity. We look forward to seeing you there!



Thank you once again for your continued support and partnership. We are proud of everything our students are achieving and grateful to have such a supportive and engaged school community.

Mrs MacKenzie



News from the Office

Parent Calendar

Keep up to date with all the events at school.

This feature is available on the School Bytes app.

Click here for quick access to the calendar



School Bytes

Sick Children

Feeling Sick? Best to Stay Home!

If your child is feeling under the weather, even with just a sniffle or a cough, it's best to keep them home to rest.

A day or two of recovery helps stop bugs from spreading and keeps everyone at school feeling their best.

Thank you for helping us keep our school community happy and healthy!



School Bytes - Parent Online Forms

The following forms are now accessible through the School Bytes app, allowing parents to submit requests to the school electronically. You can find them under the "Forms" tile on the School Bytes dashboard.

- Student Transfer Notification
- WWCC - Parent Volunteers Declaration
- Student Information Update
- Application for Extended Leave



Compulsory school attendance

| Information for parents

Education for your child is important and regular attendance at school is essential for your child to achieve their educational best and increase their career and life options. NSW public schools work in partnership with parents to encourage and support regular attendance of children and young people. When your child attends school every day, learning becomes easier and your child will build and maintain friendships with other children.

What are my Legal responsibilities?

Education in New South Wales is compulsory for all children between the ages of six years and below the minimum school leaving age of 17 years. The Education Act 1990 requires that parents ensure their children of compulsory school age are enrolled at, and regularly attend school, or, are registered with the NSW Education and Standards Authority for home schooling.

Once enrolled, children are required to attend school each day it is open for students.

The Importance of arriving on time

Arriving at school and class on time:

- Ensures that students do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day
- Helps students learn the importance of punctuality and routine
- Give students time to greet their friends before class
- Reduces classroom disruption

Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

What if my child has to be away from school?

On occasion, your child may need to be absent from school. Justified reasons for student absences may include:

- being sick, or having an infectious disease
- having an unavoidable medical appointment
- being required to attend a recognised religious holiday
- exceptional or urgent family circumstance (e.g. attending a funeral)

Following an absence from school you must ensure that within 7 days you provide your child's school with a verbal or written explanation for the absence. However, if the school has not received an explanation from you within 2 days, the school may contact you to discuss the absence.

Principals may decline to accept an explanation that you have provided if they do not believe the absence is in the best interest of your child. In these circumstances your child's absence would be recorded as unjustified. When this happens the principal will discuss their decision with you and the reasons why.

Principals may request medical certificates or other documentation when frequent or long term absences are explained as being due to illness. Principals may also seek parental permission to speak with medical specialists to obtain information to collaboratively develop a health care plan to support your child. If the request is denied, the principal can record the absences as unjustified.

Travel

Families are encouraged to travel during school holidays. If travel during school term is necessary, discuss this with your child's school principal. An Application for Extended Leave may need to be completed. Absences relating to travel will be marked as leave on the roll and therefore contribute to your child's total absences for the year.

In some circumstances students may be eligible to enrol in distance education for travel periods over 50 school days. This should be discussed with your child's school principal.

My child won't go to school what should I do?

You should contact the principal as soon as possible to discuss the issue and ask for help. Strategies to help improve attendance may include a referral to the school's learning and support team or linking your child with appropriate support networks. The principal may seek further support from the Home School Liaison Program to develop an Attendance Improvement Plan.

What might happen if my child continues to have unacceptable absences?

It is important to understand that the Department of Education may be required to take further action where children of compulsory school age have recurring numbers of unexplained or unjustified absences from school.

Some of the following actions may be undertaken:

- Compulsory Schooling Conferences

You may be asked, along with your child, to attend a Compulsory Schooling Conference. The conference will help to identify the supports your child may need to have in place so they attend school regularly. The school, parents and agencies will work together to develop an agreed plan (known as Undertakings) to support your child's attendance at school.

- Application to the Children's Court – Compulsory Schooling Order

If your child's attendance at school remains unsatisfactory the Department may apply to the Children's Court for a Compulsory Schooling Order. The Children's Court magistrate may order a Compulsory Schooling Conference to be convened.

- Prosecution in the Local Court

School and Department staff remain committed to working in partnership with you to address the issues which are preventing your child's full participation at school. In circumstances where a breach of compulsory schooling orders occurs further action may be taken against a parent in the Local Court. The result of court action can be the imposition of a community service order or a fine.

What age can my child leave school?

All New South Wales students must complete Year 10 or its equivalent. After Year 10, and up until they reach 17 years of age, there are a range of flexible options for students to complete their schooling.

Working in Partnership

The NSW Department of Education recognises that working collaboratively with students and their families is the best way to support the regular attendance of students at school.

We look forward to working in partnership with you to support your child to fulfil their life opportunities.

Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight



= **4** weeks

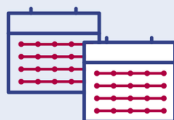


= Over **1** year missed

1 day per week



= **8** weeks



= Over **2.5** years missed

More information

Further Information regarding school attendance can be obtained from the following websites:

Policy, information and brochures:

Please visit the Department of Education's Policy Library AND The Department's Attendance Matters Website

The school leaving age:

Please visit the Department of Education's Wellbeing and Learning website

Do you need an interpreter?

Interpreting services are available on request, including for the hearing impaired. The Telephone Interpreter Service is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week on **131 450**. You will not be charged for this service.



Kindy 2026 Enrolments

If you have a child or know a child that will be starting school in 2026, please have them either fill in the online enrolment form through the school website or contact the office for more information.

Online Enrolments NOW OPEN

- ✓ Within our school catchment zone
- ✓ Provide 100 points Proof of address

For more information, please contact our enrolments officer on 9874-4109.

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Transition to School Webinar for families



**FREE
WEBINAR**

The Northern Sydney Early and School Years team is excited to partner with Wayahead to offer a free **'Transition to school webinar'** to assist parents and carers for a smooth and successful start to school. This informative session will focus on understanding and managing childhood anxiety, with practical strategies to support your child through this important milestone. Topics include separation anxiety, the cycle of anxiety, strategies to manage and the "Small Steps" approach - helping children tackle their worries one step at a time.

Date: Wednesday, 10th September 2025

Two options available: 12pm - 1.15pm; or
7:15pm - 8.30pm

Location: Online via Zoom

Partnered with:



Scan QR code to register



12 - 1:15pm



7:15- 8:30pm





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ERMINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL 2026 OC ENROLMENTS

**ORIENTATION DAY WILL BE HELD ON
FRIDAY, 12 DECEMBER 2025**

9:30am - 10:30am

**An email will be sent out by Thursday, 28
November to those students that have accepted a
position at our school**

ACCEPTED OFFERS ONLY INVITED

**- ENGAGED -
- PROUD -
- SUCCESSFUL -**

LOST WATER BOTTLES

I am a little water bottle,
I do not know my age,
You all went home on Friday,
And left me on the stage.

If I get a bath in the dishwasher,
I'll be as good as new,

So please look at me,
And ask yourself,
Could I belong to you?

by Mrs Put-your-name-on-it
(Mrs Cheng)

Please check the front office, in
the wooden box seat for missing
food and drink articles :)



Kindergarten

What a wonderful start to Term 3! Our Kindergarten students were barking with excitement as we celebrated 101 Days of School—a milestone filled with counting fun, creative crafts, and smiles all around.



This term, our young learners have been getting their hands dirty (in the best way!) through our Kitchen Garden program, where they've explored planting, harvesting, and learning about healthy food from garden to plate.



Stage 1

SYDNEY ZOO

The first half of the term has been an exciting and enriching time for Stage 1. A highlight was the excursion to Sydney Zoo, where students had the opportunity to explore a diverse range of animals up close. They also participated in a meaningful Aboriginal cultural workshop, where they learned about traditional tools and the practical uses of native plants. A particularly memorable moment was handling an emu egg and having their faces painted with ochre—a hands-on experience that truly brought the learning to life..





EDUCATION WEEK

Students were thrilled to welcome so many parents, grandparents, and carers during the Education Week Open Day. They proudly shared their learning with their guests through engaging classroom activities, helped plant trees, and enjoyed a showcase of talent at the Ermington Public School assembly. The day concluded with a relaxed and joyful picnic lunch, making it a memorable celebration of our school community.



Stage 2

What a Wild and Wonderful Start to Term 3! It's been a jam-packed, fun-filled start to Term 3 and we've loved every moment of it! From diving into our learning to showing off our creative flair, there's never a dull day. We kicked off the term with some amazing highlights, welcoming families into our classrooms, sprinting, jumping, and cheering at the Athletics Carnival, and strutting our stuff in the Book Parade with some wild and wacky costumes.

In English, we've been hooked on **The Callers** by Kiah Thomas. The story has taken us on a magical ride through two exciting worlds, filled with curious characters and twisty plots. We've been putting our detective hats on to explore character traits, make comparisons, and describe personalities in our own words. Maths has seen us tackling bigger numbers, mastering multiplication, and getting hands-on with fractions, time, and measurement. There's been plenty of "a-ha!" moments along the way, and maybe a few brain-tingling challenges too! But the star of the show? Science. Let's be honest, when your first lesson starts with popping popcorn and eating it, how can it not be a hit? We've been having a blast exploring scientific concepts in the most delicious way possible.

It's been an action-packed first half of the term, and we're all buzzing to see what fun and learning the rest of Term 3 will bring!

Check-in assessment for Years 3-6

Dear parents and carers,

Next week, students will begin participating in the Check-in assessment.

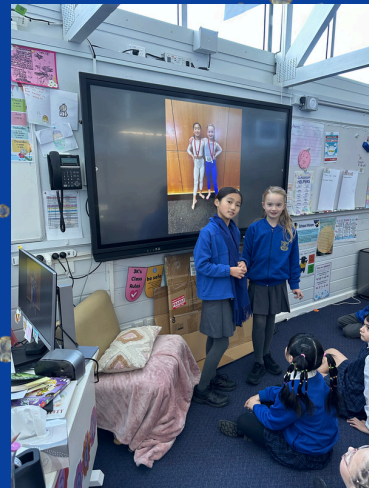
The Check-in assessment is a NSW Department of Education online literacy and numeracy assessment available to support schools to assess and monitor student learning.

The assessment can supplement existing school practices to identify how students are performing in literacy and numeracy and to help teachers tailor their teaching more specifically to student needs. Students with a disability may receive the same level of support during the assessment that they would normally receive in the classroom.

The assessment will be scheduled for our students over weeks 6 to 9 this term. All students will complete a reading and a numeracy assessment. Year 6 students will also complete a writing assessment.

Students will need to bring headphones or earbuds that plug into a computer to enable them to hear audio during the assessment.

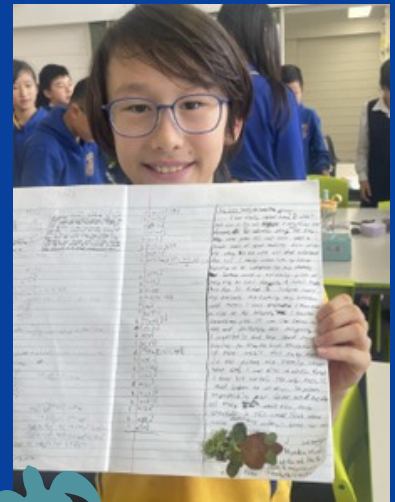
Please contact the school should you have any questions or concerns.





Stage 3

6X have been engaging in exciting projects involving hands on activities. Students created a brochure for one of the 7 wonders as well as a turtle made from reusable materials.



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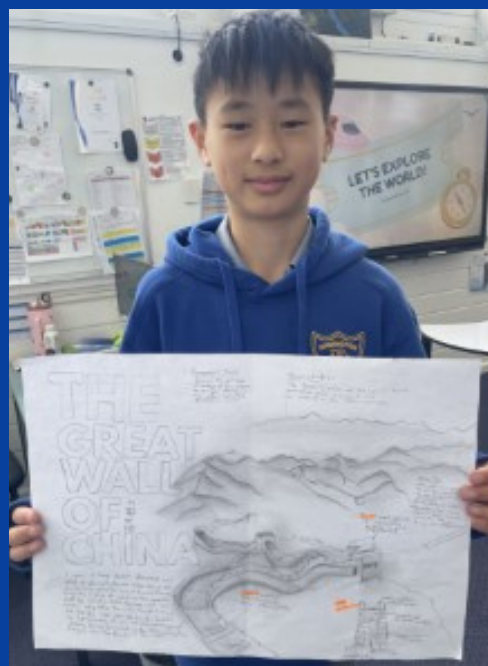
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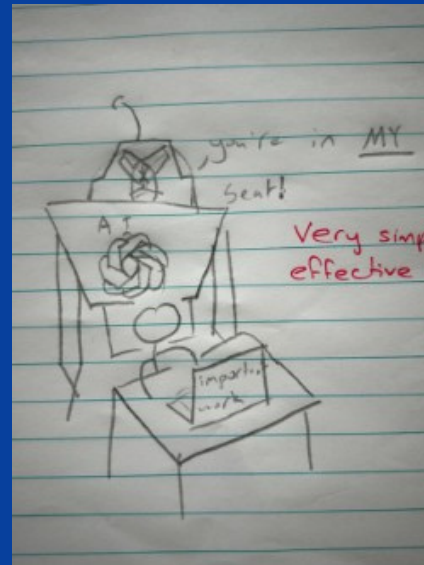
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Students in 5/6T have been enthusiastically participating in the Premier's Sporting Challenge, building strength and resilience along the way. Despite the rainy weather, they've shown great determination by completing every exercise with a positive attitude and team spirit.



Year 6 Announcements

YEAR 6 FUNDRAISING EVENTS

YEAR 6 END OF YEAR BOOK INSTRUCTIONS:

"Attention Year 6 Parents! We are getting the yearbook ready and need photos of your child from school related activities (alone or with their Year 6 friends only).

Please email to epsyr6book@gmail.com and name all photos in this format to help our volunteer parents stay organised.

StudentFirstLastName_Activity_Year (ie. JoeSmith_SportsCarnival_Year2)"

Athletics Carnival Yr3-6



Zone Athletics Carnival

On Monday 18th August, 50 Ermington Public School students attended the Ryde Zone Athletics Carnival at Sydney Olympic Park. In wet conditions, our students performed outstandingly and produced incredible results. We had athletes challenging in all events from 100m sprints to jumping over phenomenal heights in high jump. In the stands, the students got behind each and every single competitor whenever they saw them taking the track or field displaying fantastic school spirit. We're so honoured to take such talented and respectful students to be represent our school at such prestigious sporting events. Well done to all athletes who attended, you did Ermington proud! A special mention to the following students who have qualified to represent the Ryde Zone at the Sydney North Athletics Carnival on Monday 22nd September: Shiloh C, Benji M, Moses L, Samiuella L, Max R, Heidi V.





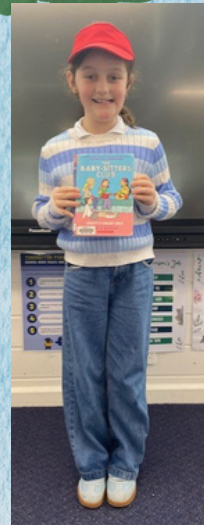


2025 CHILDREN'S
BOOK WEEK



'BOOK AN ADVENTURE'

It was raining cats and dogs, solar systems and chickens, wizards and princesses today! We really saw it all, and despite the heavy downpour everyone enjoyed the Book Character Parade this morning. A huge thank you to all the families and teachers who helped bring the costumes to life, the creativity on show was amazing. A big shout out to Miss Naughton and Miss Corbett for bringing this awesome event to life. We hope you enjoy the photos of the fabulous parade.





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Premier's Sport Challenge

5/6T enjoyed the weekly sporting challenge of skipping. We adapted it in multiple team games where you had to skip to get back in after being eliminated. It has helped with our minutes towards the Premier's Sporting Challenge!



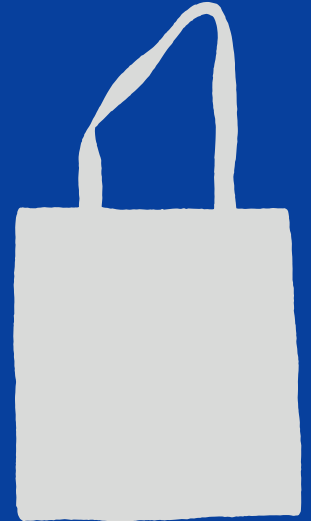
As part of the NSW Premier's Sporting Challenge, this week's activity was foot juggling, and Mrs. MacKenzie led the way! She gave it her best shot, had us all captivated, and even set a new record of 2 foot juggles. She really showed us how it's done, inspiring everyone to give it a go themselves. Well done, Mrs. MacKenzie!



Library

Well done to everyone for all the effort and enthusiasm you've been showing in the library.

Just a reminder to keep bringing your library bag on your library day to help keep books safe and in good condition.



Book Clubs

Book Club orders are due:

FRIDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER

Please have your finals order in by the cut-off date to ensure you get your selected items.



Did you know... reading for just 20 minutes a day can improve your vocabulary, reduce stress, and boost brain power?



RYDE ZONE PSSA ANNOUNCEMENT

STATEMENT REGARDING 2025 WINTER FINALS SERIES

Due to the excessive rain and subsequent field closures during the 2025 winter PSSA competition, we have lost 7 of the expected 14 rounds: rounds 2, 3, 9, 11, 12, 13 and likely 14 this week.

After consultation with the participating schools, the Ryde Zone PSSA Executive has decided to cancel the 2025 winter PSSA finals series. During the weeks previously set aside for finals rounds, rounds 2, 13 and 14 will be replayed as follows:

- ☐ 29 August: Round 13 replayed 5
- ☐ September: Round 14 replayed 12
- ☐ September: Round 2 replayed

These rounds were chosen as rounds 13 and 14 are still in the system and require less administration to complete. The additional round will be round 2, which was the first to be washed out.

Medals will be awarded to the teams coming first on each ladder at the end of the season and ribbons awarded to the teams coming second on each ladder. Medals and ribbons will be distributed to winning schools after the final round.

This decision is permitted under the Constitution, which takes precedence over the General Rules. Clause 13.2 gives the power to the convenors of each sport to make decisions regarding draws. Notwithstanding the authority granted by the Constitution, the Executive sought and received input from all participating schools as well as the convenors. The overwhelming majority of schools (88.9%) preferred to replay washed out rounds rather than a finals series.

The benefits of replaying rounds include:

- ☐ the ladder becomes fairer than it otherwise would be: hopefully based on 10 rounds instead of 7; and
- ☐ more students are able to participate in sport as scheduled friendlies often don't proceed.

As always, the students are at the fore front of our decisions.

Ryde Zone PSSA Executive

Community Notice Board

Dear Ermington Public School Community,

We are excited to announce that **City of Ryde's annual Sustainable Waste 2 Art Prize (SWAP)** exhibition is coming up soon!

This exhibition will feature around 75 artworks made from recovered waste materials, showcasing creativity and environmental awareness. The artworks are divided into three categories: Junior (10 – 13 Years), Youth (14 – 17 years) and Open (18+ years). All attendees will have the opportunity to vote for their People's Choice.

We warmly invite your school community to visit the exhibition, where your children can be inspired and learn more about the pressing environmental issues our world faces today.

Please find the exhibition schedule below. If you are interested in arranging a school excursion, please email our SWAP team at cor.swap@gmail.com to make a booking.

Exhibition dates: Friday, 5 September – Saturday, 20 September 2025

Opening hours: 11.00am to 4.00pm, Tuesday to Saturday (Closed on Sunday to Monday)

Location: See Street Gallery, Meadowbank (a 4-minute walk from Meadowbank station)

In addition to the physical exhibition, we will also have a digital exhibition available from **5 September to Sunday, 21 September** on the SWAP webpage.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with our SWAP team at cor.swap@gmail.com or call 9952 8222.

Kind regards,
Emily Quinn Smyth and Tessa Roe
SWAP Project Team – City of Ryde Council



Thank You

A Sincere Thank You to the Epping Eastwood Lions Club!

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the Epping Eastwood Lions Club for their generous donation of \$500 towards our Aerobics Dance Group's upcoming competition on the Gold Coast.

In Week 6, our dedicated dancers will proudly represent our school at the National Aerobics Championship Competition. The team has been training diligently in preparation for this prestigious event, demonstrating remarkable commitment, discipline, and team spirit.

The support from our sponsors plays a vital role in helping our students pursue their goals and showcase their talents on a larger stage. We are truly grateful to the Epping Eastwood Lions Club for backing our students and investing in their growth and success.

We wish our Aerobics Dance Team the very best of luck as they embark on this exciting journey. We look forward to watching them shine and dance their hearts out on the Gold Coast.

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Epping Eastwood Lions Club is a community based organization that helps people in need within our local community.

Assistance is given by delivering Meals on Wheels, organising Grocery Donation drives, Christmas cake sales

and providing BBQs at Meadowbank Netball for Eastwood Ryde Netball Association to name a few.

Volunteers are always required to assist in these tasks, so if you have an hour or two to give each month, please call

Lynn Campbell on 0402 089 415.



Coming
Soon!

P&C EVENTS

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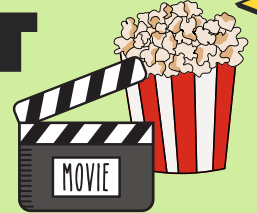
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ERMO'S MOVIE NIGHT

BYO BLANKETS, SQUISHMALLOWS
Popcorn 1 + Year 6 Fundraising Candy Bar



FATHER'S DAY

BEFORE SCHOOL: DAD'S BREAKFAST
DURING CLASS TIME: STUDENT GIFT STALL

5
SEPT

SUPER
DAD

16
SEP

GROOVE NATION

PRE-SHOW BBQ DINNER + SHOW TREATS

FEEL
THE
BEAT

MORE INFORMATION IS COMING SOON!

CAN YOU HELP?

WE CAN'T PUT ON OUR EVENTS WITHOUT YOU! TO VOLUNTEER AT A P&C EVENT....

KEEP YOUR EYE OUT FOR OPPORTUNITIES VIA WHATSAPP, AND ON EVENT COMMUNICATIONS

JOIN THE CHAT "ERMO EVENTS VOLUNTEERS" ON WHATSAPP

FOLLOW "PARENTS OF ERMINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL" ON FACEBOOK

OR EMAIL: ermmps.pandc.fundraising@gmail.com



THANK YOU
VERY MUCH!



GROOVE NATION

PRIMARY SCHOOL DANCE PROGRAMS

GROOVE NATION CONCERT



2
SHOWS
TERM 3

TUESDAY
16TH
SEPT

MATINEE &
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SHOW

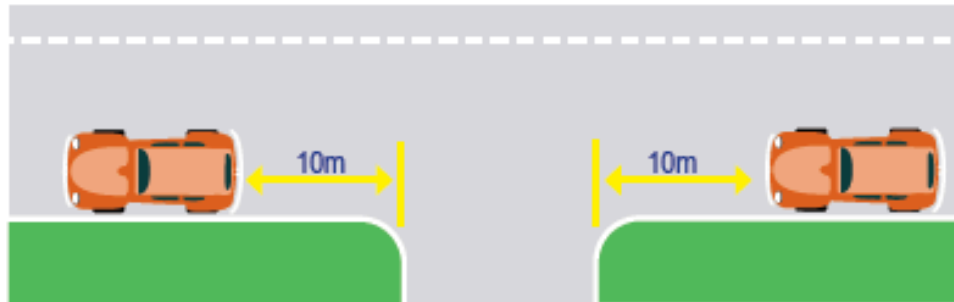
SAUSAGE
SIZZLE
DINNER

KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR TICKETS SOON

Parking Rules

Please park safely and legally on the streets around your school. Park legally so you do not incur parking fines and demerit points. Council's Parking Enforcement Officers and NSW Police enforce parking regulations around schools. If you park contrary to the road rules you will be fined!

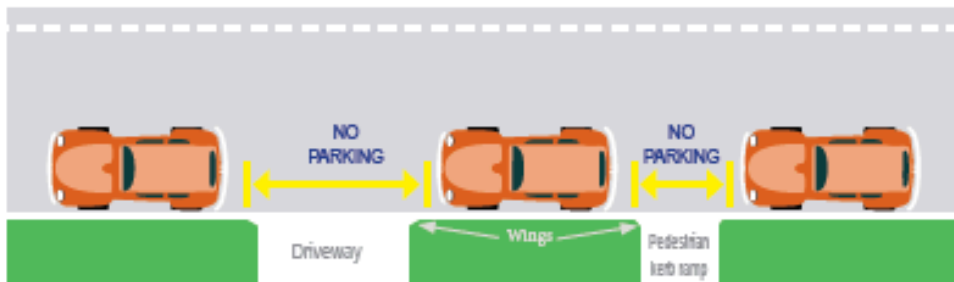
You cannot stop or park your vehicle:



Within 10m of an intersecting road at an intersection without traffic lights (20m with traffic lights), unless a sign states you can park there (see image at left).

PENALTIES & DEMERIT POINTS APPLY

You must park in the same direction of travel and parallel and as close to the kerb as possible.



You can NOT park across driveways or pedestrian kerb ramps. A vehicle can be parked up to the wings on the driveways or ramp (see image)

PENALTIES & DEMERIT POINTS APPLY

'No Parking' Zone Rules

The 'No Parking' zone rules

- The driver may stop in this zone for a maximum of two (2) minutes. *If your child is not there, you must drive away and come back later, so other drivers can pick up students who are waiting.*
- The driver **MUST** remain in or within three (3) metres of their vehicle at all times.
- The driver **MUST NOT** leave their vehicle unattended.
- If times of operation are shown on the sign, the restriction only applies during those times.

How to use a 'No Parking' zone

'No Parking' zones are provided as a space for drivers to be able to quickly drop-off and pick-up passengers.

To use a 'No Parking' zone effectively, pull into the most forward position available. Allow your passenger to alight from the vehicle, on the kerbside, then drive away.



We kindly remind all parents and guardians that are dropping students off, to be mindful that parking across driveways is a fineable offense. Driveway accessibility is required at all times. We encourage use of our 'Kiss and Drop' section on Winbourne Rd to avoid parking congestion and ensure a speedy collection of your children.

Thank you

Advertising in Ermo Highlights

The school often publishes information on behalf of community groups – parents need to decide on the appropriateness of activities involving their child. It is the responsibility of each parent to research the bona fides of any organisation in which you wish for your child to be involved. The school accepts no responsibility with regard to advertisements placed in the newsletter. Parents and guardians should make their own decision.



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YOUNG ACADEMICS
Early Learning Centre

ASK ABOUT OUR TRANSITION TO SCHOOL PROGRAM

PURPOSE BUILT CENTRE **ALL INCLUSIVE SERVICE** **NURSERY, TODDLER & PRESCHOOL** **SAME FAMILY FEEL**

YOUNGACADEMICS.COM.AU **1300 668 993** **247 KISSING POINT RD, DUNDAS**

City of Ryde Libraries would like to invite your students to our Indigenous Literacy Day Aboriginal Storytelling through Art workshop.

The workshop introduces children to traditional symbols representing people, the land, and animals, and guides them in creating and presenting their own stories. This creative, intercultural experience is a great way to increase our younger generation to the storytelling of our Indigenous and First nations people.

Where: Ryde Library
When: Thurs 4 Sept 2025
Time: 4.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages: 5yrs +

Click here for [Bookings](#)

 City of Ryde



YOUNG
ENGINEERS

Engineering & Robotics Weekly After-School Program

- 50 + countries, 30,000+ students, 16 + years
- Recognised by Harvard School of Education & the European Union Commission.



Uniquely designed and universally acclaimed STEM programs where children have fun while learning critical skills for the digital age. We aim to ignite a student's passion for science, technology and engineering using specially designed, motorised LEGO® kits.

Y1-2: Build Up Program
Y3-5: Engineering & Robotics

Book Now

EVERY WEDNESDAY, 3 - 4.30 PM
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JOIN NOW



Australian
Air League

NSW Group

NSW GROUP IS NOW ENROLLING



Since 1934 the Australian Air League has been teaching young boys and girls nationwide all about aviation, while helping them develop important life skills like leadership, discipline, self confidence and teamwork. When you join the league you will make new friends and take part in fun and exciting activities, on the ground and in the air.

Each week you will attend your local squadron where you will learn valuable skills and take part in fun

and interesting activities and classes. Some of our classes include Meteorology, Navigation, Photography and Community Service. Squadrons also attend training camps, sport and recreational days, flying experiences and ceremonial drill.

We welcome boys and girls from the age of 8 years old from all different cultures and backgrounds. Parents and families are welcome to support or even join their local squadron as a volunteer. All adult

members and volunteers are Working with Children Checked.

The Australian Air League is running both a fun and educational programme that is making fine citizens

out of our young Australians.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE AUSTRALIAN AIR
LEAGUE AND YOUR CLOSEST SQUADRON
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Fireworks Spectacular

SAT 23 AUGUST
3PM – 7PM

9A LINCOLNSTREET, EASTWOOD

Rides • Food • Market Stalls
Entertainment • Fireworks at 7:15pm

**Pre-purchase Unlimited
Rides Wristband:**



Want to play Water Polo?

Come to our Summer Trials

At Ryde Aquatic Leisure Centre

Junior Women

Monday 25th August 2025

6:30pm to 8pm - Born 2012-2015

7pm to 9pm - Born 2008-2011

Monday 1st September 2025

6:30pm to 8pm - Born 2012-2015

7pm to 9pm - Born 2008-2011

Junior Men

Thursday 28th August 2025

6:30pm to 8pm - Born 2012-2015

7pm to 9pm - Born 2008-2011

Thursday 4th September 2025

6:30pm to 8pm - Born 2012-2015

7pm to 9pm - Born 2008-2011



MORE INFORMATION

Please fill out Junior EOI if you are attending:
<https://www.rydewaterpolo.com.au/events/307484>

* Must be a very capable swimmer

SYDNEY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL OPEN NIGHT



Wednesday 10 September
3:00 - 6:00pm

Principal's Address, Workshops, Performances, Displays
and Information



Anzac Parade
SURRY HILLS
NSW 2010



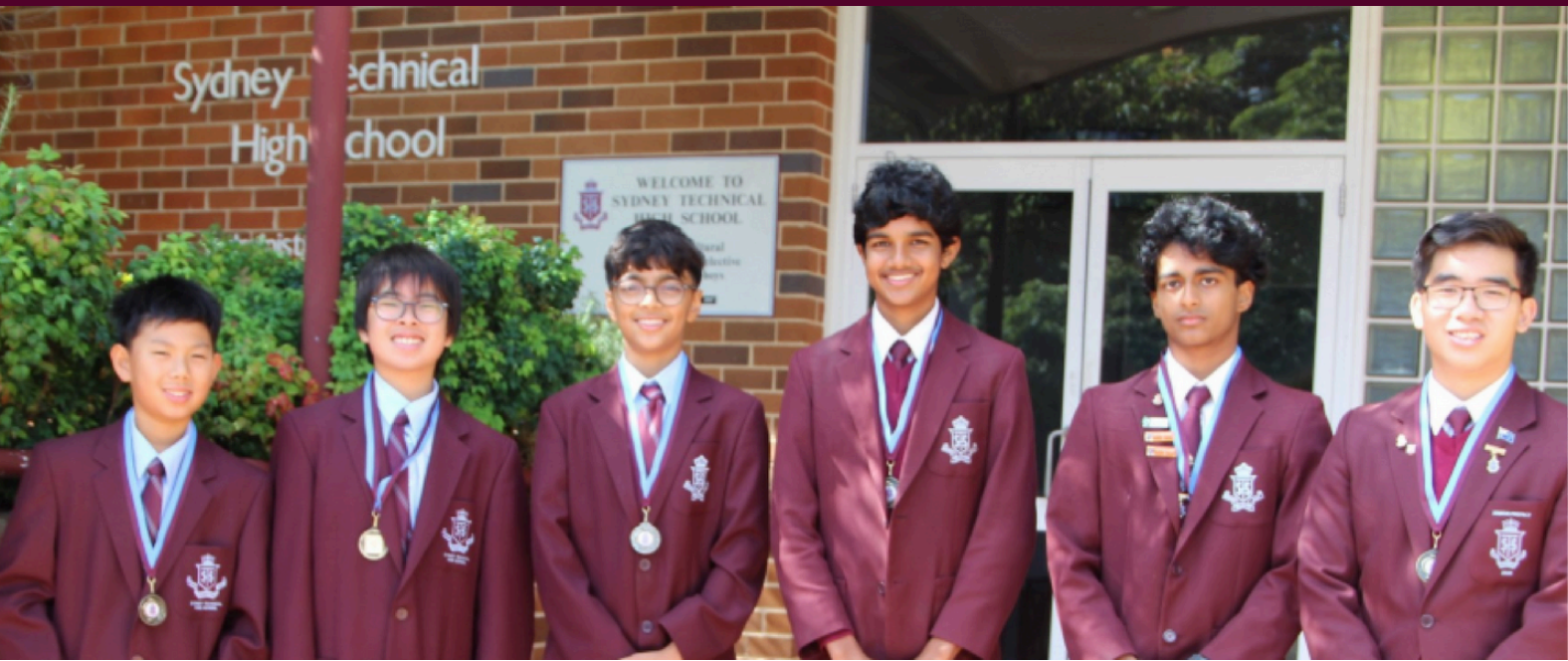
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Sydney Technical High School



OPEN DAY

for Year 7, 2027

TUESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

9am - 11:30am

- Explore our Academic Junior Acceleration Program
- Interactive Lesson Tasters for students
- Meet our Principal and Leadership Team
- Guided School Tours

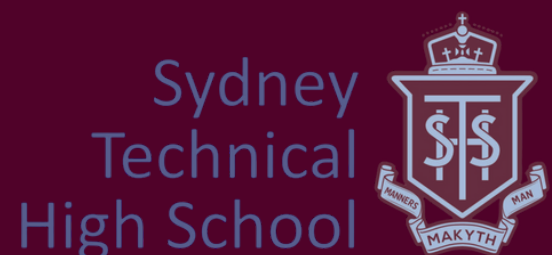
REGISTER VIA OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE

Website: sydneytech-h.schools.nsw.gov.au

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Contact Us

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686 Forest Road

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**\$245 for 3
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August 31st!**

PROGRAM INCLUDES

- 01** 9-3pm each day
- 02** Basketball, Rugby, AFL, Netball, Soccer on offer
- 03** Suitable for all ages and skill levels
- 04** Guest appearances at selected programs



It was overall very positive and the kids made great connections with coaching staff and other participants



THREE DAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY SPORTS CAMPS!

LOCATIONS

- Ryde Aquatic Leisure Centre, Ryde - 29, 30 September, 1 October 2025
- E.L.S Hall Park, North Ryde - 7, 8, 9 October 2025
- Macquarie University, North Ryde - 29, 30 September and 7, 8, 9 October 2025
- Sydney Academy of Sport, Narrabeen - 7, 8, 9 October 2025
- Boronia Park, Hunters Hill - 8, 9, 10 October 2025
- Nolan Reserve, North Manly - 29, 30 September, 1 October 2025

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SEP '25 SCHOOL HOLIDAY CAMP

Mon 29 Sep - Wed 1 Oct
Half Day: 9am - 1pm: \$286 ^{INC GST} | Full Day: 9am - 3pm: \$396 ^{INC GST}

ELS Hall Synthetic Field, 109A Kent Rd, North Ryde
BOYS & GIRLS 4-14 YEARS | New players will receive a complimentary camp kit
Register at justfootballacademy.com.au/register | Enquiries can be made on 1300 724 189



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Melrose Park
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Melrose Park Public School and Community Fundraiser

Join us for our annual charity fundraising event featuring a night of food, drinks, and entertainment. Participate in our charity golf event at Ryde-Parramatta Golf Club, open to pros, amateurs, and first-time golfers.

Ryde-Parramatta Golf Club

**Thursday 30 October | Registration from 9 am
Golf from 11 am | drinks and dinner from 5:30 pm**

TICKET PRICES

Four players - golf and dinner	\$600
Single player - golf and dinner	\$150
Single player - golf only Dinner	\$100
only - per person	\$85



Register and buy your tickets today

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**An exclusive partnership opportunity to promote your
company within the local community!**

**We are excited to
present an exclusive
partnership
opportunity. Join us on
Thursday, October 30, at
Ryde-Parramatta Golf
Club for a day of golf
followed by a
fundraising dinner with
entertainment.**

**Don't miss the
opportunity to show
your commitment to
supporting the local
community while also
enjoying a dinner, a
game of golf and good
company!**

Community Sponsorship | \$1,800

- A team of four players to compete in the Melrose Park Community Cup Golf Day, including the use of 2 carts Breakfast is provided before teeing off
- Four tickets to the fundraising dinner
- Exclusive hole signage
- Opportunity to showcase marketing material throughout the event
- Social media posts and opportunities

Non-play Sponsorship | \$1,250

- A perfect opportunity to support the local school if you are unable to attend
- Exclusive hole signage
- Opportunity to showcase marketing material throughout the event
- Social media posts and opportunities

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Representative Boccia Tournament 2025

The NSW School Sport Unit Representative Boccia Tournament is being held again in 2025. Students may trial for one of ten regional teams in August to gain selection for the state tournament in Sydney.

The tournament will be conducted in three divisions: Physical (ramper), Physical (thrower/ kicker) and Open. Students must have a formal sporting classification to trial.

The SSU Representative Boccia Tournament provides to an opportunity for talented players to represent their region and test themselves in a competitive environment.



State Tournament:

Quay Centre, Sydney Olympic Park

Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 October 2025.



Scan the QR code for more details including trial dates, eligible impairments, formal sporting classification and registration details.

Alternatively, you can visit:

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/disability-and-inclusion/representative-tournaments>

If you have any questions for the Disability Inclusion Officers, please contact them via email InclusiveSchoolSport@det.nsw.edu.au or call them on 9508 5534.

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The Secondary College of Languages is the leading provider of free face-to-face languages education in NSW.

Our college provides a pathway for students to learn a language when it is not offered at their weekday school.

Our courses follow NESA syllabuses and contribute towards the HSC and ATAR.

Classes are held on Saturday mornings at 13 campuses across Sydney, Newcastle and Wollongong.

Students from public schools and other educational providers are eligible to enrol at our college.

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Hindi	Russian
Italian	Serbian
Japanese	Spanish
Khmer	Turkish
Korean	Vietnamese

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OPEN 21 July 2025

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