

Merimbula Public School

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL)



On the Oval

Learning Intentions

We will know and understand how to keep happy and safe on the oval.



Rules and Responsibilities

- Ask for permission to go on the oval. Share the space.
- Stay away from the oval if it is wet, raining or has puddles.
- Tackle-free games only. Be fair. No gymnastics/piggy backing.
- If a game isn't going well, seek help from a teacher immediately.
- Use equipment properly and return it when finished.
- Yell "heads" if a ball is headed towards someone.
- Keep off sprinklers. Free play around oval/games on it.
- The oval is a 'dig-free' zone. No toy cars.
- Wear a bucket hat (Terms 1, 2, 3 and 4).
- Stay in bounds where the duty teacher can see you.
- Alert a teacher if equipment goes over the fence. They will organise its collection ASAP (without leaving supervision).



"We do not stop playing because we grow old.

We grow old because we stop playing." – Benjamin Franklin

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Supervising Teacher Information

- Staff wear a hat and visibility vests when on duty.
- The duty teacher (front oval) carries an epipen and mobile phone (with Chats). Mobiles are to be used in the case of an emergency only.
- Supervisors wear a school key and safety lanyard.
- In the event of a lockdown, move to the nearest lockable space.
- Active supervision/no staff talking. Gymnastics/tackling/athletics supervised by qualified staff (see Sports Unit policy). Play equipment/Pump Track to have other staff.
- Supervised team games adhere to NSW DoE Sports Unit guidelines.
- Drink bottles are fine. Sealed drinking mugs only.



- ▶ Students receive whole-school playground Dojos for demonstrating appropriate behaviours.

Positive reminders of the school's values are given on the oval.

Negative oval behaviours are recorded on Compass.



- ▶ These behaviours are shared immediately with the students' next teacher, and via Compass referrals to all Executive, LST, RFF and class teachers of the student.

Health and Safety/Critical Response behaviour (PBL) concerns are reported to the Principal immediately.

School Discipline Policy, PBL Matrix and school values are adhered to.

"To provide an environment where achieving one's best is inevitable" – Our vision @ MPS



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