



Term 1 Week 10

Yenda Agenda



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Principal Report

Apologies for the delay in getting this newsletter out — we've had a few technological issues, but we're pleased to have everything back up and running again.

It's been another wonderful week here at school, filled with learning, achievements and plenty of smiles. As we head into our final week of the term, I'm sure it's going to be just as enjoyable and rewarding. It has been a fabulous term overall, and I want to thank our students, staff and families for their ongoing efforts and support.

A big congratulations to all students who took part in the recent cross country event. Your participation, determination and sportsmanship were truly impressive — well done to each and every one of you! We also had some excellent performances in netball recently. Full reports for both the cross country and the netball events will be included in Friday's newsletter.

We're all looking forward to celebrating the end of term with our Easter Activities Day on Wednesday. It's always a highlight and a fun way to bring the school community together before the holidays.

Wishing everyone a safe and relaxing break when it arrives — you've all earned it!

Mrs Michelle Perez - Assistant Principal



Yenda Public School Term 1 2025

Term 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 11	April 7	April 8	April 9 Easter Hat Parade & Family Picnic	April 10 Mortimer Shield	April 11 Last day of Term 1

Dates for your Calendar 2025

Wednesday 9 April

Easter Hat Parade & Family picnic

Friday 11 April

Last Day of Term

Monday 28 and Tuesday 29 April

School Development Day

Wednesday 30 April

Term 2 Commences for students



Yenda Public School Term 2 2025



Term 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	April 28 School Development Day HPGE PL for teachers	April 29 School Development Day	April 30 Students K-6 return Term 2	May 1	May 2 YPS ANZAC Service 10.45AM
Week 2	May 5	May 6	May 7	May 8	May 9

Welcome Kiara

Yenda Public School would like to welcome Kiara Spencer to our amazing team. Kiara has joined us as a School Learning Support Officer (SLSO), and will be working Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. We are very excited to have Kiara join us at Yenda Public School.



CHANGE: Delivery of our School Newsletter- Yenda Agenda

Our school newsletter is currently available via the school website, email, our school Facebook page, School Bytes and the NSW Education Parent App. Due to the size of the newsletter and ongoing email delivery issues, **we will no longer be sending it via email after the end of this term.**

From Term 2, you can access our newsletter through any of these 4 platforms: the **school website, school Facebook page, NSW Education Parent App and School Bytes.** If you need any assistance with accessing these, feel free to visit the school office- we're happy to help!



Easter Hat Making

Our Easter Hat Parade is coming up in Week 11, and we can't wait to see all the creative designs! This is a fun event where all students get to make and wear their own Easter hats.

- K-2 students will be making their hats at school. They are welcome to bring in bits and pieces to decorate their hats if they like. These can be brought in from now and given to their classroom teacher.
- Years 3-6 students will create their hats at home and bring them in before the day of the parade.

We look forward to a fantastic celebration filled with creativity and Easter fun! 🐣🎨🌟

NSW Education Parent App

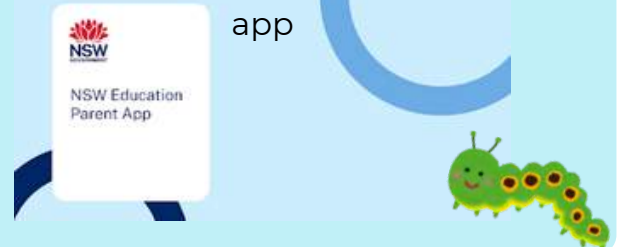
The NSW Education Parent App is an app developed and endorsed by the department, free for schools and parents and carers to use, and is synced with the School Website service (SWS)

Key features of the app for parents and carers include:

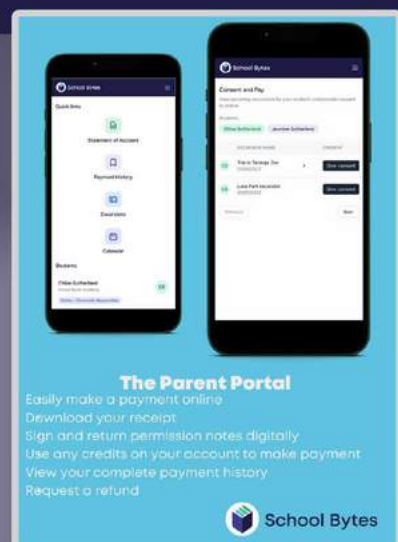
- newsletters
- upcoming events and calendar notifications
- emergency notification including school closures
- enrolment resources such as School Finder and Start a new enrolment application
- learning resources such as everyday Maths and Parents and Carers toolkit
- ability to translate default language

For more information:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/about-us/technology/nsw-education-parent-app>



AVAILABLE NOW!



Register for the Parent Portal via the QR Code or visit
<https://portal.schoolbyteseducation>





Term 2 Whole School Assembly

Yenda PS assemblies start at 2pm, and occur twice a term in the school hall.

Term 2:

Week 5: Friday 30 May

Items by KQ & 5/6P

Week 9: Friday 27 June

Multicultural Public Speaking



Reminders



School Hats are to be worn every day! If your child does not have a school hat, they will be asked to play under the COLA.



School Attendance Matters

Yenda PS-Week 9

94.0%

Attendance Rate

90.3%

DoE State

88.4%

Network

91.0%

SSSG

87.0%

Students Attending >=90% of the time

72.0%

DoE State

66.6%

Network

72.5%

SSSG



ATTENDANCE
MATTERS



Yenda PS-Week 10

93.9%

Attendance Rate

89.8%

DoE State

88.5%

Network

90.4%

SSSG

84.3%

Students Attending >=90% of the time

69.5%

DoE State

66.1%

Network

70.6%

SSSG

**Department of
Education (DoE)
deems
satisfactory
attendance as
90%.**

Yenda ANZAC Day March

Yenda Public School students have once again been invited to represent the school in the Yenda ANZAC Day march and service on 25th April 2025. Students will meet Yenda Public School staff at the Yenda Diggers' Club at 10.45am. The march will start just before 11am. Students are to wear our school winter uniform, the school broad brimmed hat and bring a drink bottle. We would love to see as many students as possible representing our school on this day.



Bronze Awards

KQ - Ryder Cafe, Kate Chilby, Makenzie Coenradi, Sophie Curran, Aria Egan, Matilda Jefferys, Paisley Lane, Nixon Lawrence, Savannah Lawson, Jase Rebellato, Stevie Smith, Ava Storrier, Mahalia Vito

IV - Bailey Brown, Jager Damini, Ultan Farrell, Zahlia Forrester, Charlee Grant, Cino Irvin, Isac Manera, Riley Meginley, Scarlett Riggs, Parker Rossetto, Phoebe Ryan, Lee Savage, Isabellah Turner, Philippa Turner, Alara Vearing, Sienna Vearing, Zayn Wheeler

2/3B - Charles Atkins, Heath Bull, Harper Coenradi, Indie Crowe, Emma Curran, Rupert Rosenow, Blayze Ross, Jade Savage, Lexi Tsai-Kellett, Alexis Ward, Kenzie Ward, Jyiden Knight

3/4B - Olive Betts, Sienna Cafe, Liam Charles, Selene Drewe, Peyton Eldridge, Lara Evans, Georgie Harman, Sienna Hawkins, Anthony Irvin, Emily Linnell, Leo Manera, Chantelle Power, Scarlett Richards, Savannah Riggs, Noah Ryan, Quinn Serafin, Jaggy Singh, Felicity Stockton, George Turner, Jasmine Vearing

5/6P - Isaac Craig, Joie Damini, Willow Dunn, Skye Evans, Austin Lodding, Emily Nehme, Alex Rossetto, Danielle Smith, Damon Tsai-Kellett, Olivia Wilkinson, Isabella-Jane Apps, Stella Forster, Alexis Meginley, Amelia Ryan, Sienna Serafin, Noah Signor, Emme Turner, Sophie Wallace

Congratulations

Riverina Soccer Trials

YPS is very proud of Sophie Wallace, Willow Dunn and Danielle Smith who travelled to Albury earlier this week to try out for the PSSA Riverina soccer team.

The girls all demonstrated their amazing skills, however were unsuccessful in making the team.



Introducing Yenda Public School's

Casual Classroom Teachers



Anna Melvin

I can't wait to become Mrs Duncan on the weekend.



Emma Couch

I have two toddlers and really love to dance around to cool music with them. When I am not at school I am enjoying my time watching them learn about the world around them.



Jason Calwell

When I am not teaching I'm probably in my garden. I also love travelling and relaxing with family and friends.



Sue Chilvers

I enjoy spending my free time knitting, crocheting and catching up with friends. I love watching my three beautiful grandchildren grow!



Jill Vaessen

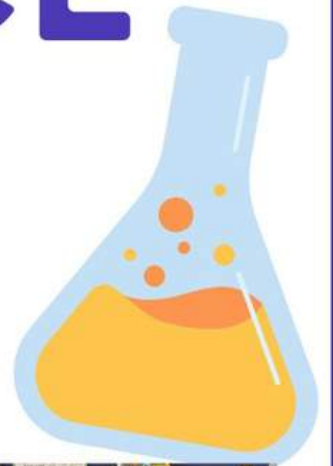
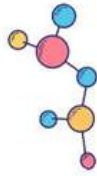
I love reading historical fiction books which take me to another time and place. Morning coffee is my favourite time of the day.



Julie Wadsworth

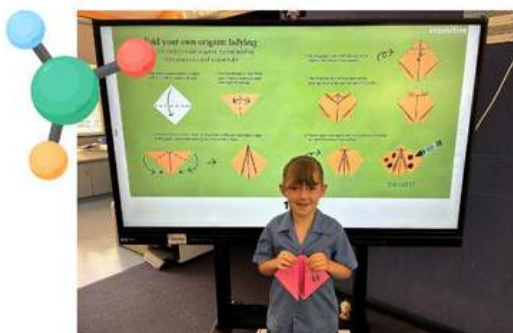
Teaching is a change of career for me. I love to read, cook and spend time with family.

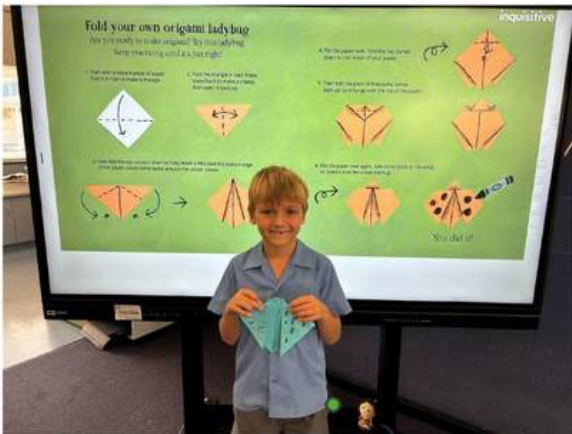
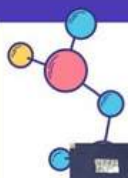
1V SCIENCE LAB



The emerging scientists of 1V have been very busy investigating different materials and discovering their properties and functions.

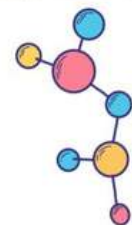
They have explored how combining ingredients can change consistency to create playdough. They have also learned that materials such as paper can be repurposed and woven into creative artwork. Furthermore, the scientists examined face masks by taking them apart to study the different materials used and how they are combined for a specific purpose.





SCIENCE





**1V had fun learning,
discovering and investigating
with Mrs Cunningham.**





Cross Country



YPS
P&C

TICKETS
ONLY

\$20 EA

Limited: Only 250 to sell

\$2000 CASH PRIZE

rafflelink.com.au/yendapandc2025cash

One Winner,
One Prize- Will
It Be You?

SCAN HERE



Winner announced live @ Yenda PS
Easter Hat Parade - 9 April, 11am



YPS EASTER HAT PARADE & FAMILY LUNCH



**EASTER
TREATS
AVAILABLE AT
RECESS FOR
SALE**

WEEK 11: WED 9TH APRIL

10AM: SCHOOL COLA

11AM: BYO PICNIC LUNCH

LIMITED CANTEEN MENU WILL BE AVAILABLE

**K-2 EASTER HATS TO BE MADE AT SCHOOL
(WELCOME TO BRING IN DECORATIONS TO HELP)
YEARS 3-6 EASTER HATS TO BE MADE AT HOME**

Easter Family Night

Bunnings Griffith



Thursday 10th of April

4:00pm – 6:00pm

Activities and fun for the whole family

Come join us for an Easter Egg Hunt Instore!
Meet the Easter Bunny at 4:30pm and 5:30pm
There will be Kids DIY - Sand Art!
Face Painting
Light refreshments including Hot Cross Buns
Don't forget to wear your Easter Hats!

Don't miss out,
register now!



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ANZAC DAY YENDA

Yenda RSL Branch Invites you to remember



6.00am: Dawn Service - Yenda Memorial Park

6.30am: Community Breakfast - Yenda Hotel Beer Garden
Hosted by Yenda RSL Breakfast Committee

Egg and Bacon Roll - \$5.00
Sausage Sandwich - \$2.00
Includes -Tea, Coffee and Juice

10.50am: Marchers to assemble - Yenda Diggers Club

11.00am: ANZAC Service - Yenda Memorial Park

12.00pm: BBQ Lunch - Yenda Memorial Park
Hosted by Yenda Public School

1.00pm: 2-UP - Yenda Hotel
Hosted by Yenda Blue Heelers



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

LEARN, PLAY & GROW



BASKETBALL



GYMNASTICS



NERF/LASER TAG



ESCAPE ROOMS



CRAFTS



PICKLEBALL



OZ TAG




FUTSAL

And more! Kids Vouchers Accepted
Book 2 days, and get the 3rd at 50 % off



BOOK NOW





14 - 29 April 2025
Autumn

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
9am-3pm Gymnastics Basketball Science Experiments Dodgeball Silly Sock Day	9am-3pm Ball Sports Oz Tag Parkour Escape Room/Trivia	9am-3pm Boxing/Boot Camp Origami Gymnastics Mini Olympics	9am-3pm Pickleball Nerf/Laser Tag Parkour Easter Crafts	Closed (Public Holiday)
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9am-3pm Gymnastics Disco Oz Tag Trivia/Puzzles	9am-3pm Athletics Touch Footy Gymnastics Clay Sculpting	<p>Drop off from 8am Pick up until 4pm Further Extended Hours until 5pm available upon request. \$55/Day</p> <p>Book 2 days, and get the 3rd day at 50%</p>		<p>Join us in the April School Holidays for our mixed day programs - a fun introduction to mixed activities suitable for all ages and abilities!</p>

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

