



Our Lady of Hope School

Term 2, Week 5

30th May 2019

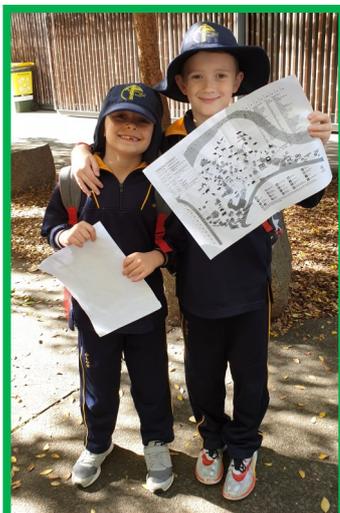
Absentee Advice: Please remember to advise the Front Office of your child's absence for any reason by **9.00 am** via the Skoolbag App or on 8289 8344.

Caring for God's Creation with Room 4

The students from Room 4 have been learning that the Earth and all life on Earth was created by God. They have been exploring the wonder of creation and are learning about God's wish that we take care of the environment and use its resources wisely. Room 4 have helped look after the Hope Grows garden on many occasions and recently had an excursion to the Zoo! This also included a session where they learnt how to care for animals.

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From the Principal

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Ashley Keane
Principal

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that we are almost at the half way mark of Term 2.

School Communication & Changes to the School Newsletter

Over the last few years we have introduced a number of new ways of communicating with parents. Prior to the introduction of online communication platforms such as Facebook, Skoolbag and Seesaw, the main form of communication with parents occurred through School newsletters, class newsletters and other targeted letters which were sent home in a hard copy format on paper. Facebook, Seesaw and Skoolbag now enable us to share information with parents in a timely manner using the power of social media and many parents are now accessing these tools as a way of keeping in touch with the happenings around the school.

After reviewing how we communicate with parents and share information about what is happening around the school, we have decided to re-think the number of School Newsletter issues we publish each term. From the beginning of next term we will only be producing three whole school newsletters per term as opposed to five newsletters that are currently published each term. These newsletters will be published in the first, fifth and ninth week of the term. We will do this on a trial basis for the remainder of the year and then review this decision at the end of the year.

We now have numerous ways in which families can keep in touch with what is happening at Our Lady of Hope School. These forms of communication include the following:

1. Seesaw: This is a very effective online communication app, which allows class teachers and specialist teachers to communicate individually with parents and also send group messages to families about class events. Parents can also send messages directly to teachers via Seesaw. I strongly encourage all parents to sign up to Seesaw in order to stay in touch with all the events happening in your child's class.

2. Skoolbag app: The Skoolbag app is what we use to communicate with parents about whole school events. It is predominantly used to send reminders to parents about school events that are happening and we also post letters that are sent home in hard copy on this app. Reminders about things such as pupil free days, casual clothes days, special school events etc. are posted on this app.

3. OLOH Qkr app: The OLOH Qkr app is used for sports carnivals, expressions of interest, permission forms, after school sports and payments in relation to these carnivals and after school sport activities.

4. Facebook: Our Lady of Hope now has a Facebook page which we use to share photos and snapshots of special events and happenings that have been occurring around the school.

5. Email: Parents are always encouraged to communicate with school staff via email if they wish to. All staff email addresses can be found on our school website.

6. Paper based communication methods will still also be used when deemed appropriate and hard copies of letters about some whole school events and excursions will be sent home as appropriate.

7. Face to face communication: Nothing can replace face to face communication. When possible parents are always welcome and encouraged to come in and talk to school staff about any issues or questions that they have.

If you can think of any other ways that we can improve the manner in which we communicate with parents, please don't hesitate to make suggestions via email akeane@oloh.catholic.edu.au or by coming in to speak with either myself or someone in the front office.

Winter Uniform and the Winter Months

Now we are starting to enter into the colder months of the year, can I please remind parents to ensure that they label their children's jumpers. You would be surprised

how often children start to feel hot in the yard after running around and decide to take their jumpers off and leave them in the yard. These jumpers usually find their way to the front office and if they are clearly labelled we can return them to their rightful owners. Quite often jumpers that are handed in are either not labelled, or the name on the jumper has worn off and can't be read. There are also times when people acquire second-hand jumpers and do not change the names on these jumpers. When this happens we have no way of returning the jumpers to their rightful owners and they are stored in the lost property cupboard in the office. Please take a few moments to check your child's clothing to ensure that it is clearly labelled with their name. The small amount of time taken now to check your child's clothing may save you time and money in the longer term.

It is great to see some of our girls wearing the new navy pants that are now on offer as part of our winter school uniform. These pants can be worn with the current yellow shirt or skivvy. The pants can be purchased from Devon Clothing which is located in the Clovercrest Village at the Clovercrest Plaza located on 24/429 Montague Road, Modbury.

Cyber Safety - Tips for Parents

In the last edition of the newsletter I wrote about some questions you can use to talk to your children about being safe online. This week I have written an article titled: "Children and Cyber Safety: tips for parents". In the article I aim to try and provide some useful tips for parents when trying to establish safe and healthy online habits with their children. This article can be found on page 11 of the newsletter.

God Bless,

Ashley Keane



Principal

Religious Education

Food Donations

St. Vincent de Paul has asked our community to donate non-perishable food for families less fortunate than ourselves.

All of the food items will be grouped into house colours (**Gleeson**, **Xavier**, **MacKillop**, **Ignatius**) and counted to see which team has donated the most!

On **Friday 21st June (Week 8)**, our Sports Captains and Social Justice group will be placing those items in front of the sports flags. They will then have a competition to see who can build the most creative sculpture with the food items!



To add to this exciting day, **students may wear casual clothes. We normally have a gold coin donation for this event, but this year a donation of non-perishable goods will take its place. Of course, if you wish to donate any money to St. Vincent de Paul you are most welcome.**

Students can start collecting now and drop off their donations in the allocated spot in their classroom. Let's see which sports team will be able to meet this challenge! **We only have three weeks!**

These are the food items St. Vincent de Paul need:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast Cereal (Vita Brits or Weet-Bix) (750g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned peas (420g) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Long Life Milk | <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned beans (420g) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soup (420g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuna (425g) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned tomatoes (410g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned fruit (425g) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned carrots (420g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Sugar (1kg) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tinned beetroot (425g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Rice (1kg) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jam (500g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pasta dry (500g) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Peanut paste (375g) | <input type="checkbox"/> Teabags (100 in a box) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vegemite (150g) | |

Masses

Week 5

Tomorrow, Friday 31st May, Rooms 2 and 1 will be having their Class Liturgy at **9.15 am**. Please join them in their special celebration!

Week 6

On Friday 7th June Room 14 will be celebrating their Class Mass at 9.15 am. It would be lovely if you are able to attend this Mass.



Week 8

On Sunday 23rd June, our school will be hosting the Sunday Mass and many parishioners have always commented on how lovely it was to see our students there.

It will be a privilege and a pleasure for our school community to continue to build our ongoing relationship with St. David's Parish. In the coming weeks, a letter will go out to all families asking whether their children would like to assist with the Mass. Keep an eye out for this. We would love to see our students and their families at this Mass!

Hope Grows News



The children from Room 8 won the Easter Egg wrapper competition!

In total, we recycled 3.725 kg of alfoil!

Well done everyone!

Room 8's prize was to cook using food from our Hope Grows garden.

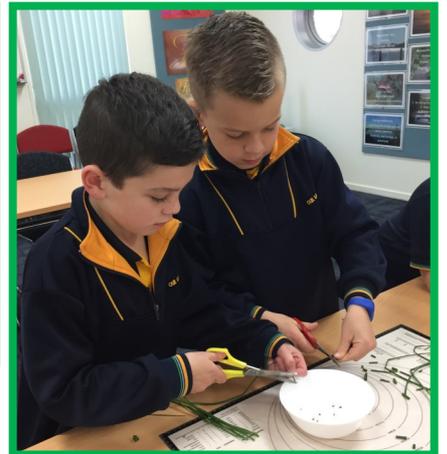
We picked some carrots and baked two carrot cakes!

They were delicious!

Room 9 came in a very close second in the competition and they picked chives from the garden and made cheese and chive scones. They were also yummy!



Hope Grows News



Principal's Awards

Principal's Awards were presented at last week's Whole School Assembly to the following students:

Compassion Award:

Joey M - For always being willing to assist others - as evident when giving his time to help another student complete their Book Box Assessment.

Tyra B - For showing kindness and compassion, and a willingness to help others.

Excellence Award:

Aidan M - For working so hard at school and at home to learn his Jolly Phonics sounds and blends and applying this knowledge in both reading and writing.

Kieshabelle H - Kieshabelle has worked hard on her reading and has made amazing progress, such amazing progress she has graduated from RAPS.

Jih E - For learning how to find factual information and record this in his own words.

Jack G - For continually showing a positive attitude and presenting his learning at high standard.

Ella B - For displaying determination to learn, grow and achieve across all areas.

Alicia W - For completing an excellent collection of work as part of your Book Box Assessment, showing thoughtful reflection and artistic flair.

Zakk J - For completing an excellent collection of work as part of your Book Box Assessment, showing thoughtful reflection and artistic flair.

Brodie M - For completing an excellent collection of work as part of your Book Box Assessment, showing thoughtful reflection and artistic flair.

Luke W - For effort and overall achievement.

Logan W - For effort and achievement in Numeracy.

Inka K - For outstanding effort and achievement across the curriculum.

Liam J - For displaying a commitment to his schoolwork and working to his full potential in class.

Perseverance Award:

Noah W - For joining in with his peers to sing at the Whole School Mother's Day Liturgy.

Tanielle K - For working hard at home on learning rhyming words and thinking of some of your own rhyming words in our class games.

Ben L - For using his knowledge and skills to help him independently problem solve during maths.

Amber M - Amber confidently engages in all tasks and is always willing to have a go.

Bodhi W - For demonstrating a growth mindset and asking questions to gain a better understanding of his learning.

Elizabeth P - For showing perseverance when learning new concepts in Maths - particularly length.

Isabel M - For challenging herself to discover and learn new concepts.

Ariel D - For always putting in great effort in all her work.

Emily H - For showing persistence and responsibility in completing her work. Also, for showing responsibility and initiative to positively contribute to the class.

Relationship Award:

Lucca C - For offering a thoughtful and peaceful solution to a problem another class member was having.

Responsibility Award:

Alyiah C - For being a good role model of how to sit quietly and reverently during whole school Mass.

Ameira W - For using her activity box in a responsible manner.

Principal's Awards contd.

Responsibility Award contd.:

Gemma R - For always taking care of our classroom and her classmates without being asked.

Ella W - For being a quiet achiever who consistently applies herself and produces work of a high standard.

Mitchell B - For his super attitude to his learning and consistently engaging fully with classroom tasks.

Lara S - For showing great initiative and responsibility in the classroom and school environment.

Jasmine O - For displaying responsibility towards schoolwork and carrying out daily jobs in a reliable and responsible manner.

Community Spirit Awards

At last week's Whole School Assembly, the P&F presented Charlotte N from Room 4 with a Community Spirit Award for helping another child who had fallen over in the yard. Well done.

Term 2 Fees Due – Friday 7th June 2019

Please note that Term 2 fees are due no later than, Friday, 7th June 2019. If paying by the term the amounts due are as follows:

Fees by Term		
Number of Children	Full Fees	School Card
1 Child	\$ 854.50	\$ 536.20
2 Children	\$ 1,539.75	\$ 955.85
3 Children	\$ 2,055.50	\$ 1,303.80
4 Children	\$ 2,214.25	\$ 1,422.55

Fees can be paid by EFTPOS or cash at the Front Desk, by BPay or by Direct Debit from either your bank account or credit card. BPay details can be found on the fee statement. Direct debit forms can be found on the Our Lady of Hope School website or from the Front Office. Once completed please return to me.

If you have a direct debit in place, please check that it is sufficient to cover your fees by the end of the year.

If you would like assistance with calculating or reviewing your direct debit payment, please feel free to call.

If you qualify for School Card, please remember that a new application must be made each year. School Card is assessed on the previous year's income so please ensure you have completed your 2017/2018 tax return, if you are required to lodge one.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty and are having trouble paying fees, please make an appointment for a confidential conversation regarding your circumstances, with a view to working towards a mutually acceptable solution. If we are unaware of your circumstances we are unable to assist, so please call today.

If you would like to contact me with any queries regarding fees, my email address is cgillard@oloh.catholic.edu.au or you can call the school and ask for me.

Kind regards, Charmaine Gillard - School Bursar

From the Chaplain

Provide time and space



Who doesn't need a little time out at times? Sometimes life is too hectic, rushed, organised, noisy, unsatisfactory, overwhelming or crowded. Room 5 is a place children can enter and feel peaceful. It's where time and space is provided so the children may refresh and when ready, re-join in the classroom activities.

Uniform Reminders

There will be a special opening of the Uniform Shop after the Public Holiday Queen's Birthday on Tuesday 11th June from 8.30-9.30 am and 2.30-3.30 pm. Reminder that all students are now expected to wear their full winter uniform.



For a Uniform Price List, follow the link below:

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/wh1.thewebconsole.com/wh/8983/images/Uniform-Price-List-Order-Form-as-at-12-February-2018.pdf>

Liz Morris, Uniform Shop Manager

Canteen

An updated Canteen Price List for Term 2 May 2019 can be found at the following link:

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/wh1.thewebconsole.com/wh/8983/images/Term-2-2019-May-Price-List.pdf>

For instructions regarding ordering lunches on the Qkr App and volunteering in the canteen, please refer to the following link:

<https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/wh1.thewebconsole.com/wh/8983/images/Canteen-Order-Instructions-for-Qkr-App.pdf>

Alternatively you can visit the Qkr App website directly for answers to frequently asked questions at the following link:

<https://qkr.mastercard.com/faq/>

If you are interested in volunteering especially on Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays now the cold weather has set in, (even 1 hour can make a difference) you do need to have a current Catholic Police Clearance. If you don't have one and would like to help, please visit the Front Office for more information.



Woolworths Earn & Learn



OLOH is again participating in this year's Woolworths Earn & Learn Promotion running between 1 May and 25 June 2019. If you shop at Woolworths and would like to help us participate, please collect a sticker for every \$10 spent in store and drop them off in the box provided at Woolworths at the Golden Grove Village or at The Stables. **Another collection box has now been added at Woolworths at Tea Tree Plaza for those who may shop there.** Alternatively you can bring them to school and place them in the box provided in the front office. At the end of the promotion the school will have the opportunity to select from a large range of musical instruments, maths equipment, sporting gear and science kits. There are thousands of products to choose from. Thanks for your support.

Upcoming Events - Save the Date

Upcoming dates for your diary are as follows:-

- Book Week Parade/Grandparents/VIP Day is being held on **Friday 16th August (Term 3 Week 4)**. More information can be found on page 7 of this newsletter.

Family Fun Night is being held on Friday 8th November 2019 (Term 4 Week 4). Refer to the note below which was sent home last week. More information about the event will be available later in the year.

Family Fun Night
Friday, 8th November 2019

Family Fun Night is a wonderful Campus Community event held in Term 4 every two years. The night is full of fun, stalls, amusements, rides, food, prizes and a major raffle.

Family Fun Night is a major fundraiser for both schools and funds large projects around the school. The funds from this Family Fun Night will be used to create a Nature Play area for all students.

We need YOUR HELP!

We need your help! We will be holding a large raffle instead of the Silent Auction this year. We are asking our campus families if they own businesses or can source any prizes which can be donated towards our raffle. If you are able to assist with a donation, we ask Greenwith Primary School families to contact Alison Yeomans or Julie Dutschke on 8289 8100 and for Our Lady of Hope parents Donna Eeles or Charmaine Gillard on 8289 8344.

We also need parent volunteers to be a part of our Family Fun Night organising team. We need volunteers to assist with small jobs assigned from the planning committee. Our first meeting will be held at 2:00pm on Wednesday, 29th May in our staffroom. Please RSVP to alison.yeomans25@schools.sa.edu.au or Donna Eeles at deeles@oloh.catholic.edu.au by Monday 27th May.

GAMES Rides Stalls SUPER RAFFLE

OLOH Skoolbag App

To stay up to date download the Skoolbag App on your device, please click on the link below and follow the instructions:

<https://moqproducts.com.au/skoolbag/installation-instructions/>



Book Week Advance Notice

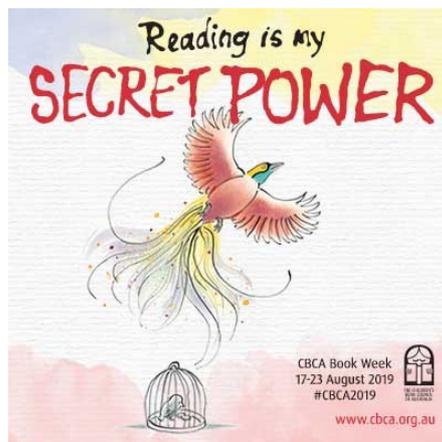
Advance Notice - We are celebrating

BOOK WEEK

in Term 3 in Week 4!

You might like to get your costume ready.

Book Week Parade Friday 16th August



Book Week/Grandparents Day/VIP Day

All parents, Grandparents and VIPs are invited to attend the Book Week Parade on Friday 16th August. The Parents and Friends will be hosting morning tea for all visitors in the Parish Centre at 11.00 am.

(Families are encouraged to bring a small plate to share)

Grandparents and VIPs are invited to visit classrooms following recess at 11.20 am and then assemble for the Book Week Parade which will begin at 12.10 pm.

Adult Visitors are not permitted to use student toilets.

Toilet facilities will be available to all guests in the Parish or via the office.

Answers to frequently asked questions:-

Do all students take part in Book Week?

Yes – all students and staff participate in Book Week.

Do students wear their costumes to school for the day?

Yes - students wear their costumes to school for the duration of the school day. Please ensure your child/ren wear appropriate shoes i.e. suitable for recess and lunch play (not high heels/thongs etc). If the day is cold, please layer clothing under costumes i.e. tights/skivvies to ensure students stay warm. If the weather is warm, please ensure students have sun protection i.e. put a t-shirt under singlet straps etc and ensure your child/ren bring their school hat to school. If the weather is hot and sunny (which it has been in the past) please apply sunscreen at home and ensure your child has sunscreen in their bags to reapply during the school day.

Parade venue

Warm weather: Parade will be held in the courtyard near Rooms 3 & 4. The parade will begin at 12.10 pm and finish by approximately 12.50 pm.

Wet weather: Parade will be held in the Parish Centre.

Do I need to sign in?

Parents & VIP guests do not need to sign in on the day.

***We expect all students to stay at school for the duration of the school day.**

OLOH Playgroup

On Thursday 17th May at Playgroup we visited the Hope Grows garden and helped dig in the garden beds with the Hope Grows students. We collected leaves and made some terrific leaf-design artwork.



Then on 24th May we enjoyed the beautiful weather and played together on the playground. After that we enjoyed playing in the sandpit in the sunshine then had fun creating 'nature' craft.

Ali Wallace and Bernadette Gaudio
Playgroup Co-ordinators



Upcoming Diary Dates

- Fri. 31st May** 9.15 am Room 2 Class Liturgy
SAPSASA Boys Netball/Girls Soccer Carnivals
- Mon. 3rd June** Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.30 am & 2.30-3.30 pm
- Thurs. 6th June** 9.00-10.30 am OLOH Playgroup
School banking
- Fri. 7th June** 9.15 am Room 14 Year 5/6 Class Mass
1.30 pm Dream Big Assembly
Term 2 fees due
- Mon. 10th June** **Queen's Birthday Public Holiday**
- Tues. 11th June** Special Opening of Uniform Shop 8.30-9.30 am
and 2.30-3.30 pm
- Wed. 12th June** Year 3/4/5's to Gleeson for Italian Day
- Thurs. 13th June** 9.00-10.30 am OLOH Playgroup
School banking
SACPSSA Athletics Carnival
OLOH Newsletter on school website:
www.oloh.catholic.edu.au
- Fri. 14th June** 9.05-9.45 am Whole School Assembly
- Sat. 15th June** 10.00 am and 1.30 pm Confirmation at St. David's
Parish

Noticeboard

The services and events contained in this bulletin are in no way connected with the school and are included in this newsletter for your information only. Parents and caregivers need to make their own enquiries and assessments about the suitability of these events and services for the needs and those of their children.

Net-Attack is a fun, social and active program for girls and boys. It gives kids of all abilities a positive introduction to netball and teaches them the basic skills of the sport. Net-Attack is for ages 5-10 at Golden Grove Rec Centre on Mondays from 4-5 pm or Turramurra Rec Centre on Tuesdays from 4-5pm both during school terms. Starts Mon. 27th May. Visit www.cttg.sa.gov.au/net, phone Golden Grove on 8397 7429 or Turramurra on 8397 7433. Cost is \$40 per child for Term 2 (27 May to 1 July) or \$65 for Terms 3 and 4.

CBC warmly invites parents and children of all ages to attend a special presentation by Dr. Michael Carr-Gregg, 'Positive Education' on Wed. 5th June at 6.30 pm at CBC Senior College, 214 Wakefield Street, Adelaide. Free tickets can be booked at www.trybooking.com/BBPNY. Refer to noticeboard for more information.

St. Joseph's Old Scholars Winter Luncheon is being held on Wed. 5th June at 11.45 am for 12 noon start at the Hampstead Hotel, Collinswood. Seniors menu ranges from \$10-\$13 (salad/veg bar \$2 extra). Seating will not be allocated. Bookings by 31st May with Josie - 8295 3667 or Chris - 8263 1948. Most (male or female) have a connection with a Josephite School/College as a teacher/student and/or St. Mary MacKillop. All welcome.

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Volunteering

Thank you to the applicants who attended our 2 Volunteer Induction Sessions this term. We will hold another 2 sessions in Term 3.

If you have any queries about your current volunteer status or would like to start the process of becoming a Volunteer at OLOH please contact me via the front office or by email: deeles@oloh.catholic.edu.au

OLOH SCHOOL VOLUNTEER INDUCTIONS

TERM 3, 2019

For those wishing to become a new volunteer at OLOH School or renew their existing accreditation.

Induction sessions will take approximately 1 hour and will be held in the OLOH Staffroom.
Please sign in at the front office.

The Induction Session will cover a Work Health Safety site induction and Responding to Abuse & Neglect (RAN EC) training.

This is a prerequisite to being able to apply to become a Volunteer at OLOH School. Once completed Volunteer accreditation lasts for 3 years.

Please reserve your place at an Induction Session by completing the rsvp below and returning it to the office before your chosen session date.

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I wish to attend the Volunteer Induction Session on:

Tuesday 13th August at 9.10am (Term 3, week 4)

OR

Monday 9th September at 5.00pm (Term 3, week 8)

Name _____

new applicant **OR** renewing existing accreditation

Email: _____

Contact number: _____

Eldest child at OLOH _____ Class _____

Udriive/Volunteers/Insert for information for prospective volunteers with current term induction sessions

P&F 2019/20 Entertainment Book

The P&F are again selling Entertainment Books for 2019/20. They can be purchased digitally or in hard copy form for \$70. Refer to the flyer on page 9 of this newsletter for more information or visit the following link: <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/161h563>

Hard copies ordered online will be distributed to the relevant individuals once we have received confirmation from Entertainment Book of the order. There are a limited number of hard copy books available for purchase from the front office which can be paid for via credit card or with the correct cash only. Refer to page 9 of this newsletter for more information.

Children and Cyber Safety: Tips for Parents

As an educator, a Principal and a parent, I am acutely aware of how significant and influential the use of electronic devices, the internet and social media platforms are in the lives of our children. Children in today's world have access to devices from a very young age. Living in this online world can provide many benefits for both children and parents. Access to the internet and educational apps can provide both parents and children with a vast array of tools and information which can support their learning. Social media platforms also make keeping connected with friends and relatives much easier. However, being online can also have its dangers and it is important that as adults we work with children to teach them about the responsible use of online devices and how to stay safe online.

As parents and carers of primary aged children, we must recognise that whilst it can be good for children to access online devices, they are not adults and therefore do not necessarily have the social awareness, knowledge and maturity to successfully manage all the risks associated with being online. As parents it is our job to manage our children's online activities and time. Unfortunately even at Primary school level, I do sometimes deal with conflicts and situations which arise from children's use of social media and online communication. Quite often the inappropriate use of online communication tools occurs by children when they are not supervised and generally their parents are not aware of this activity. I acknowledge that as a parent it is not always possible to supervise every aspect of your child's activity when they are online, however I believe that there are some simple steps that all parents can take in order to help their children to use their online devices responsibly and safely.

1. **Establish clear rules and be consistent:** Be clear on things like where and when devices can be used, for how long they can be used and the types of activities that are permitted online.
2. **Do not allow your children to keep their devices in their bedrooms.** It is easier to supervise your child's online activity if they are using their devices in a common area in the house. Bedrooms are for sleeping and children having devices in their bedroom can cause temptations which can interfere with your child's sleep.
3. **Set time limits:** Help children achieve a healthy balance of online and offline activities by setting time limits for the use of technology.
4. **Resist Pushback:** Children will always try and negotiate extra time on devices, and giving in to these demands can be quite easy for parents. By sticking to the clear rules that you have set, you will be setting your child up for good online habits.
5. **Be Involved with your child's online activity:** Know your children's passwords, understand what apps, content or social media platforms they are accessing and take time to occasionally sit with your child and explore together.
6. **Manage Access:** If you are concerned about your child's online activity, learn how to bookmark sites you want them to access. Also learn how to use the parental controls and safety features in order to prevent access to inappropriate content.
7. **Support Positively:** Talk to your child about safe and positive online behaviour. Be open with them about online dangers and why you have put into place the rules you have. Keep open lines of communication with your child and encourage them to talk to either yourself or another trusted adult if they are worried about anything they see online. Re-assure your child that if they are honest with you and report inappropriate material that they see online that they won't be punished for this. Assure them that your actions are all about keeping them safe.
8. **Make consequences appropriate and manageable:** Sometimes as parents we can say things on the spur of the moment like "right I am throwing your Ipad in the bin" or "You are not having your Ipad for 6 months". Children now live in an online world and need to learn how to use devices appropriately. Not allowing children to ever access devices is not helping them to learn to be responsible when being online. If you do feel that your child is still using their device inappropriately after you have followed all of the guidelines above, then you may feel it is necessary to remove their device from them for a period of time. If this is the case, then make sure that you make this time period manageable and that you are able to follow through with what you say you will do (i.e. don't tell your child they are banned for a week and then allow them to go back on their device after 2 days). My tip is to initially ban the device for a short period of time (no more than a week), and then ensure that you take your child's device and put it in a place where they can't have access to it. Upon returning the device to your child have a follow up discussion about safe and unsafe behaviour online and reinforce your expectations.
9. **Be a role model:** The final and most important tip is for you to be a role model to your children. Children will learn from your behaviour. You need to show children that you can also put your device down – it is hypocritical to be telling our children not to spend too much time on their devices, if all your child sees is you on your device all the time.

In this new technological age it is important as parents and carers of children that we work together to keep our children safe online. Further information, tips and useful article for parents can be found on the esafety website at the link below:

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/>

Entertainment Book

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The advertisement features a central image of a man in a striped shirt carrying a young girl on his shoulders. To the right, a smartphone displays the Entertainment app interface with various activity thumbnails. Below the phone is a book cover with a '25' anniversary logo and a 'SE & LIFE' tag. At the bottom, a row of six small images shows people enjoying various leisure activities like dining, boating, and shopping.

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