

Term 4 October 2026

NATTE NEWS

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Welcome to Term 4!

It's been a busy start to Term 4, with students enjoying a basketball clinic, celebrating birthdays and developing their swimming skills. There has also been plenty of fantastic learning happening in our classrooms! We look forward to more exciting opportunities and making wonderful memories as we head towards the end of the school year.

November 2026

Monday 2nd November
Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 3rd November
Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Thursday 5th November
MARC Van @ Moonambel

Monday 9th November
Cluster Day @ Trawalla

Friday 13th November
Prep Transition 10 - 11am

Thursday 19th November
MARC Van @ Moonambel

Monday 23rd November
Cluster Day @ Trawalla

Friday 27th November
Prep Transition 10 - 11am

Monday 30th November
Cluster Day @ Trawalla

Happy World Teachers' Day!

Today we celebrate the wonderful teachers at Natte Yallock Primary School and the difference they make in the lives of our students every day.

Sometimes, it's a lightbulb moment when something suddenly clicks. Other times, it's helping a young person discover their strengths, explore their interests or imagine what their future might hold. Our teachers support, encourage and inspire our learners through both the big milestones and the quiet moments that matter just as much.

Thank you to our amazing teachers for your dedication, care and commitment to helping every student learn, grow and shine. Today, we celebrate you and the incredible impact you make!

thank you






We acknowledge and pay respect to the Dja Dja Wurrung people, the past, present and future custodians and Elders of this nation and the continuation of cultural, spiritual and educational practices of Aboriginal and Torres Straight Islander peoples.

Reminders



Hats

During Term 4 students are required to wear a broad brimmed hat while outside and remember to bring a filled water bottle as the weather starts to warm up.



Book Bags

We love seeing our students read and bring their book bags to school every day. Encourage your child to make reading a daily routine and help them develop the habit of bringing their book bag each day.



Absences

Please notify the school if your child is absent. Our school policy requires parents to comunicate with us and provide valid explanations for any absence. Thank you for your cooperation.



Pupil Free Day

Monday 2nd November will be a pupil free day.

Melbourne Cup Public Holiday

Tuesday 3rd November is a public holiday. Students will return to school on Wednesday 4th November.



Natte Yallock Primary School has zero tolerance of Child Abuse. More information can be found in our Child Safe policies, located at school and on our school's website.



Reading Awards

Congratulations to:

Amber = 175 nights





We celebrated Amber and Lucas's birthdays during October with a delicious homemade ice cream cake! Happy Birthday to you both!



PREP TRANSITION

We look forward to welcoming our newest learners to Natte Yallock Primary School as they begin their transition to Prep!

Over the coming weeks, our future Preps will have the opportunity to become familiar with their new school environment, meet our teachers and other students, and join in a range of fun learning activities. These visits will help build confidence and excitement as they prepare for the next big step in their learning journey.

We are excited to get to know our future Preps and help them feel happy, confident and ready to begin their school adventure with us. We can't wait to see you all soon!

Dates

Week 6 = Friday 13th May 10am - 11am

Week 8 = Friday 27th November 10am - 11am

Week 10 = Tuesday 8th December 10am - 12 noon

Week 10 = Friday 11th December 10am - 12noon



October Spotlight

October has been another busy and exciting month at Natte Yallock Primary School!



Our students enjoyed visiting the **Avoca Art Show**, where they had the opportunity to view their own artwork on display alongside creations from other Pyrenees Cluster schools and talented local artists. It was wonderful to celebrate the creativity and artistic talents within our school and wider community.



We proudly participated in **Loud Shirt Day**, with students wearing their brightest and boldest shirts to help raise awareness and show support for children who are deaf or hard of hearing. Thank you to everyone who helped us support this important cause! 💛

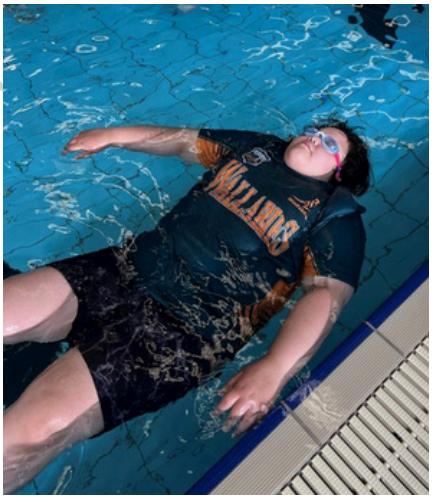


Our students also took part in our school **swimming program,** attending lessons throughout the week to develop their swimming skills, build confidence in the water and strengthen their understanding of water safety. It was a fantastic opportunity for students to practise important skills and celebrate their progress.





SWIM



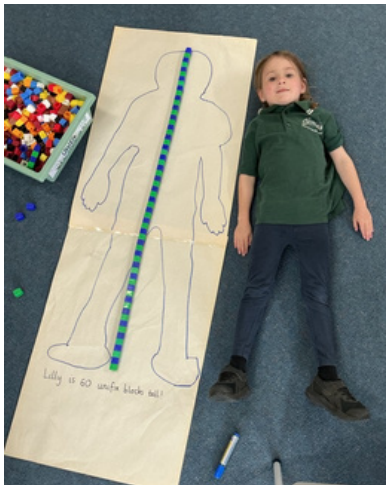




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From the Junior Room

Our junior students have been busy exploring data and measurement in Maths!
Students have been learning how to collect, sort and represent data, organising information into groups and exploring different ways to display what they have discovered. They have also been developing their measurement skills by investigating height and finding out just how tall they are! This hands-on activity provided a great opportunity to compare heights, make observations and use mathematical language to describe their findings.
It has been wonderful to see our junior learners building their mathematical understanding through practical, engaging activities!





Our junior students have been busy developing their Literacy skills through a range of engaging activities!
We have been exploring mentor texts to help us respond to stories, make connections to our own experiences and practise retelling events in our own words. These texts have also inspired our writing, with students making *Wombat Stew* and learning how to write a procedure to record the steps involved. We have also been exploring information reports, learning how to gather and share facts about a topic.
It has been wonderful to see our junior learners using their creativity and growing confidence to strengthen their reading, comprehension and writing skills!







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- Supportive & Nurturing Environment – Every child is seen, heard, and valued
- Small Class Sizes – Personalised attention and stronger teacher-student connections
- Dedicated, Passionate Teachers – Committed to every student's success
- 1:1 Technology Access – Empowering students with the tools for modern learning
- Student Voice Matters – Learners are given opportunities to share ideas and take the lead
- Harnessing Student Interests – Curriculum designed to engage and inspire
- A Place to Grow & Thrive – Helping every child reach their full potential in a safe and encouraging space

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It's worth the drive!

Receive a complimentary Polo Shirt and Book Bag when you enrol.

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Term 4 Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1 5th - 9th Oct	Pupil Free Day			MARC Van @Moonambel	
Week 2 12th - 16th Oct				Pyrenees Mobile Library	Loud Shirt Day
Week 3 19th - 23rd Oct				MARC Van @Monnambel	
Week 4 26th - 30th Oct	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming
Week 5 2nd - 6th Nov	Pupil Free Day	Melbourne Cup Public Holiday		MARC Van @Moonambel	
Week 6 9th - 13th Nov	Cluster Day @Trawalla			Pyrenees Mobile library	Prep Transition 10am - 11am
Week 7 16th - 20th Nov				MARC Van @Moonambel	
Week 8 23rd - 27th Nov	Cluster Day @Trawalla			Pyrenees Mobile Library	Prep Transition 10am - 11am
Week 9 30th Nov-4th Dec	Cluster Day @Trawalla			MARC Van @Moonambel	Robotics Day @Trawalla
Week 10 7th - 11th Dec		Prep Transition 10 - 12	End of Year Excursion	Pyrenees Mobile Library	Prep Transition 10 - 12
Week 11 14th - 18th Dec			Concert	Last Day 3:30 finish	Pupil Free Day