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At **Undera Primary School** our vision is for all students to be *independent, self-motivated learners with a love and curiosity for learning and to face challenges with courage to achieve life-long success.*

Term 2 Week 4 2023

What's happening at UPS

- **Tuesday 23rd May** – Education Week/ Mother's Day Open afternoon 2.15 – 3.10pm
- **Wednesday 24th May** (9-10am) – Parent session for 2024 Foundation students
- **Monday 5th June** AFL Clinic 12- 1pm
- **Monday 19th June** AFL Clinic 10-11am
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May birthdays

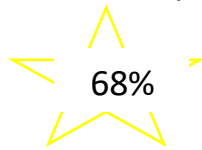
3rd – Lewis Lagana



Attendance

Every Day Counts

This week our attendance percentage is



Please notify the school if your child is absent or late. Thank you

Undera PS News

2024 Foundation Enrolments



This year the timeline for Foundation enrolments for 2024 has been brought forward and need to be finalised by Friday 28th July.

Our school is a great school. We take pride in the educational programs we offer and the quality teaching and learning provided to all students.

We will also be holding a parent session on Wednesday 24th May from 9-10am. This will include a school tour, information session and time for Q & A. If you know of any new families to our community please pass this information on.

If you would like to organise an alternate time for a school tour please phone us on 58260211.

Education Week/ Mother's Day Afternoon Tea

As a result of having to postpone our Mother's Day Afternoon Tea we would like to invite all our mums and other family members to come along to school on Tuesday 23rd May at 2.15pm to enjoy a special afternoon tea and have a look at some of the learning that has taken place.

2.15 – 2.40: Afternoon Tea & special performance

2.40 – 3.10pm: Open classroom (time to share some classroom activities with your child)

Please return the RSVP slip for catering purposes.

Thank you

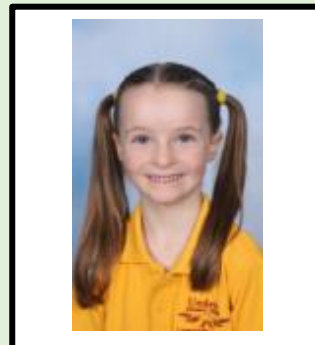


Students of the Week



Luke Sturrock
Grade 4

For showing enthusiasm for all aspects of school this week.



Arianna Wiltshire
Grade 1

For writing a fantastic persuasive piece!

School Information

Scholastic Books



Children bring home Scholastic Book Club catalogues twice each term. There is no pressure to purchase however the school earns points for any purchase you make. This helps stock our class libraries. Books can be ordered through the LOOP app. Here is a link to the parent's Guide to Book Club.

https://issuu.com/scholastic_australia/docs/scholastic_book_club_parent_guide?fr=sODVIMDMONDU5MDI It explains the easy steps to ordering online.

Wellbeing at UPS

This week it has been fantastic to see most students come back to school fit and healthy! Again, a big thank you to parents for keeping us 'in the loop' about absences. We hope to have all students back next week!

Chloe and Samuel ran their first gardening club this week in which it was so great to see all students working so productively as a team. Well done school leaders on a very successful Gardening Club!

On Thursday I completed my first Community of Practise meeting held by Melbourne University. These meetings will be held 5 times per term to provide an opportunity for myself and other Mental Health and Wellbeing Leaders from the Goulburn region to share ideas and discuss mental health support strategies that we can implement at our own schools.

Emma Cox

Undera Primary School Bus

A big thank you to Nicole, our bus driver. Her mobile no. is **0458243454**



Free Education at Undera PS

Thanks to the Schools Plus grant program we are fortunate to offer our students free education for the next three years – 2023 to 2025.

This means no school fees, no-cost swimming program, free excursions and devices such as netbooks and/or iPads available for every student. If you know of any new families looking for a great school please send them in our direction.

Community News

If you have anything you would like shared through our newsletter such as community events, please contact the school on 58260211 or email.



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Come and join your local Playgroup:

The Smalltalk program is a fun time for you to share with your child. The Smalltalk program gives your child the chance to learn, grow and prepare for school. All families with children aged 0-5 are welcome to attend.

Come and join us for:

- Lots of play activities
- Craft & Sensory activities
- Healthy snacks (provided)
- Music and story time
- Fun and friendship
- Parenting support

Locations:

Each Monday
15th of April -
26th of June 2023

1.30pm - 3.30pm

Undera Kindergarten
55 Anderson Street Undera

Come along and join in the fun!
We can't wait to see you!

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We're here to make sure that everyone understands their rights, so that children and young people have their rights met and thrive, in all their diversity. We champion the children, young people and families we work with. We are inspired by the curiosity and creativity of children and motivated by the love of those who care for them. With the child's voice at the centre, we provide quality services to children and their caregivers, advocating with them so that children develop, learn, and are connected, safe and confident.

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