



# COORARA PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

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**TERM 2 WEEK 7**

**2026**

## Message from the Principal – Steph Tulloch

### 2026 DIARY DATES

#### JUNE

##### Monday 15

Governing Council Meeting

##### Wednesday 17

'Ready for Reception'  
9:00am – 12:30pm

##### Friday 19

Assembly Hosting is Rm 20

##### Friday 26

'Jump Rope for Heart'

##### Monday 29

Start of NAIDOC Week

#### JULY

##### Wednesday 1

Reports Online

##### Thursday 2

Week 10 Newsletter

##### Friday 3

**CRAZY SOCKS DAY**

Assembly Hosted by Leadership

**Dismissal at 2:10pm**

##### Term 3

##### Monday 20

Term 3 commences

##### Wednesday 29

School Photos

Dear Families,

#### Celebrating Our Coorara Kids

We're so proud of our students and the way they have stepped up this term! With sports events, special guests, incursions, and excursions, there's been a lot happening. Staff and visitors have shared fantastic feedback about how well our children represent Coorara—with their positive attitudes, manners, and behaviour. This is a true reflection of the strong values we share as a community, both at school and at home. Thank you for your ongoing support—your partnership really does make a difference.

#### Welcome to Our New Reception Students

It's wonderful to see our new Reception students beginning their transition program on Wednesdays in Room 7 with Mrs Georgia Couzner. We're delighted to welcome you and can't wait to see the relationships and learning grow. We hope you love your start at our beautiful school!

#### Mobile Phone and Device Policy

Just a reminder: please ensure you and your child are aware of our Mobile Phone and Device Policy. Many students now wear smart watches—if your child does, please set it to school/airplane mode from the moment they arrive at the school gate. Phones and watches shouldn't be used for calls or messages during school hours—this keeps all our students safe. Thank you for supporting us with this.

#### Arriving on Time

We appreciate your efforts in getting children to school by the 8:50am bell. Learning begins promptly at 9:00am, especially with crucial phonics and literacy lessons for all students in Years 1–6. Did you know that students who are behind in literacy by Year 3 or 4 may need up to 1.5 extra hours of intervention each day just to catch up? By Years 5 and 6, that jumps to 3 hours daily. Every minute at the start of the day really matters.

#### Early Collection

While we understand there are sometimes appointments and special circumstances, we are seeing many children being collected between 2:30 and 3:00pm each day. These last lessons are important and it's best for your child to stay at school until 3:10pm whenever possible, to benefit fully from their learning time. Thank you for helping us make every moment count.

#### Accessing Reports Online

All student reports are now accessed online via the Parent Portal. Multiple emails have been sent with instructions—please check your inbox and ensure you are set up. We have information on the following page. We will not be providing printed copies this year. If you need assistance, please reach out to the front office.

#### Helping Kids Stay Safe Online

Recently, issues from social media and messaging apps over the weekend have started affecting students at school. Please continue to monitor your child's online activities, chat with them about which apps they use (and whether they are age-appropriate), and remind them not to share their devices. If you do encounter any serious concerns:

1. You can make a police report.
2. You can also report issues to the eSafety Commissioner's website, which is an excellent source of information for families, including a straightforward reporting process.

Thank you for working with us as we navigate these challenges together.

#### Save the Date – BINGO NIGHT!

Coorara's popular Bingo Night is coming up on Saturday, 8 August, 6:30–10:30pm. Mark your calendars and get ready to join us for an evening of fun and fundraising! Ticket information will be shared soon.

Wishing you a wonderful week ahead!

Steph Tulloch  
Principal

*I acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as the Traditional Owners of this country throughout Australia and their connection to land and community. I pay my respects to their Cultures and to the Elders both past and present.*

# Reconciliation Week Activities

The week encourages everyone to learn about our shared history, embrace respect, and work towards an inclusive future. Activities often include cultural events, educational workshops, and community discussions, all aimed at promoting understanding, respect, and genuine reconciliation.





## Access Your Child's School Report Online

### How to Access Your Child's School Report Online

Dear Parents and Carers

Your child's school report will be available online, at the end of this term, via the Coorara Primary Parent Portal (pictured below).



To access the portal and your child's report for the first time, it is vital for all parents to have an email address registered with our school. If not, please contact the school office via email, on [dl.0323.info@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:dl.0323.info@schools.sa.edu.au) with your current email address details, as soon as possible.

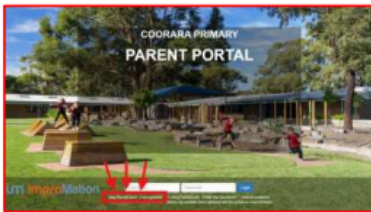
There may be some family circumstances in which both parents may require separate access to the portal. This can be done only if both email addresses are registered with the school.

Once your email address is registered with the school, follow the instructions below to gain access:

1. Go to the Parent Portal via the link below:

<https://cooraps.schools.improation.com.au/portal4parents/?schid=1323>  
(You may need to copy and paste this link into your browser.)

2. Click on the 'New Parent/Carer? Get registered' link at the bottom of the portal sign-in page, then enter your email address.



During the registration process, parents will receive one email from the 'Impromation' software company.

- The email will have instructions and a default password to use initially. This will give access to the portal to allow you to set up your own password linked to your own email address.
- Access the portal using your own email address as the 'Username' and your newly set-up password.
- Please keep your password in a safe place for future reference, when accessing the portal. Do not share it with other parents.

Your child's report will be available to access online on Wednesday 1 July.

You will need to access the **Coorara Primary School Parent Portal to register first**

Go to the Parent Portal via the link below:

**<https://cooraps.schools.improation.com.au/portal4parents/?schid=1323>**

Please follow the flyer instructions that was emailed home to all families.

Please read this carefully, if you have any problems please contact the office for help.

Once you have registered, you will receive an email with a temporary password, please change to your own password.

Continue to use your current email address and new password to access online reports.

## Smith Family Visits

Chloe from Smith Family will be on site three mornings next term to promote the Smith Family Learning for Life Scholarship.

**Wednesday 17th of June, 8:30-9:00**

Chloe will be in the yard and is happy to chat to you about how they can support you.

## Financial Wellbeing Workshops – Social media copy

The Smith Family in partnership with ANZ is excited to deliver a free Financial Wellbeing workshop designed to help Australian communities build confidence and security in managing their money.

It will cover:

- Scam protection
- Digital banking
- Support in times of need

**Where:** Woodcroft Morphet Vale Neighbourhood Centre, 175 Bains Road Morphet Vale SA 5162

**When:** 10.30am – 11:30am Thursday 30th July followed by light refreshments

**We'd love to see you there!**

**Limited availability – registrations essential. To register for this event, and to find out more visit: Financial Wellbeing Workshop**

Join The Smith Family for this free in-person workshop with resources you can take home and share with family and friends.

Register for the free workshop:



<https://events.thsmithfamily.com.au/event/fwbmorphevale>

Alternatively, contact **0413 161 686** to register

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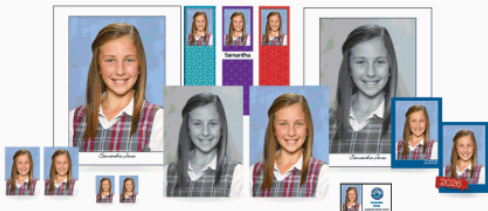
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## School Photos

**School Photos will be held on Wednesday 29 August - Week 2**

- Envelopes will be handed out this week.
- Or scan the QR code to order your photos online.
- Return your envelopes with payment on the day to the photographers only.
- If you *order/pay online* no envelope is required to be returned.



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### Saver Plus Information Sessions

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