



CHRIST THE KING



Melbourne Archdiocese
Catholic Schools

A FAITH COMMUNITY EMBRACING OUR DIVERSITY
AS WE LIVE AND LEARN TOGETHER IN HOPE

2025 TERM 1 WEEK 8
TRACIE KUNIGISKIS - PRINCIPAL

Pilgrim of Hope - In the footsteps of St Paul

Within the coming weeks, 26th March to 16th April, I will have the amazing opportunity to become a pilgrim and walk within the steps of St Paul through Greece and Turkey. My pilgrim journey will take me to Athens, Grete, Santorini, Gallipoli, Meteora, Troy and Istanbul.

Saint Paul is considered the greatest influencer after Jesus in the history of Christianity and remains one of the more controversial figures- celebrated for his work in spreading the early Christian message. This is truly an extraordinary personal and professional experience as the Principal of Christ the King, for which I am grateful of your support. I will be a pilgrim beside 28 other Principal's from Catholic schools in the west of Melbourne.

During this time, Lucy will be Acting Principal and Natalie will be Acting Deputy Principal.

Reconciliation

Congratulations to the Year 3 Reconciliation children. It was a big moment in their faith journey to participate in their first confession. Thank you to their teachers and families who have supported them to prepare for this special event.

Staff Update

Education is going through a significant change and there are many more opportunities than ever before to explore professional growth and development. At the end of Term 1 we will be saying farewell to the following staff members: Jillian McNamara - other educational opportunity
Vin McCarthy- Niddrie Primary School
Paul O'Donoghue- new career outside education
We wish Jillian, Paul and Vin all the best for the next chapter of their professional journey. Thank you for the wonderful contribution you have made to the CTK community.

3 Way Conversations

A reminder to families to book an appointment with your child's teacher for 3 Way Conversations which will take place on Wednesday 26 March from 12pm to 7pm.

Students finish school at 12pm on that day in order for teachers to meet with every child and parent. Please download the Compass App and reach out to us to help you get connected.

Harmony Day - Celebrating Cultural Diversity

We will be celebrating Harmony Day on Friday 21 March.

At CTK we have students and families from:

Australia, Malaysia, Vietnam, Philippines, Nepal, New Zealand, India, China, Korea, Myanmar, United Kingdom, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Sweden

Have we missed your country? Please comment below

All students can wear cultural clothes or Orange clothes on this day.

We will be creating a CTK harmony quilt.

NAPLAN

We are so proud of our Year 3 and Year 5 students who have completed the NAPLAN assessments with enthusiasm and hard work. If your child was absent for one of the assessments we will arrange a catch up for them to complete it before the 24th March.

ST PATRICK'S PRAYER

Christ with me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,

Christ in me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ on my right,
Christ on my left,
Christ in breadth,
Christ in length,
Christ in height,

Christ in the heart of every man
who thinks of me,

Christ in the mouth of every man
who speaks of me,

Christ in every eye that sees me,
Christ in every ear that hears me.



HARMONY at CTK

Friday 21 March

We are celebrating
the many countries that our CTK
community come from.
All students can wear
cultural clothes or Orange clothes.



Celebrating Australia's Cultural Diversity



CHRIST THE KING COMMUNITY ACKNOWLEDGES THE TRADITIONAL CUSTODIANS
AND ELDERS OF THE LANDS ON WHICH WE LIVE AND LEARN.
WE EXTEND OUR RESPECT TO ELDERS PAST, PRESENT AND EMERGING.
WE RESPECT ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PEOPLE'S CONTINUING
CONNECTION TO THE LAND, AIR, WATERS, CULTURE AND ALL LIVING THINGS.



CTK Upcoming Events

Term 1 2025



March

Thursday 20 March Yr 3 Reconciliation, Our Lady's Church, Maidstone 6pm

Wednesday 26 March 3 Way Conversations Students finish school at 12pm

Friday 21 March Harmony day activity

Tuesday 25 March School Photos

April

Friday 4 April Last Day of Term 1 Students finish 1.30pm

On Thursdays we attend Mass at CTK Church on Churchill Avenue
Mass begins at 10am. All families are welcome.

Class mass dates for Term 1:

- 20 March Prep/1A Candess & 5/6A Nadine
- 27 March 3/4B Kiara & 3/4C Maria
- 3 April 1/2D Laura & 3/4A Daniella



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FAITH RESPECT TRUST COMMUNITY JUSTICE HOPE

Music Program at CTK

Students can have 20 or 30-minute private piano lessons during school hours. Shared lessons are also available.

Prices start from \$16.

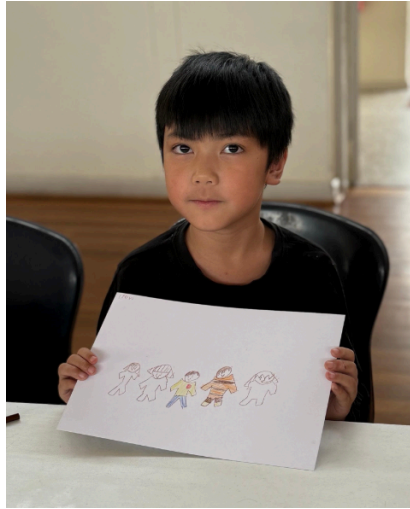
Please contact Amanda or Lina for more information.

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YEAR 3 RECONCILIATION 2025





Learning Focus for PBL

SHOWING THE
SCHOOL VALUES
OF RESPECT,
SAFETY AND
RESPONSIBILITY



POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING - PBL

PBL - Positive Behaviour for Learning - is a whole school approach to creating a positive, safe and supportive environment, where all students can learn and develop.

Our behaviours are always guided by our values of Safety, Respect and Responsibility

Hành vi tích cực trong học tập - PBL

PBL - Hành vi tích cực trong học tập - là một phương pháp tiếp cận toàn trường nhằm tạo ra một môi trường tích cực, an toàn và hỗ trợ, nơi tất cả học sinh có thể học tập và phát triển. Hành vi của chúng ta luôn được hướng dẫn bởi các giá trị:

An Toàn, Tôn Trọng và Trách Nhiệm

