



NAPLAN (National Assessment Program Literacy and Numeracy) was completed this week with all **Year 3 and 5 students** in Australia participating. All of our students worked well during the testing and put in a big effort. I know tests can sometimes be a bit stressful but all we ask is that they follow our school value of **Character** by using a growth mindset and persisting even if it gets hard. They certainly all tried hard and I was very proud of the way they applied themselves to the tasks and were determined to show us their best! The tests went over three days with Spelling, Grammar, Punctuation and Writing on Day 1, Reading on day 2 and Maths on Day 3. Results will be distributed later in the year.



Next week is Education Week. Don't forget our upcoming 'What do I want to be when I grow up' dress up day on May 23rd. This is to help us celebrate Education Week when the theme is Celebrating Careers! Everyone is welcome to come along and join us in the gym just after 9.00am to see the outfits! A big thank you to those parents who came along for the video. I look forward to seeing the end result. There will be a special screening for the parents on Dress Up Day!

Here are some more ideas the Junior School Council came up with for dressing up:



This term we are working on the investigation of 'I Am a Chemist' with the big questions being:

Foundation: How am I a Scientist every day? They will be exploring the use of their senses'

1/2 Learning Community: How does an artist use chemistry to create masterpieces?

3/4 Learning Community: How can we use chemistry to become a master chef?

5/6 Learning Community: How can I make a difference to the world from inside the lab?

We hope you are enjoying the weekly instalments of the student investigations each week on the school app.

Remember - Every Day Counts!

Have a good weekend

**Jo Money
Principal**

We are excited to be taking part in the **2019 Woolworths Earn & Learn** program. In previous years, we have been able to purchase some great resources with the points we earned!

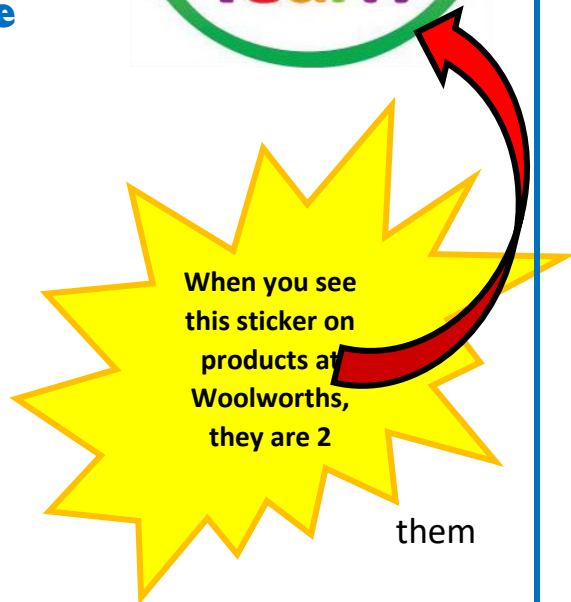
Collect your stickers at Woolworths and for every \$10 you spend (excluding the purchase of tobacco, liquor and gift cards), you will receive a sticker.

Place your stickers on the special sticker sheet and once it is completed, bring it to school or you can drop them into your local Woolworths collection box.

There are sticker sheets available at the **School Office**, from **Woolworth's**, or you can download **woolworths.com.au/earn and learn**.

The more points we earn, the more educational resources we can buy!

We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program. If you have any questions, please ask a **Junior School Council Member**.



FOUNDATION TOURS: We have had many enquiries about enrolments for **2020** and places on tours are filling up fast. If you know someone who lives in Glenroy and is interested in our school, please ask them to ring the school office and get a place on our tours in the next few months. If you already have children at our school and have a Foundation student for next year, please make sure you come and get the enrolment pack so we can add you to our list!!

We are a Child Safe School.

Term 2 Diary

School Banking: Every Tuesday

Interschool Sport (5/6): Friday 17th May Vs Glenroy West PS Home game

Education Week Dress-Up Day: Careers: What will I be when I grow up!? Thursday 23rd May