



Newsletter

St Mary's Catholic School Wellington

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“Forgive as the Lord forgave you.” Colossians 3:13

Dear St Mary's Families,

Many of our Year Two students will be participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation next week. Year Two recently prepared for this sacrament during their Retreat day. It is timely for us all to remember the power of forgiveness and to teach our children to forgive and move forward.

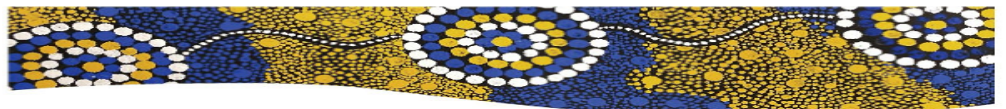
Our school is buzzing with reading as students participate in our daily Renaissance reading program. Student growth in reading and comprehension is reflecting the success of this initiative. Classes compete for Golden Book trophies for the amount of books read and Kindergarten and Year Four were the winners last term. They were rewarded with a casual clothes day and received a small treat.

Mrs Milgate, Mr Nugent and Mrs Carberry travelled to St Matthew's in Mudgee last week to work with the Maths Association of NSW. We are excited to announce that St Mary's has been chosen to participate in a two year project with MANSW which will build on the capacity and skills of our students in Mathematics across the school.

Next week we will be welcoming Bishop Michael McKenna to our school who will be supporting secondary students during iRise. We are proud to be hosting this event for senior secondary students from across our Diocese and welcome them to St Mary's.

Kindest regards,

Mrs Leanne Clarke
Principal



VISION STATEMENT

St Mary's Catholic School is a Christ centred, inclusive community where individuals are supported to learn at high levels and to grow spiritually, socially and physically.

“We have gifts that differ, according to the grace given to each of us.”

(Romans 2:6)

DIARY DATES

Term 4 Week 5

Mon 11 Nov 8.50am K-10 Assembly-Quad | Yrs 9-10 Assessment week | Remembrance Day

Tues 12 Nov

Wed 13 Nov

Thur 14 Nov Secondary Praise & Worship | Summer Trials | 6pm Year 2 Sacrament of Reconciliation

Frid 15 Nov iRise for senior students at St Mary's

Term 4 Week 6

Mon 18 Nov Yrs 5 & 9 Leadership Day | 2pm Year 4 visit Maranatha House

Tues 19 Nov P&F Christmas Dinner at Grand Hotel 6pm

Wed 20 Nov

Thur 21 Nov

Frid 22 Nov School Captain Speeches | Newsletter



COMPASS APP

Please ensure you have Compass, the school app, on your phone as this is where alerts and important information is posted.

2024 School Term Dates

Term Dates 2024

Term 1	Thursday 1 February - Friday 12 April
Term 2	Tuesday 30 April - Friday 5 July
Term 3	Monday 22 July - Friday 27 September
Term 4	Tuesday 15 October - Friday 20 December



Student Enrolments 2025

We are currently finalising our student numbers and staffing for 2025. If you know of any families who are intending to enrol at St Mary's, please encourage them to enquire at the school office next week.

If your family will not be with us in 2025 please notify the school office next week so that we can organise exit forms and the transfer of school records.





Religious Education

St Patrick's Church

Wellington

Weekly Mass Times

9am Monday to Friday

6pm Saturday

8am 2nd & 4th Sunday

10am 1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday

Year 2 Retreat

The Year 2 retreat this week was an opportunity for our students to reflect on the importance of Jesus in their lives in preparation for their Sacrament of Reconciliation, next Thursday 14 November in St Patrick's Church. Thanks to Mrs Carberry for guiding the students through their reflection activities yesterday.

All Saints Day Mass

"Happy are the merciful: they shall have mercy shown to them." Matthew 5:7

St Mary's celebrated All Saints day with a school Mass last week. We remembered the Saints as our mentors and heroes. The Saints were real people, just like us. Their lives inspire us to greatness. They struggled with the same troubles and decisions in life that we face every day.

Praise and Worship

Year 9/10 students will participate in a praise and worship event at St Mary's next Thursday 14 November. Students from across our Diocese will come together with Fr Rob Galea to share the Good News in a relevant and meaningful way through the use of prayer, song, music and reflection.

iRise

On Friday 15 November our Year 10 students will participate in the Diocesan iRise event. iRise provides a unique opportunity to empower Senior Student Leaders to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in our world today. Drawing on the gifts, talents and values of the individual, iRise provides rich experiences of prayer and worship designed to educate and empower our students to lead like Jesus did in Catholic schools.

Mr Christopher Stevens

Leader of Ministry and Mission





SCHOOL Information

Secondary Assessment and Exams

Year 9 and 10 exams began today and will continue through to Wednesday of Week 5.

Year 7 and 8 students will sit their exams in Week 6.

Examination timetable for both Stage 5 (Years 9/10) and Stage 4 (Years 7/8) were shared with families through Compass. All 7-10 students should have also received a paper of their exam timetable.

Year 5 and Year 9 Leadership Days

Leadership Days will be held for both Year 5 and Year 9 students on **Monday 18 November**. The sessions will prepare students as they begin to take on senior roles in Primary (Year 6) and Secondary (Year 10). Primary and Secondary Captain nominations will take place during the day, with nominees asked to prepare a leadership speech to present to the school community later in the week. Please keep an eye out for further information of student leadership days in the Compass news feed.

Mr Allan Jones
Assistant Principal

Learning Matters

K-6

DIBELS Short-term Reading Initiative

Over the past few months, a number of students from Kindergarten to Year 8 were involved in a short-term reading program based on the structures and implementation of the DIBELS reading program. DIBELS reading assessments, focus on reading skills such as letter and sound recognition, fluency, accuracy and correct word usage. Data was collected last week and shared as part of our weekly staff meeting. The student growth over the 7 week period was **fantastic** and demonstrated the benefits of focused learning and engagement. Thank you to all staff and parents who provided resources, time and encouragement to make the initiative so successful. We look forward to running the program again throughout 2025.

Student Assessments

Over the coming weeks, staff will be finalising their assessments of student skills and knowledge for each of the Key Learning Areas. Primary classes do not have a designated assessment week, rather teachers collect data and results in a variety of ways throughout the term.

In order to assist all students in being able to achieve their best results and work to their potential, parents are encouraged to support their child and the school by reinforcing the importance of remaining focused and engaged with lesson content, working in a positive manner and always giving it their best shot, especially when they are finding things challenging.

Mr John Nugent

K-6 Team Leader

7-10

Congratulations to students who received academic awards at our 7-10 Assembly on Monday. Your focus on learning sets a great example for others.

Assessment Week

Our Year 7-10 students will be completing their assessments and exams during the coming weeks. Please support your child to get plenty of rest at home and put aside time each night to revise for exams.

These will be the final assessments for our Year 10 students and results will go towards their final Record of School Achievement (RoSA) grade.

Excursions

Week 7 is our excursion week for Year 7-10 students and all information is on COMPASS.

Year 7-8 will be going to Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation camp. Please remember to complete the online registration through the following link.

<https://officeofsport.ungerboeck.com/prod/emc00/register.aspx?eid=MUNH5nRTVmp6RndXeFRhSWpiVINfZz090>

Year 9-10 will be going to Sydney for their Elective Excursion and all information is on COMPASS.

Mr Alistaire Thompson

Year 7-10 Team Leader



School Wide Positive Behaviour for Learning “SPB4L”

SPB4L Focus - ‘Respecting Others’

‘Respecting Others’ is the theme of our latest SPB4L focus across the school. As we begin Year 7-10 examination weeks and end of year assessments in K-6 classrooms, our initial focus will be on respecting the learning needs of others. Students have been asked to consider what classroom conditions best suit their learning styles.

SPB4L Cub Credits Shop

Students are reminded to check the Cub Credits shop regularly for new items to purchase using their Cub Credits. New basketballs and footballs have been added to the shop this week.

Mr Allan Jones
Assistant Principal

Introducing our Centacare School Counsellor - Ruth Brown

Hi, I am Ruth, school counsellor at St Mary's. During school terms I am at St Mary's every Wednesday and Thursday, and every second Friday. Most of the time I'll be in the room at the back of the library. I am a psychologist, and have previously worked at private practices in Dubbo and Orange, and at Headspace in Orange. In addition to working at St Mary's part of the time, I also work a couple of days a week at LikeMind in Orange. Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with family, and walking- especially a bit of bush walking in the Blue Mountains. I have enjoyed starting to meet some of the school community and look forward to continuing to become a familiar face at St Mary's. If you would like to talk to me I can be reached through the school office, or referrals can be made through Mrs Clarke or Mrs Crean.





2024 Term 4 Sporting Dates:

14 November

Summer Touch Trials

Sport

Summer Trials

Good luck to all students competing in the Diocesan Summer Trials next week.

Will Carney, Jasper Telfer, Billy Mitchell, Oliver Spradbrow, Braxton Webster, Jackson Reid, Evie Whiteley, Pippa Horton, Stephanie Frogley, Sophie Brown, Lily Nugent, Ruby Mace, Sophie Finn (Touch Football) and Jackson Angell (Cricket). Good luck to all students. Play hard and do your best.

November

In Week 8, St Mary's will be playing a friendly mixed touch football match against Wellington High School. The match is a fundraiser to help gain more awareness for men's prostate cancer, testicular cancer, suicide awareness and prevention.

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St Mary's Catholic College Wellington

FROM LITTLE THINGS BIG THINGS GROW clontarf foundation

NASCA CULTURE EDUCATION COMMUNITY

WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL & ST MARYS CATHOLIC COLLEGE
Join our cause to help raise funds for men's prostate cancer, testicular cancer, suicide awareness and prevention. Scan the QR code above to head to our page and donate. Any amount helps

Mr Alistaire Thompson
Sport Coordinator

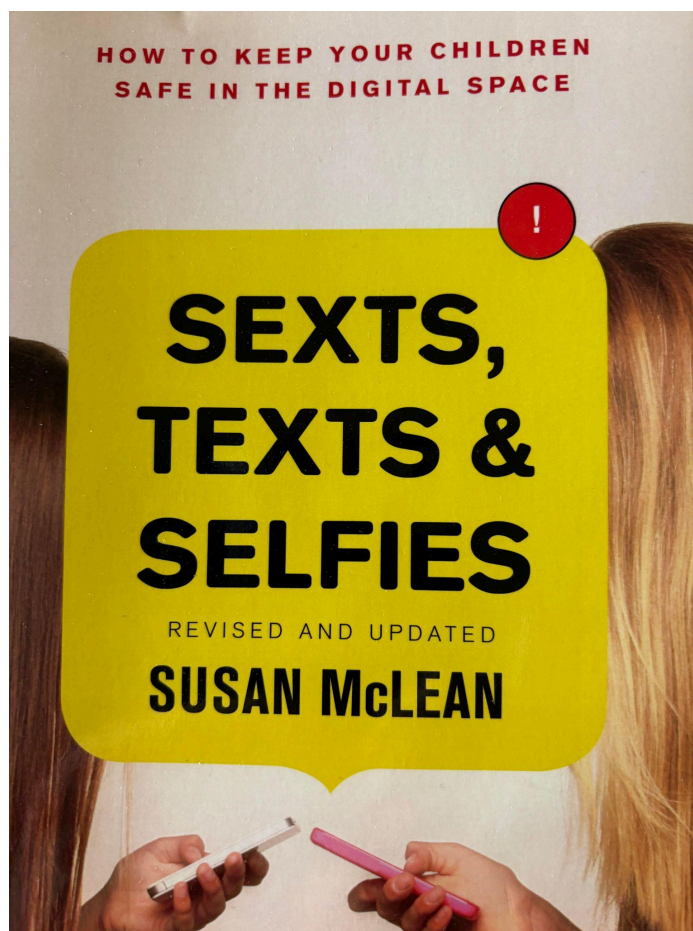
Cybersafety

We are increasingly dealing with social media and cybersafety issues at school with **over 90%** of these incidents occurring out of school hours. We ask you as parents to regularly check your child's social media access and to monitor the Apps accessed and who they are contacting. **Please note that Snap Chat and Tik Tok (and numerous other sites) should not be used by children under 13 years of age in Australia.**

If your child is a victim of misuses of technology this is what we recommend that you do:

- Save and store the offending material on your computer, mobile phone or other device
- Print a copy of the material and immediately report the incident to the school
- If the material is pornographic or sexualised immediately report this to the police

<https://www.cybersafetysolutions.com.au/parents/>



Library News

Library News

Thank you to those students who have shared their favourite books in library lessons over the past few weeks. As we approach the end of the year, all students should have had a turn sharing their book. If your child missed out on their turn or is keen to share another favourite book, please have them bring it to their next library lesson.



FAVOURITE BOOK SHARING TERM 4		
KINDER	YEAR 1	YEAR 2
WK 4- JACK WK 5- MILLIE WK 6- THATO WK 7- LEUIS WK 8- ANYONE WK9- ANYONE WK10- LIBRARY CLOSED	WK 4- ANYONE WK 5- ANYONE WK 6- ANYONE WK 7- ANYONE WK8- ANYONE WK9- ANYONE WK10- LIBRARY CLOSED	WK 4- IVY AL WK 5- NOAH WK 6- PIPPA WK 7- HANNAH WK8- ANYONE WK9- ANYONE WK10- LIBRARY CLOSED
YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
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Renaissance Reading

Our Term 3 Top Renaissance Readers were all treated to a special dessert bar in the library this week, as a reward for all their hard work. Our Kindergarten and Year 4 students enjoyed a special casual clothes day and special treat for being our Term 3 'Golden Book Trophy' winners. I hope everyone enjoyed their rewards!

Term 4 Renaissance Reading is off and running with Year 4 aiming to retain the trophy, Year 3, 5 and 6 wanting to reclaim it and our secondary classes vying to take it out once and for all, especially Year 9 who have been very close to being victorious each term throughout this year. It's going to be a very close race!



BAT DAY

Last Thursday, St Mary's went totally 'batty', celebrating bat-riffic bats! For a bit of fun, students were invited to dress up and to bring their best bat joke or bat fact to share. Dr Joanna Haddock from the 'Bats in Backyards' project came and spoke to students about her work with bats and presented bat findings from a sound box that Mid Macquarie Landcare had placed in the school earlier this year. Nine different species of microbats were found in St Mary's, including the Large Bent-winged Bat and Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat both vulnerable to extinction. A big thank you to Dr Jo for taking the time to teach us all more about the wonder of bats, Elizabeth from WIRES for sharing her knowledge of how to care for these amazing creatures and Danielle Littlewood from Mid Macquarie Landcare for planning and working with me in organising this bat-tastic event. Photos on the next page.

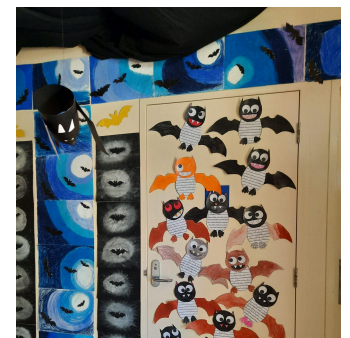
Mrs Hayley Jones
Librarian



St Mary's School Results = 9 confirmed species!

Common name	Presence
White-striped Free-tailed Bat	Confirmed
Gould's Wattled Bat	Confirmed
Large Bent-winged Bat (vulnerable to extinction)	Confirmed
Long-eared Bat species	Confirmed
Inland Free-tailed Bat	Confirmed
Southern Free-tailed Bat	Confirmed
Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat (vulnerable to extinction)	Confirmed
Little Broad-nosed Bat / Parnaby's Broad-nosed Bat	Confirmed
Little Forest Bat	Confirmed
Southern Forest Bat	Probable
Chocolate Wattled Bat	Probable
Large Forest Bat	Possible

Landcare Bat Day



Aboriginal Education

Fortnightly Fridays Year 3 and Year 4 have been engaging in learning Wiradjuri culture and language.

Today students begun by sharing native Australian animals they know the Wiradjuri name of included the Gugaa- Goanna, Bila-durang- Platypus, Maliyan- Wedgetail eagle & Dinawan- Emu.

Students then played Koori-heads, learning of Aboriginal people known for their Deadly achievements, local and from other nations.

We finished with learning how to count from 1- 10 in Wiradjuri with a find a word and 10 students counting to 10 in Wiradjuri language

**Yanhanhadhu -
Goodbye**

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Danielle Sears/ Jo Hodges
Aboriginal Education Officers



First Nations resources

New – First Nations bullying prevention and support resources.

Bullying No Way has developed a new First Nations page, offering culturally responsive, evidence-informed resources for schools, students, and parents.

Created with input from our national education network and First Nations academics, the resources help address bullying in a way that honours and reflects the experiences of First Nations communities.

Schools can use these tools to support First Nations students, ensuring they feel respected, heard, and valued, while also helping non-Indigenous students better understand their peers' lived experiences. The page also provides practical advice for families.

Explore the resources today <https://bullyingnoway.gov.au/resources/first-nations> and help create a safer, more inclusive environment for all students and families.

Year 2 Reflection Day



Maths Club Problem Solvers

Who gives up their lunch hour to do Maths? We do!

There is a group of very dedicated and motivated Mathematicians who meet each Monday to solve problems. They love to learn and display perseverance when given problems. Well done Mathematicians.

Mrs Maureen Milgate
Maths Teacher



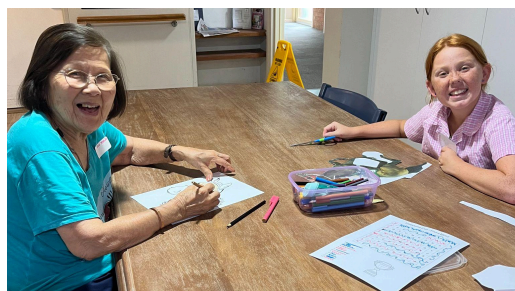
Year 7-10 Assembly Awards



Year 5 Visit Maranatha House

Every class visiting Maranatha brings their unique gifts. On Monday Year 5 certainly brought the gifts of respect and good manners. It was inspiring and delightful to see and hear Year 5 chat and share activities. Well done Year 5.

Ms Louise Hennessy
Community Wellbeing Program Manager



School Student Travel



School student travel information for parents and students

School Travel Passes

Applications are now open for 2025 School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS) travel.

Students living in rural and regional areas will receive their travel pass from their nominated transport operator. It may be issued via their school or be sent directly to them at home. Note: Some rural and regional operators do not issue travel passes. Students/parents should confirm with their nominated operator if they do not receive a pass.

Terms of Use

All students are required to comply with the [Student code of conduct](#). The code of conduct aims to ensure the safety and well-being of school children and other passengers. It is important that parents ensure their child is aware of this, as failure to comply with the code of conduct can result in a suspension from travel.

School Uniform - **Reminder hats are back!**

- **All students should be wearing full summer uniforms in Term 4.**
- SMCS blue bucket hats for all students (**no maroon hats please**) / Year 7-10 only optional SMCS baseball cap.
- Sport uniform will be worn 3 days a week / official school uniform 2 days a week as below:
K-6 wear sports uniform on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
7-10 wear sports uniforms on Monday, Thursday and Friday

CSPA 2024 NATIONAL PARENT SURVEY



CLOSING SOON



**What works
for your child
and your family
around wellbeing
and learning?**

Catholic School Parents Australia (CSPA) acknowledges the funding received from the Australian Government to support this work.

What works for your child and your family around wellbeing and learning?

Do you have a few minutes to share what works for your child around wellbeing and learning? A positive school experience shared is something we would like to hear. CSPA is listening so go ahead and tell us. Scan the QR code or click on the survey link: <https://bit.ly/3MQTXM4>

Thank you from CSPA!

Reminder - Parking At The Front of School

We ask that all our parents, carers and visitors to the school adhere to our parking regulations to keep our children safe.

- **Avoid parallel parking/ double parking or asking your child to cross the road unassisted**
- **Do not park across or in the disability parking spaces unless you display a disabled permit**
- **Do not park in bus zones during bus service times**

These restrictions are required to maximise parking opportunities for everyone and to keep children safe.

During the school holiday we are hoping to have a new gate installed near the K-2 play equipment for parents to have access for drop offs and pickups. This will ease the congestion at the front of the school.



St Mary's Community Google Calendar - Keep up to date with upcoming School Events

Compass Portal

St Mary's School has an online calendar. It syncs with the Compass portal. You can see school events on Compass. Click the calendar icon at the bottom of your screen (Phone App version), or top of your screen (web browser version of Compass). As is often with mobile devices, things can be difficult to navigate. The online version is better.

Webpage

To access a more user-friendly version of our school calendar, online users can click this link: [St Mary's Catholic School Community Calendar](#). (<https://tinyurl.com/ybyu5qs6> if you're using a paper copy of the newsletter).

It would be a good idea to save it/ bookmark it/ favourite it.

Add to a Google Account

For those that have a Google account (G-mail), you might like to add the calendar to your Google calendar. Use this link: [Google Account Link to School Calendar](#) (online users only)

If you would like assistance, pop in and see Mr Chris Stevens next time you're in the school.

Mr Chris Stevens

ICT Support

2024 School Fee Information

Fee relief remains available for those parents who are facing financial hardship. If you have not done so already, please contact your school for a Fee Relief Application. There are also Health Care Card concessions for eligible parents. You may also contact the Fees Liaison Officer at Catholic Education Diocese of Bathurst at floedb@bth.catholic.edu.au for assistance with concessions. Please do not hesitate to discuss with your school principal the concessions available. Thank you for your ongoing support of Catholic Education at St Mary's.

Active and Creative Kids Voucher

The new Active and Creative Kids voucher is now available, helping to make activities more affordable for eligible NSW families. Families of eligible school-aged children will be able to use two \$50 vouchers per calendar year.

- Vouchers are available to those receiving **Family Tax Benefit Part A**, or **Family Tax Benefit Part B**, or both.
- Vouchers can be downloaded as a QR code and used toward either an eligible physical or creative activity.
- The \$50 vouchers will be issued in school term 1 and school term 3.
- Vouchers must be redeemed before their expiry date.

For more information, visit [Active and Creative Kids](#).

P&F Canteen

Canteen Menu

Pie \$4.50
Sausage Roll \$4.00
Pizza Roundas \$4
Ham & Cheese Toastie \$3.50
Butter Chicken & Rice GF \$5
Fried Rice GF \$5.00
Lasagne \$5.00
Yummy Drummy \$1 each
Mac & Cheese \$5.00
Banana Bread \$2

Drinks

Apple Juice 375mls \$3.00
Apple Juice 200mls \$2.00
Orange Juice \$3.00
Strawberry Milk \$2.50
Chocolate Milk \$2.50
Water \$2

Treats

Icy Cups Apple/Orange \$1.00
Frozen Yoghurt \$2
Lemonade Ice Block \$2
Chips Small Plain or Honey Soy \$1.50
Chips Large S&V, Plain or Chicken \$2.50

Canteen Information

We have now joined Flexischools online ordering system. Please place orders by FRIDAY 9am. All menu items can be ordered using the app however students can still bring in money to purchase TREATS & DRINKS on the day.

Volunteers are warmly welcomed. If you can spare a few hours once a term for canteen duty please contact Sally Mostyn or Emily Redfern.

The P&F meets every third week of the month at 5.30pm. If you are interested in raising funds to assist with additional resources for your own child's education, get involved in our P&F.

"In supporting our school community,
St Mary's is a nut free zone"

Join the clubs

Breakfast Club	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday - 8.30am - 8.50am School Canteen - free for all students Donations welcome
Lunchtime Clubs	Lego Club: Monday and Tuesday Chess Club: Friday Creative Club: Thursday (Cooking, Art, Garden)
SPB4L Cub Credits	SPB4L Club Credit Shop: Wednesday and Thursday
Cattle Showing	Tuesday 3.30pm - 5pm

Lowes Online Uniforms



Lowes would like to remind the school community that parents can still access uniform purchases via our Schools Online in the comfort of their home with delivery. All orders over \$100 include free delivery and orders under \$100 incur a \$10 delivery charge. Visit <https://www.lowes.com.au/schools-online> and sign up at <https://www.lowes.com.au/schools-online/st-mary-s-school-wellington>

Secondary Girls Skirts



Secondary girls' skirts in sizes 8,10,12,14 are available to try on at the school office. These skirts are a stock standard size. If you would like to purchase one, please contact: **Kingfisher School Gear, 151 Summer Street Orange. Phone 02 6361 2252** for orders and payment.

You can organise to pick it up or to pay for postage. Please allow 2-3 weeks for it to be made. The cost of the skirts is \$62 for standard sizes. If you require a skirt to be made to measure and any sort of alteration there will be an extra charge. All correspondence regarding organising and purchasing of skirts is to be between yourself and Kingfisher School Gear, **NOT** the school office.

COMPASS APP

Please download the Compass App, search for Wellington and select our school

Login to the Compass Parent Portal where you can:

Monitor your child's attendance and enter an explanation for absence or lateness

Get alerts including the school newsletter, information about events and P & F Minutes

Communicate with your child's teachers

Update your family contact information

View your child's timetable and the school calendar

Download and view your child's Semester Reports and Progress Reports



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Retail

Woolworths Wellington and Coles Wellington

Cafes

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Australian Government Mobile Service Centres



If you live in a rural area, you may need to travel greater distances to access government payments and services. To make it easier for you to access these services, we're bringing them to you and your community.

Mobile Service Centres travel extensively throughout rural and regional Australia and also to disaster affected areas to provide help and support.

Staff from Services Australia travel with the Mobile Service Centres and can help you with Centrelink and Medicare payments and services. Our Mobile Service Centres also have disabled access.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Wi-Fi is available for visitors to the Mobile Service Centre and staff will be able to help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

Our staff will provide you with friendly face-to-face service, information and support. From time to time, representatives from other government agencies also travel with the Mobile Service Centres.

More information

To view the latest itineraries for the Australian Government Mobile Service Centres, visit servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

The stopping locations for Mobile Service Centres are promoted in each town and on social media before each visit.

Information and help you can access on board the Mobile Service Centres

We provide information, help and support to rural and regional communities, including:

- families
- older Australians
- students
- job seekers
- people with disability
- carers
- farmers
- self-employed people.

We can assist you with:

- registering and using the agency's online services
- new claims for Centrelink payments
- updating and confirming Centrelink and Medicare information
- information on how financial matters may impact on payments
- assistance with payment and service options
- rural payment entitlements for eligible farmers
- non-cash Medicare transactions
- enrolling for and issuing new Medicare cards
- updating and re-issuing Medicare cards
- social work support and referrals.

INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centre



Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

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For more information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

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USE YOUR CARD AT CHECKOUT

ZERO CARD BENEFITS



STEPPING UP



CAMBODIA

SCHOOL UNIFORM FUNDRAISER

For AU\$25, each school uniform pack will include:

- 1 x school uniform
- 1 x sports uniform
- 10 x School notebooks



WHAT ARE WE FUNDRAISING FOR???

\$25 covers the costs for the child to attend our village party, where they will be able to play lots of fun games, dance, and have a cooked lunch.

These school uniform packs can be the difference between a child attending school or not. As school uniforms are compulsory and at the parents expense, many families simply cannot afford them. This results in the children not being able to attend school and receive the education they deserve.

When you donate towards a school uniform pack, you will receive a Christmas ornament, a photo card and a special handmade card from one of the children.

Do something meaningful this Christmas and give the gift of education to a child in need.

Please contact Clare Sorn if you would like to donate

CONTACT INFORMATION:
FACEBOOK: Stepping Out Cambodia
eMAIL:
 clarehol_87@fastmail.fm



WEDNESDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS



HOT DOG DAY!!!

ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE GOING TO STEPPING OUT CAMBODIA,
A CHARITY WHO'S FOCUS IS HELPING THE CHILDREN OF CAMBODIA

PLEASE ORDER BY MONDAY AFTERNOON, VIA THE SCHOOL'S FLEXI APP.
THIS WILL BE OPENED ON MONDAY MORNING.