

MIDVALE STAR

Acknowledgement of Country

Ngala karditj noongar moort keyen kaadak nidja boodja.

We would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians and the Noongar people of the Whadjuk land we play on, learn on and are meeting on today at Midvale PS. We would like to thank the elders past and present - you protected this land and we will join with you to take care of it.

Working together we have strong hearts - moorditj koort.

Original Artwork Created by Tina Yarran

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Kaya,

As we come to the end of term 3, I can't believe there is only one term left of this year. It has definitely flown by.

We know that Term Four is very busy and this year is no exception. We have school photos in week 4 and envelopes will come home in week one. It is important to note that, even if you aren't buying photos, every student needs to bring their envelope on the day because it has their unique details on it.

Week 9 we will have both the Graduation and End of Year Concert. Keep an eye on notes home so you don't miss out on anything. If you are not on your child's Dojo, please sign up because we will be sending Dojo messages with reminders.

I have started planning for 2026 and classes will be part of that. If you have anything you would like us to take into consideration when placing your child, please put it in writing to me before week 6 of term 4.

As the weather is warming up, we are seeing increases in students with head lice. Check your child's hair regularly to avoid infestation. A good habit for your child to get into is to put some cheap conditioner and use a nit comb to comb through their hair each night when they have a bath or shower. This means you will get the lice out before they have a chance to lay any eggs. If your child has live lice and nits, they have a 9 day life cycle. Comb the lice out every day for 2 weeks and you will get on top of it. Please do not send your child to school if they have live lice in their hair. Thank you for your ongoing support with this.

Next term, booklists will be sent home. We negotiate the very lowest price we can for the items and review them vigorously to keep the cost at the lowest it can be. If it is on the booklist, we have deemed it absolutely necessary for your child to participate fully in their learning opportunities at school. Please purchase the booklist if possible.

Please make sure all your details are up to date with the school. We will be sending out information to the addresses we have on our system.

We hope you have a safe and relaxing holiday, and we will see you all on Tuesday 14th October.

Mrs Leete



IMPORTANT

DATES:

26/9/2025

LAST DAY OF TERM 3

TUESDAY - 14/10/2025

FIRST DAY OF TERM 4

24/10/2025

Room 5 Assembly

31/10/2025

World Teachers Day

5/11/2025

Photo Day

6/11/2025

Kindy Group 2 &
Catch Up Photo Day

21/11/2025

Kindy Orientation

OUR POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT FOCUS NEXT TERM IS 'School Expectations and Procedures'

Students will learn how to be a **STAR** student by developing the skills, routines and behaviours expected of all Midvale students, as part of our whole-school Positive Behaviour Support focus.



Our Kindy 1 and 2 students have had an exciting Term filled with learning, creativity, and special experiences.

We were delighted to welcome Ms Linzy from **St John Ambulance** for a fun and engaging First Aid incursion. The Kindy children met Kura the Paramedic Bear, learned about what an emergency is, when and how to call 000, and even explored the inside of a real ambulance.

To celebrate the important people in their lives, the Kindy children took part in a joyful **F.u.d.g.e Day** or Father's Day, with their grandfathers, uncles, pops, dads, and other father figures. The day was packed with fun activities such as a shaving cream station, outdoor games, crown making, painting, crafts, play dough, and a special morning tea. It was heartwarming to see the smiles, laughter, and quality time shared.

We also had a visit from Ms Glenda, Activities Organiser from **Midland Bunnings**, who led a creative Father's Day incursion where students made colourful, personalised door hangers as gifts for their father figures. A big thank you to Midland Bunnings for their time and generosity in helping our kindy children create such meaningful keepsakes.

In the Kindy classroom, we have been exploring the beloved story **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**. The Kindy children have been learning all about the life cycle of a butterfly, making their own caterpillars using recycled materials, butterfly symmetry and even baking butterfly cupcakes.



HOME READERS

Congratulations to the following students for reaching home reading book exchange targets!!!

100

PP1

Billie

Pema

Jayce

Liam

Johna

Evan

Nolan

Annalise

PP2

Ron

Erica-Violet

Manveer

Room 1

Stephen

Bryce

Cruze

Georgia

Shreyansh

Shylee

Room 2

Cyrus

Ziven

Room 14

Eca

Kim

Audrey

Brianna

Room 6

Sean

Room 4

Nebi

Kevin

Joshuar

Scorchia

Room 8

Abigail

Ashton

Dalal

Keysha

Indy

Saxsyn

50

PP1

Rian

Maynard

Sophie

Nikora

PP2

Raven

Macy

Christian

Room 1

Tirzah

Brodie

Room 14

Ihaka

Charlotte

Room 6

Phoenix

Room 8

Zairah

Room 9

Teliah



MIDVALE

COMMUNITY STAR

Name: Emily Galvin

Connection to the school: EA (Education Assistant)

Favourite Book?

Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix

Who would play you in a movie about your life?

Cameron Diaz, I find her so funny!

What 3 words would you use to describe yourself?

Positive, loud and excitable.

Do you have any brothers or sisters?

Yes two younger sisters (poor dad).

Eagles or Dockers?

Not a massive football fan, but I prefer the colour purple. So Dockers!

If you were a fruit or vegetable, what would you be?

A potato. I love chips!

What is your greatest achievement?

Studying and working full time!

Name one person you really respect.

My mum. She is incredible.

Tell us a joke:

Why was the broom late for school?
He over-swept.



Exciting News for Our Library!

We are thrilled to share that our school has been selected to take part in the Dymocks Children's Charities Literacy Program! As part of this amazing opportunity, Dymocks has generously donated a whopping \$10,000 to support literacy and a love of reading at our school.

Thanks to their kindness, we've been able to purchase a huge range of brand-new books for our library — books that are already inspiring excitement, curiosity, and a deeper love of reading among our students.

We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Dymocks Children's Charities for their incredible support. Their generosity is making a real difference in our students' literacy journeys, and we couldn't be more grateful.

Happy reading!





FACTOR READERS

Congratulations Mer (Room 8), Tirren (Room 11) and Laiyken (Room 11) for demonstrating eXtreme eXcellence in reading!!



Name: Mer

My favourite book series are... Amulet and The Baby Sitters Club.

My favourite place to read is... anywhere cozy.

Reading is... imaginative and can take you anywhere/everywhere.



Name: Tirren

My favourite book is... Ninja Kid 3.

My favourite place to read is... on my bed.

Reading is... a fun and exciting way to learn about interesting things.



Name: Laiyken

My favourite book is... Wings of Fire.

My favourite place to read is... on the couch.

Reading is... quite fun and relaxing.



OUR NEW WORDS



Yongka – Kangaroo

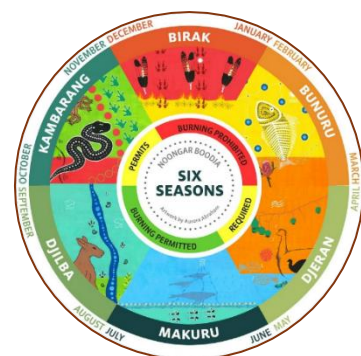
Wetj - Emu

Koomool - Possum

Koolbardi – Magpie

Djidi Djidi – Willy Wag Tail

Dongkarak – Wattle Bird



HIGHFLYER TOP DOJO STAR

Room 7 – Kesomi F

154 Points



DOJO CLASS OF THE MONTH AUGUST

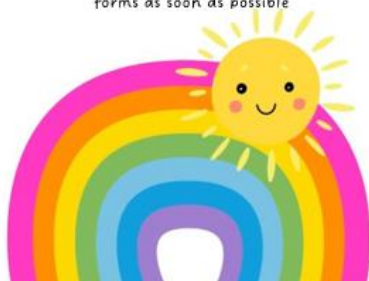
Room 8

2150 Points



hello
KINDERGARTEN

Children born between 01/07/2021 and 30/06/2022 are eligible for Kindergarten in 2026. Spaces are limited so please come to the front office for enrolment forms as soon as possible



Shining Stars

Is your child enrolled at Midvale P.S for Kindy in 2026?

Join us for some fun filled learning activities, talk with professionals, meet other Midvale families and get your child ready for Kindy!

Who: Parent and your Pre-Kindy Child

When: Every Friday in Term 3 and 4

Starts Friday July 25th 2025

Time: 9- 10:30am (Doors open 8:30am)

Location: Midvale Primary School in the Early Childhood Block, the classroom opposite the covered sandpits.

Enroll at the front desk!

