



ACT
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Education

Melrose High School Key Events



1 September 2017

Parent Teacher Evening

You are invited to attend the Parent Teacher Evening on Thursday 14 September 2017, from 3:45 - 7 pm. Interviews will be held in selected classrooms; please enter through the front foyer and you will be directed further.

Progress reports and log in information to the Parent Teacher Online (PTO) booking portal will be emailed on Friday 8 September. PTO will open for bookings at 2 pm on Friday 8 September. If you have not granted permission to access the PTO system we will email you with alternative ways to make appointments with the teachers.

We have many parents to chat to on Parent Teacher evening. Due to time constraints interviews are limited to 5 minutes each. If you need a longer time to discuss your child's needs, please feel free to make an appointment outside of this time.

Class teachers can be emailed on firstname.lastname@ed.act.edu.au

Year 8 Indonesian Excursion

Year 8 students of Indonesian are invited to participate in a full-day excursion to the Indonesian Embassy and the National Zoo and Aquarium. The day will begin at the Indonesian Embassy, with a one hour dance workshop followed by a tour of the Embassy's cultural museum. We will then continue on to the National Zoo and Aquarium, where students will be given a behind-the-scenes tour to learn more about native animals of Indonesia and the problems they face due to habitat destruction. There might even be a chance to feed some of the animals! Be sure to get a note from your friendly Indonesian teacher or download it from Google Classroom.

Disability Awareness and Careers Workshop

Melrose High School will be hosting a Disability Awareness and Careers Workshop on Wednesday, 11 October 2017, 9.00am to 12.30pm approx., in the School Library.

This workshop is for students in Years 9 and 10 and is FREE of cost. Participants will be limited to 40 students.

The Commonwealth Government has provided funding for the National Disability Services projectABLE team to provide workshops for senior students about disability awareness and careers in the sector.

It has been estimated that the number of jobs in the disability sector will double as the NDIS funding system matures. The focus on individual choice and control by people with disabilities will result in an increase in the number of jobs in a broader range of professions.

Permission notes are available on the school website and at the Careers Office, and will need to be returned by Wednesday, 20 September 2017.

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Upcoming Arts Events

Week 8: Thursday 7 September

Concert Band excursion to the ACT Band Festival at the Canberra School of Music. Students from the school Concert Band will be participating in this festival, where they will perform for an adjudicator, then receive a 30 minute workshop on their pieces.

Week 9: Wednesday 13 September

Concert Band workshop day with Farrer Primary School. Students from our Concert Band will spend the day with the Year 5 and Year 6 band students from Farrer Primary School, workshopping some pieces to perform that afternoon.

Week 10: Friday 22 September

Dance Fest at the Canberra Theatre Centre. Students from the senior dance classes will be out all day preparing for their performance at the night time show. Students from the backstage crew will also be involved in production work as part of the Dance Fest Work Experience program throughout week 10.



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