



September 3rd, 2021  
Issue 28, Week 8, Term 3

**CURIOSITY OWNERSHIP** **INCLUSION PASSION**

**Bronze Award 2020**

SCHOOL-WIDE POSITIVE  
BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT



### Extension of Remote and Flexible Learning

This was not the news we wanted to hear. We are planning that remote and flexible learning will continue until the end of Term 3. All staff will continue to provide all of our students with teaching and learning activities throughout this time. **Any update or change in Regional areas will be communicated with you as soon as we know.**

There are no changes to the categories of students who can attend on-site. If your child has already been approved to attend onsite learning you do not need to let us know again.

We are aware that many of you are becoming fatigued with the situation that we are in. We are here to help in any way. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you need anything.

We are planning a few 'special' days that will hopefully give all of us something to look forward to.

### Screen Free Friday

Next Friday we are promoting a 'screen free' Friday. The school captains will create and publish a number of different challenges to complete throughout the day that will not require screens. Structured work from classroom teachers will be limited on this day to reduce the amount of time that the students will be required to use their devices.

Robyn

### Parent Opinion Survey

We value your opinion about our school and invite you to participate in the 'Opinion Survey'. Information on how to access and complete the survey can be found over the page. The survey closes **TODAY Friday 3rd September**. Thanks to those families that have already completed the survey.



## FATHER'S DAY

We wish all of the fathers, grandfathers, stepdads and father figures in our community and very special day on Sunday



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# WE WANT OUR PARENTS/CAREGIVERS/GUARDIANS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!

Our school is conducting a survey to find out what parents/caregivers/guardians think of our school. The Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training.

It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, student engagement and experiences of remote and flexible learning.

Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

All parents will be invited to participate in this year's survey. All responses to the survey are anonymous. This year, the Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey will be conducted from **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> August** to **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September**.

The survey will be conducted **online**, only takes **20 minutes** to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the fieldwork period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones.

## To complete the survey, simply:

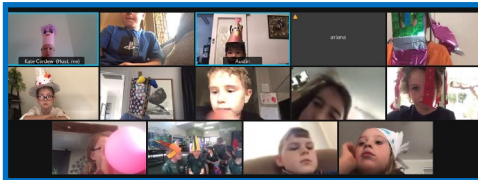
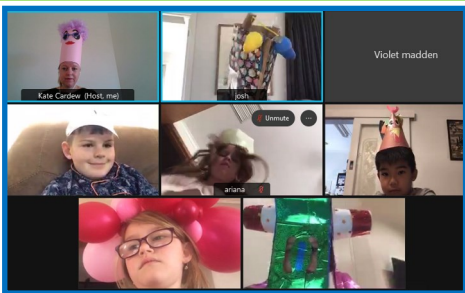
1. Click on the link below, or copy and paste the text into your browser. This link will take you directly to the survey.

<https://www.orima.com.au/parent>

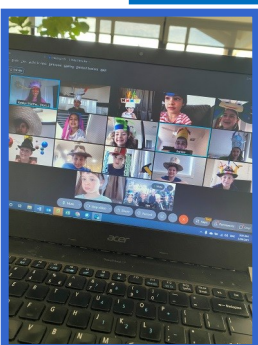
2. Select the School and Campus name below.  
School Name: **Irymple South Primary School**

3. Enter the School PIN below.  
PIN: **898278**

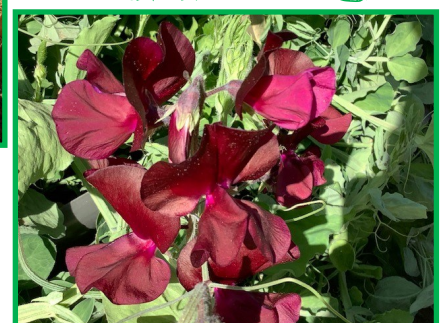
When complete, please click on the tick button at the end of the survey to submit your answers. Please note that the survey will time out after **60 minutes of inactivity**.



SPRING



Crazy hat day  
in Grade 1



## CALENDAR 2021, Terms 3 & 4

Week	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	
SEPTEMBER	9	6 Remote & Flexible Learning	7	8	9	10	11	12
	10	13	14	15	16	17 End of Term 3	18	19
OCTOBER	1	4 Start of Term 4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	2	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	3	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	4	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
NOVEMBER	5	1	2 Cup Day	3	4	5	6	7
	6	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	7	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	8	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
DECEMBER	9	29	30	1	2	3	4	5
	10	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	11	13	14	15	16	17 End of Term 4	18	19

### 2021 DATES

#### Term Dates 2021

Term 3 12th July-17th Sept  
Term 4 4th Oct-17th Dec

#### PUBLIC HOLIDAYS 2021

Cup Day - Tuesday 2nd November

### Happy Birthday

#### AUGUST

Campbell Dowdy (30th)

#### SEPTEMBER

Maeli Kehl (1st)  
Giovanni Daniele (2nd)  
Cale D'Ettore (3rd)  
Aydin Alic (3rd)  
Cameron Brown (3rd)  
Claudia Mammone (4th)

