



### From the desk...



Welcome to another week filled with learning at MPS.

It was fantastic to have a big audience at our Monday morning

assembly this week. If you are not able to come in personally, we do stream live via our school Facebook page. As I'm writing, this week's assembly has had 124 views. Wouldn't it be great if every Murchison student had their parents/carers, and extended family such as grandparents or uncles and aunts watching our assembly and finding out about the great things that are occurring?

### **Discovery, Science & Technology Centre**

Next Thursday August 3, Yr 3-6 students will travel to Bendigo's Discovery, Science & Technology Centre to learn about physical sciences. Students will participate in a workshop from the centre staff as well as getting to explore the many hands-on activities there. Permission notes have been sent home. Please return them to school ASAP.

### **Book Week**

Upcoming in week 7, we have Book Week including our book character parade on the Friday. This year's theme is Read, Grow, Inspire.



CHILDREN'S  
BOOK WEEK

#CBCA2023

19 to 25 AUGUST

READ  
GROW  
Inspire



### **Bee Shop**

We have been investigating different Bee Shop rewards that can be added to our Bee Shop that require minimal outlays. The students are voting on items before they will get added to the purchasing list. The year 5/6 class voted becoming King/Queen for a day as their favourite!



### **House Athletics Sports**

These will also be held in week 7 on Tuesday August 22 at the Murchison Football Oval, weather permitting. Events will start at 10:40am, with lunch at approximately at 12pm

### **Father's Day**

#### **Breaky**

Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August we will be hosting a Father's Day breaky for all of our Father's and Father figures together with their children. Chappy is polishing his BBQ trailer to cook bacon and eggs from 8.15am. Please let the school know if you are attending.



### **Enrolments**

We are now taking enrolments for our 2024 Foundation (prep) students. If you have a little one due to start school next year or know of someone who does, give me a call to organise a tour and chat about what Murchison PS can offer.

**Have a great week everyone, Lisa**



## **'Be The Best You Can Be'**

### **STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**

**Left to Right**

**Back: Rosanna, Lily, Cooper**

**Front: Addie, Aston & Olivia**

**Yr F-1FW – Aston K – For coming back to MPS ready to be a learner – we're so happy you're here.**

**Yr 1-2B – Olivia L – For making a great start at Murchison PS. Displaying all school values and having a positive attitude towards her learning.**

**Yr 3-4WW – Adalind W – By showing a great attitude towards her learning, trying to do her best and achieving success!**

**Yr 3-4WW – Rosanna L – By being respectful and showing a fabulous attitude towards her learning! You are a wonderful addition to Murchison PS Rosanna!**

**Yr 3-4WW – Cooper A – By showing respect and a willingness to have a go at unknown tasks. It is great to see you achieving success Cooper!**

**Yr 5-6CV – Lily B – MPS value of being respectful. Being a positive, bubbly and active member of our class. You are friendly and respectful to all. ★**

## **SCHOOL LEADER'S AWARDS**



Jude  
Aston  
Phoebe



**The Parent-Child Mother Goose Program** is a free drop-in for parents, caregivers, and young children, birth to 6 years old to focus on the pleasure and power of sharing rhymes and songs. Please join us for Singing, Rhymes and Snacks at Murchison Primary School each **Friday during the school term from 9.15am**, call the school on **58 262 391** for more details

## **WEEKLY REMINDERS**



**Don't forget to bring a water bottle to school everyday**



**Lunch Orders  
Mon, Wed & Fri**



**Pie warmers  
Tues & Thurs**



**Headphones Everyday**



Bee Focus: - 'Bee Respectful' Wear your school uniform with pride and make sure your wearing appropriate clothes for winter.

### TERM 3 PLANNER

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
3	24 Assembly 8:50	25 100 Days Brighter	26 School Photos School Council	27 Playgroup	28 Mother Goose Bee Shop	29	30
4	31 Assembly 8:50	Aug 1	2	3 Playgroup Bendigo Excursion Yr 3-6	4 Mother Goose	5	6
5	7 Assembly 8:50	8	9	10 Playgroup	11 Mother Goose Bee Shop	12	13
6	14 Assembly 8:50 SCIENCE WEEK	15 Talk About It Program Year 5/6	16 Talk About It Program Year 5/6	17 Playgroup	18 Mother Goose	19	20
7	21 Assembly 8:50 BOOK WEEK Talk About It Program	22 House Athletic Sports	23	24 Playgroup	25 Book Week Parade Mother Goose Bee Shop	26	27
8	28 Assembly 8:50	29	30 Father's Day breaky Riverlinks "Just Live on Stage" Yr 3-6 School Council	31 Playgroup	Sep 1 Mother Goose	2	3 Father's Day
9	4 Assembly 8:50 CONCERT	5	6	7 Playgroup	8 Mother Goose Bee Shop	9	10
10	11 Assembly 8:50 Parent – Teacher interview week	12 District Athletic Sports	13	14 Playgroup	15 Mother Goose Hot Dog & Dim Sim Lunch	16	17

### CHAPPY NEWS

Hi all, it was so good hear student voices again. I think they were happy to have Cool FM back. Samuel continues to gain confidence singing "I'm never going to give you up" while the Nut Bush is great for student involvement. The GTS mechanics group did a great job inspecting my car and found I need to replace one of my park lights. Thx Shawn, Rory, Sam, and Angus. The Monaro's will have their session

Wednesday afternoon. The students were really interested in my trip away. It was good to share some photos and keyrings that were bought. I'm looking forward to coffee at the gate on Tuesday morning. We have new coffee, come for a chat. Until next week, Chappy 😊







100 Nights – Monique, Zara  
 150 Nights – Quincy, Hailey  
 200 Nights – Sadie

## LEARN TO SHRED

With former World Champ, Renton Millar

**SATURDAY 5 AUGUST, 2023**

**For beginners:**  
 11am to 12pm, Victoria Park Lake Skate Park, Shepparton  
 2:00pm to 3:00pm, Tatura Skate Park, Flanagan Place, Tatura

**For skaters with experience:**  
 12:15pm to 1:15pm, Victoria Park Lake Skate Park, Shepparton

**REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN  
 FREE EVENT**

\*Helmets and skateboards provided to registrants who don't have equipment.

activities in the park  
 GREATER SHEPPARTON

# EDUCATION AND HEALTH DAY

- Kindergarten registration support
- Meeting health professionals inc:
  - Dental professionals
  - Maternal child health nurses
  - Audiologist
  - Early years doctor - Health checks/education
  - Nurse - Health checks/education
- Hippie program
- Council – early years staff

28TH JULY 2023  
 10:00AM – 2:00PM  
 54 POPLAR AVENUE, SHEPPARTON

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**FREE BBQ LUNCH!**

Show bag with Educational Activities and Health Information

To register please see link above or Contact Minjaara Atkinson at [minjaara.atkinson@racalimited.com.au](mailto:minjaara.atkinson@racalimited.com.au) or Call 0438062841  
 Sharon Pattison 0438192692

**FOR CHILDREN 0 – 8 YEARS OLD!**

Eventbrite URL: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/connected-beginnings-education-and-health-day-tickets-668535968077?utm-campaign=social%2Cemail&utm-content=attendees&utm-medium=discovery&utm-source=strongmail&utm-term=listing>

Australian Government  
 Department of Education, Skills and Employment
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**Fun and learning at school**





## Figure This! Math Challenges for Families

How **long**?  
do you have to  
stand in line?

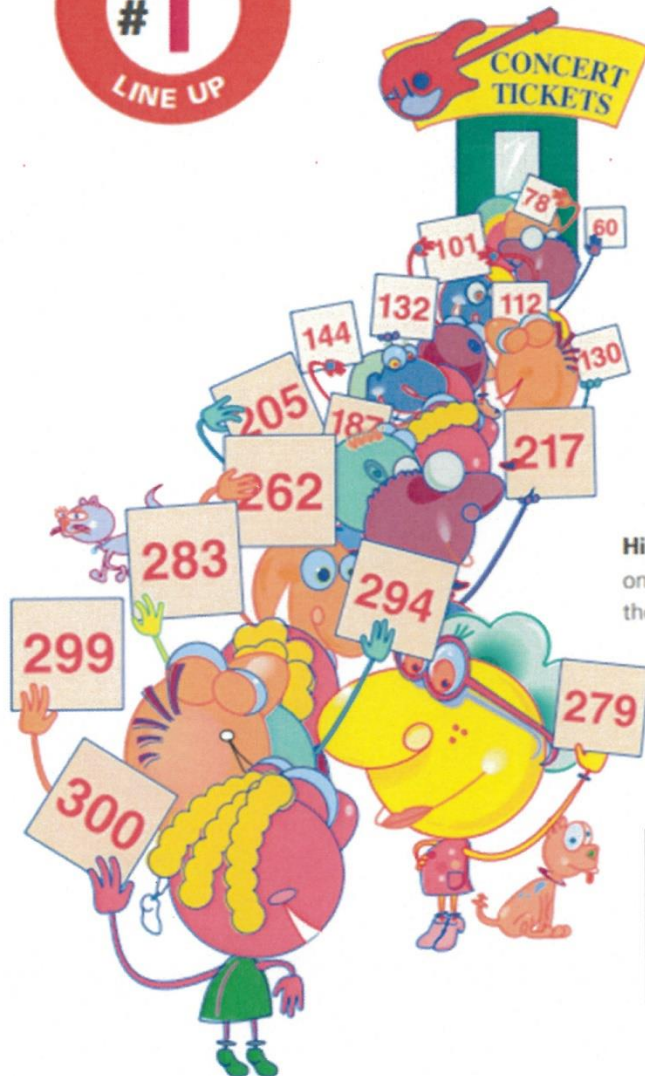
**Figure This!** How long do you think you would have to wait in this line if you hold number 300?

**Hint:** Estimate the amount of time it would take for one person to buy a ticket. Use this estimate to find the amount of time you will have to wait in line.

Estimation and measurement of time are basic skills for all. Businesses such as banks, fast-food restaurants, ski areas, and airports need efficient ways to minimize time spent waiting in line.

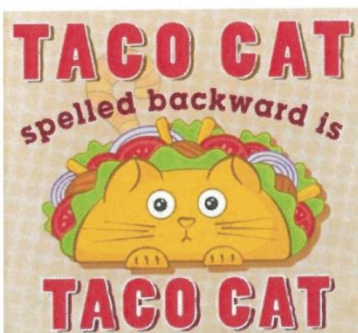
With maths, especially problem solving, the process of working out how to get an answer is just as important as the answer. What processes or strategies do you need to work out this problem?

Answer is at the bottom of page



## palindromes

The longest single-word English palindrome is tattarrattat.



A palindrome is a word, phrase, number, or sequence of words that reads the same backward as forward.



Was it a cat I

Common palindromes include:

- ✓ mum
- ✓ level
- ✓ noon
- ✓ race car
- ✓ wow
- ✓ top spot

Can you find any palindromes while reading or in your spelling words?



### Answer:

Assuming that it takes about 30 seconds to buy a ticket, you would wait about 2 1/2 hours.