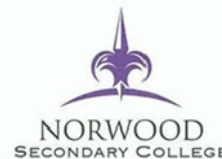


NORWOOD COMPASS

The Newsletter of Norwood Secondary College



PURPOSE STATEMENT

Norwood Secondary College provides a vibrant teaching and learning environment

TERM 3
NUMBER 14
18 September, 2020

School Email Address: norwood.sc@education.vic.gov.au

College Phone No. 9871 0400 **Student Absence Line:** 9871 0401

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College Council President: Ms Tammie Palmer

College Captains: Zoe Tucker and Ryan Smith

School Web Address: www.norwood.vic.edu.au

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020

TERM 3, 2020

Friday 18 September

Last Day of Term 3-Early Dismissal 2.30pm

TERM 4, 2020

Monday 5 October

First Day Term 4 - Remote Learning

Wednesday 7 October

General Achievement Test (GAT)

Monday 12 October

Years 11/12, VCE and VCAL

Return to Onsite Learning

Remote Learning continues for Years 7-10

Friday 16 October

Last day for Winter Uniform

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

SPRING

At the risk of being overly reflective, but feeling that, after the past 6 months, it could be justified, I just looked out my office window over towards the Dandenongs and noted that the many deciduous trees in my view have started to bud. They offer a (at the moment) dull green 'haze' over across the scene and I know that the coming weeks will see them offer brighter green leaves and suddenly the 'wintery' aspect of the many bare branches will have gone. Spring has sprung and for many of us it will hopefully symbolise a change in our COVID fortunes. With transmission numbers dropping and regional Victoria gaining much envied freedoms, we can rightly hope for Melbourne to lose some of our restrictions.



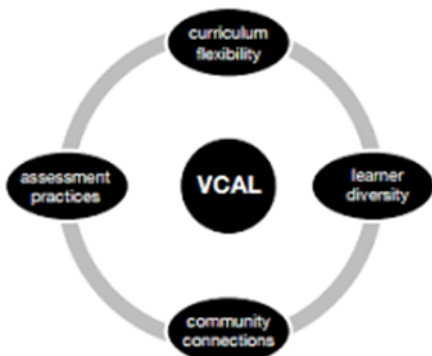
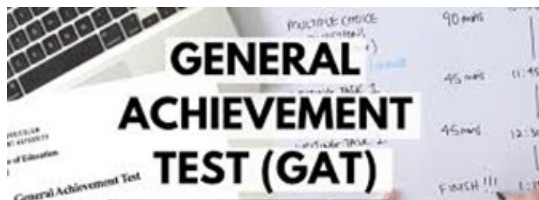
All would be aware that the start of Term 4 is complex, for students. The GAT on the first Wednesday of term, then in Week 2 the return of Year 11 and 12 to on-site classes, while the other levels continue on remote....then we will be waiting to see if Years 7-10 are able to come back to school. The importance of finding a balance between reducing the possibility of community infections and returning all students to on-site schooling is as great now as at any time during this pandemic. School staff have done wonderfully during remote delivery and students have given their best efforts to keep engaged.....but for most it has been a gruelling journey.

Staff are really looking forward to (physically) being with our students again. We know that we have much to do to re-engage students and to help them find their way back into academic studies, friendships, physical activities and so much more. We are also conscious that we must be sensitive to the mental health of our students. All these challenges will be done best when home and school are working together. A 'heads up' from parents regarding any concerns for their children will be appreciated.

In the meantime, I hope families have a chance to connect in the coming break, without school work being an issue. I also acknowledge the outstanding work of our staff – their continued efforts have required much more energy and time than traditional schooling and this break has never been more 'earned'.

In this issue you will read about:

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Finally....a quick 'Google' of the meaning of Spring reveals some prescient words that I will certainly take into my break and use to reinforce my optimism for how Term 4 may evolve.

What does Spring symbolise?

Themes of rebirth and renewal often use symbols from the Spring season.

Spring also refers to love, hope, youth and growth.

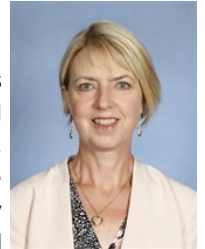
These words struck me as being particularly relevant to our community at this time. I trust you will have a wonderful break. Stay safe and look forward to more 'normal' times at Norwood and the communities beyond.

Andrew Sloane, College Principal

SENIOR SCHOOL PRINCIPAL NEWS

SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

As we approach the holidays, I would like to take this opportunity to thank students for their resilience and persistence. It has certainly been a challenging term. Thank you to parents for your support of remote learning and thank you to the teachers for continually finding new ways to teach your classes, support and engage your students. We hope that as Term 4 progresses, our school fills up with students once again.



Week 1 of Term 4 will continue to be a week of remote learning for ALL students. The only exception to this is Wednesday, 7 October. On this day, students involved in the General Achievement Test (GAT) will attend on-site. Students are expected to arrive 30 minutes prior to the exam to ensure all students are temperature checked. We will facilitate this process in the Library as students arrive to school, to minimise disruption as they enter the exam rooms. Students should enter the Library via the doors at the front of the school (Cube). On the same day, some teachers require students to be at school in the afternoon to submit folio assessments or to complete these assessments. **No Year 12 classes will run on this day.**

Week 2 and 3 of Term 4 will see students return to on-site learning for VCE/VCAL classes only. This will involve all Year 11 and 12 students. Year 10 students undertaking a VCE class are expected to attend their VCE class. As it is important to minimise numbers at schools during this period, Year 10 students can only attend for their VCE classes. We understand that this will cause difficulties for some families with transport and will mean that some Year 10 students will need to catch up on some of their Year 10 classes from the lesson plans uploaded on Compass. Hopefully, this will only be a temporary measure.

Unfortunately, we are unable to provide further advice beyond Week 3 of Term 4 as to the return of students in Years 7 – 10. Teachers will continue to support students with remote learning and will continue to provide lesson plans and resources on Compass. In the meantime, have a restful break from remote learning. We look forward to students returning to school in the near future.



Uniform
Change



UNIFORM MATTERS

Term 4 marks the changeover period to summer uniform. Students can still choose to wear winter uniform on cold days until Friday, 16 October. After this date, students need to wear full summer uniform to school. Please note that due to current restrictions the Uniform Shop is unable to operate in an on-site capacity, however families can still place online orders.

CANTEEN UPDATE

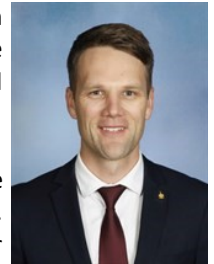
The canteen will be open when VCE/VCAL students return to school but will remain cashless. Due to smaller numbers of students, only a limited menu can be provided.

Jackie Harris, Senior School Principal



JUNIOR SCHOOL PRINCIPAL NEWS

In what has been an unprecedented Term 1 am extremely proud of the motivation and resilience that the Junior School students have displayed throughout Term 3.



At this stage students in Years 7 – 9 will continue remote learning for the first 3 weeks of Term 4. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide further advice beyond Week 3 as to the return of students to onsite learning in Years 7 – 10. In the meantime, teachers will continue to support students with remote learning and will continue to provide video calls at the start of each lesson, lesson plans and resources on Compass.

In Term 4, the Department of Education and Norwood SC have set out three core priorities:

1. Mental health and wellbeing
2. Learning
3. Transitions

As remote learning will be continuing into Term 4, we have implemented the following changes to support the wellbeing of our Junior School students.

WELLBEING DAYS

During the Term 4 remote learning period, **one day per week will be allocated as a Wellbeing Day for all students in Years 7 – 9**. The purpose of this change is to promote wellbeing in Junior School students by providing opportunities for students to increase social connectedness, engage in year level activities, and support the return to face to face learning.

The Wellbeing Days will be held on the following days:
(Classes will not run on these days.)

- Week 1 – Wednesday, 7 October
(Students are required to attend a Year Level virtual assembly Period 2)
- Week 2 – Thursday, 15 October
- Week 3 – Friday, 23 October
(No School - Public Holiday: Grand Final Eve)

HAPPY HOLIDAYS



On these days, students are encouraged to reduce screen time, catch up with a friend to exercise, go outside, spend time with family or catch up on classwork, if necessary. In addition, there will be some competitions/challenges that students may elect to participate in. More information on these challenges will be communicated to the students in Term 4.

INCREASED SOCIALISATION

During mentoring and PE classes, your teachers will provide you with opportunities to connect with your peers in small group video calls via MS Teams. We encourage students to get involved and take this opportunity to socialise with classmates during the school day and work together to complete activities/challenges set by the teacher.

Have a safe and enjoyable break.

Kris Johnson, Junior School Principal

STUDENT WELLBEING NEWS

RUOK? DAY

We wrapped up our RUOK? Day celebrations last week, and we had some amazing contributions from year levels across the school! Every student will have received a small RUOK? Day gift from the Student Wellbeing team (which were put together with a huge effort from our amazing General Office staff), to remind them to reach out and connect with the people around them to ensure their social circle is OK! Read on to hear some of the ace work from our students throughout the week.



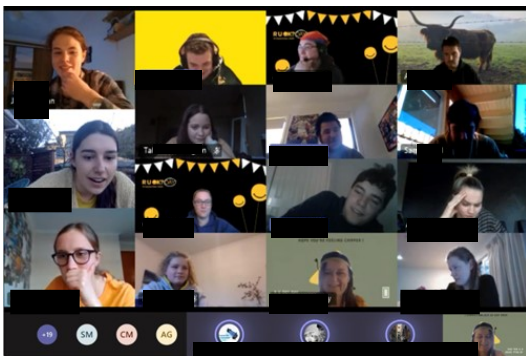
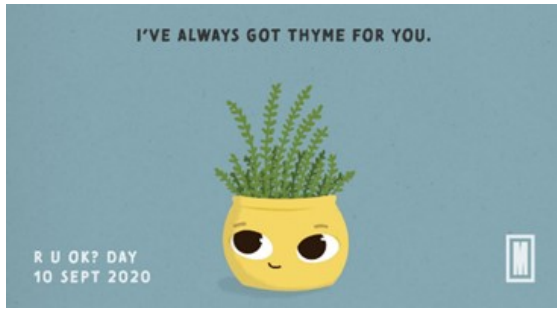
FROM OUR STUDENT WELLBEING PREFECTS:

"This year RUOK? Day looked different than any other year. Despite the fact we could not celebrate in person as a group, everyone still came together and supported each other. We came up with a Facebook challenge to encourage everyone to ask all their friends and family if they are okay. It is wonderful to see the support that the Year 12 cohort gave to each other and how much everyone has been looking out for each other during these challenging times. It was really great to see some of the teachers also having RUOK? Day banners in the background of the video calls reminding us that while they live in our computer screens they are still here to support us in any way we need. We also had some students sharing the RUOK? Day postcards to each other."
Charlotte P and Rhiannon W



FROM THE YEAR 11 LEADERSHIP TEAM:

"In celebration and support of Thursday's RUOK? Day, the Year 11 Leadership Team got around to the rest of their year level in an effort to promote connectedness and remind their peers of the ongoing importance of checking in on friends. Leading up to the big day, a range of cute and corny cards, (provided by the Student Wellbeing Team), were posted by leaders on the year level's Microsoft Teams page to remind friends that we have each got each other's backs and hope we are all feeling okay. To finish it off, a Quaranzuiz (Quarantine Quiz) was held online Thursday afternoon for any and all students who wanted to participate as well as for a few (overly-confident) teachers. After a full week of banter leading up to the big quiz, the students understandably



emerged victorious with a score of 90 to 35. A bonus staff round run by Mrs Kennedy let students learn a couple new and interesting facts about their teachers - who knew we had a national tap dancing champion to teach us maths and a media teacher who was once fired from a movie by Nicholas Cage?! A big thank you to Sam, Abby H, Olivia, Ebony, Abbey S, Jake and Tahlia for their contribution to Year 11s RUOK? Day celebrations as well as to all the teachers and students who joined our Quaraquiz and made it so much fun. We look forward to seeing everyone when we can (finally) return to school!"
 Jaelyn B and Ashleigh C

FROM THE YEAR 10 LEADERSHIP TEAM:

"Last week's RUOK week was a great success from the Year 10 cohort! The Year 10 Leadership team worked hard behind the scenes to ensure the week ran smoothly. As individual leaders posted throughout each day with mindfulness suggestions, motivational advice and inspirational quotes, everyone was left feeling enlightened. As 2020 has been a challenging year for everyone, and circumstances have made it even more important for us all to stay connected, the Year 10 Leadership team have been busy coming up with ideas to connect online. During online learning, we have been setting photo challenges over weekends for people to accomplish a small goal and share it with their peers. With small competitions and daily motivation from leaders, we hope that the Year 10 students are feeling connected and supported by the people around them! Online learning has been a huge learning curve and the Year 10s have been strong from beginning to end - hopefully we get to see everyone's smiling faces in Term 4."
 Rica P and Tahlia T

SUPPORTS AVAILABLE:

With the holidays approaching, we wanted to take this opportunity to remind our community of support services available.

Beyond Blue: For anyone feeling anxious or depressed.
beyondblue.org.au
 1300 224 636

Kids Helpline: Counselling for young people aged 5-25 years.
kidshelpline.com.au
 1800 551 800

Lifeline: Anyone having a personal crisis.
lifeline.org.au
 13 11 14

1800RESPECT: Support for people impacted by domestic or family violence.
1800respect.org.au
 1800 737 732

MensLine Australia: For men with wellbeing or relationship concerns.
mensline.org
 1300 789 978

**Jacki Landy, Annie Hearne and Chayna Dight-Stone,
 Student Wellbeing Team**


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YEAR 12 NEWS

WELL DONE

To all our wonderful and resilient Year 12 students and families, we want to congratulate you on making it through your Unit 3 and 4 course work. This is a tremendous achievement and now we work together toward exams. The next few weeks will involve lots of hard work but your teachers are there with you every step of the way and within the blink of an eye, the year will be done and you will have achieved something momentous.

Stay on course, be proud of what you are doing, as we all are!

Scott Kirkby, Head of Year 12

Melissa Cherry, Year 12 Coordinator



YEAR 10 AND 11 STUDENTS GOING INTO VCE 2021 - NEWS

ENGLISH AND LITERATURE NOVELS

Our current Year 10 and Year 11 students going into VCE in 2021 will have the opportunity to purchase their **English and Literature novels** now, for the commencement of our Transition Program. The purpose of purchasing the English texts early is to ensure students read all of their set texts **prior** to the 2021 school year. To be successful in VCE English, students need to have an insightful and complex understanding of their set texts in order to write on them well, meaning that they will need to read and re-read them throughout the year. In the transition program, VCE English staff will suggest reading strategies to support our students with their study of texts. Students will also be able to complete their holiday homework with greater ease.



Purchasing a new novel: All orders can be completed online at www.campion.com.au using "QWXS" as the code. Orders must be made and prepaid using a credit card by **Monday, 19 October** and books can be collected from the school library on Monday, 16 November, before the first day of transition.

Purchasing a second hand novel: The school has a limited number of second hand texts, which will be available for sale via credit card payment to the General Office (9871 0400) from **Monday, 5 October until sold out. No refunds for change of mind.** They can be collected from the school library on Monday, 16 November before the first day of transition. Please see Compass for a list of second hand texts and prices.

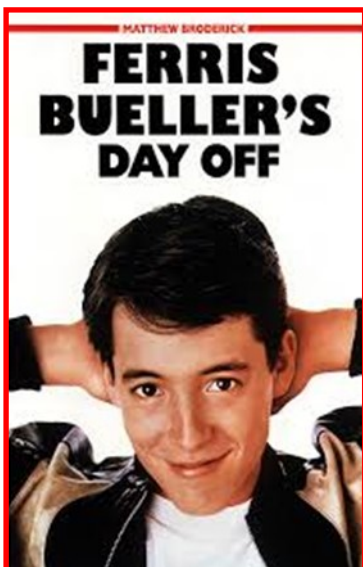
The Early English booklist is also available on Compass newsfeed. **Please read it carefully to determine which novels to purchase.** If you have any questions or would like any assistance please contact the Library Team at: Library@norwood.vic.edu.au

Samantha Hassall, Head of English

**MOVIE REVIEW BY GEORGE G
'FERRIS BUELLER'S DAY OFF'
RATED PG Available on Netflix**



**FERRIS
BUELLER'S
DAY OFF**



INTRO

Ferris Bueller's Day Off is a 1986 American teen comedy film written, produced, and directed by John Hughes, and co-produced by Tom Jacobson. The film stars Matthew Broderick as Ferris Bueller, with Mia Sara as Sloane Peterson, and Alan Ruck, as Cameron.

SYNOPSIS

Nearly high school graduate, Ferris Bueller, decides to skip school for a day; coaxing his girlfriend and reluctant best friend, Cameron, to skip school with him. A day of adventure ensues while his Principal, Ed Rooney, tries in vain to catch him out. In between stretching their luck as far as it will go and desperately trying to evade being caught, the friends search within themselves to find out who they are before life gets too serious. Cameron, who is completely up tight and unable to let his hair down, thinks Ferris is completely non-sensical, but enjoys living vicariously through his crazy antics.

MY THOUGHTS

"I thought this movie was quite fun and entertaining. I really enjoyed Cameron's character arc. The thing I found most interesting, was Cameron's relationship with his father. Despite omitting his character from the film, you get a sense of the tumultuous relationship between father and son (Cameron and his father). My favorite scene was when Ferris and his friends visit the art gallery. Cameron, Ferris's best friend, just stands there staring at the art. I don't know why; I think the stupidity and unusual nature of the scene adds humor to the movie.

I felt the characters were quite relatable, not so much the antics they get up to, but their personalities were familiar to young teens. Although I do like a mean-spirited antagonist, I felt that Principal Rooney was a bit harsh on the kids. The scene where Rooney breaks into Ferris's house, is a little disturbing, but funny. The adventures that Ferris and his friends get up to, are funny, but fairly unrealistic. I mean, I feel that most teenagers would definitely get in trouble for what they get up to.

In summary, I would definitely recommend you watch this movie. It's one of those movies that you don't know when you're going to watch it, but when you do, you'll probably enjoy it.

I give this movie a 6.5 out of 10, pop it in and see if you enjoy it.

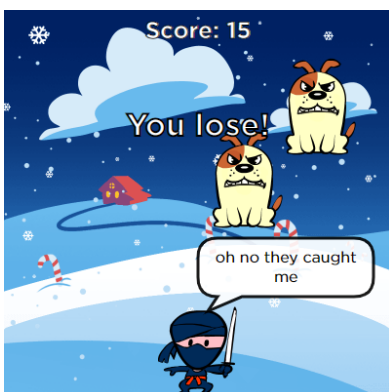
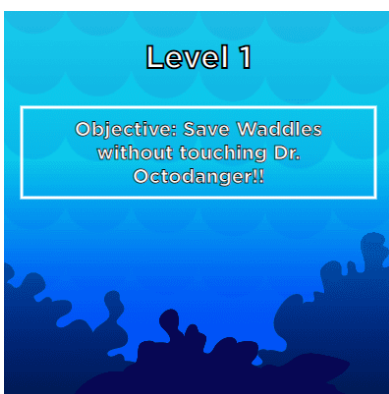
It's nearly school holidays, so if you watch anything cool or interesting, let me know."

George ☺

And remember...."Life moves pretty fast sometimes. If you don't slow down once in a while, you might miss it" Ferris Bueller

"What are you still doing here? It's over. Go home!" Ferris Bueller

George G, 7A



BUSINESS STUDIES NEWS

ESSI MONEY CHALLENGE 2020

The ESSI Money Challenge for 2020 is finished and on behalf of the Business Studies Faculty we want to say congratulations and thank you to all of the students across Year 9 – 12 for your participation.



We were recently contacted with the following wonderful news:

"I am pleased to advise you that one of your students, Declan McK, placed second in Victoria in the Suncorp ESSI Money Challenge 16-18 age category with a score of \$37,274.47. The National winner of the 16-18 age category finished with a score of \$42,238.82."

This was a fantastic effort. Congratulations to everyone and particularly Declan on this fine achievement.

Lisa-Jane Walmsley, Business Studies Teacher



STEM NEWS

Our Year 7 STEMtech students have worked incredibly hard this term to develop and apply key programming skills using the website code.org. Students have practiced the ways in which we communicate with computers through everyday step-by-step algorithms such as making a sandwich, and translated this skill into coding computer instructions. They have explored fundamental ideas in programming such as loops, conditionals and functions, practiced "rubber ducky" debugging by explaining their problems out loud, and developed modern skills in algorithmic thinking that will benefit every subject area.



This hard work has resulted in the creation of some fantastic digital games by our up and coming STEM stars! Check out some of their amazing games below:

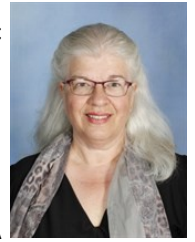
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- Liam: <https://bit.ly/32zwdG8>
- Taylah: <https://bit.ly/2RyEVxG>

Elisabeth Collins, Stem Teacher



MUSIC NEWS

Congratulations to ALL our Music students and Music staff for managing so brilliantly again this term with online learning.



CONCERT BAND

Each week, students performed for each other and posted positive comments to each other during band. A very productive activity. Concert Band also finalised a recording from Term 2 called 'Aeolian Winds.'

JAZZ BAND

Learning scores ready for next term.



JUNIOR STRINGS

Learnt 3 new pieces online and were treated to a guest musician and a demonstration of a Bass Ukulele.

JUNIOR BAND

Learnt a whole section of 'Mission Impossible' and started sending in recordings.

CHORALE

Learnt 2 new songs and are about to start an online recording of 'One Fine Day' from *Wicked*.

A'CAPPELLA

Have started a recording project of the song 'Danny Boy.'

PHOTO COMPETITION

This was very successful. Certificates will be in the post next week. We now have many interesting photos to put up around the music block. Well done everyone who participated!

TALENT QUEST #2 Submission Date extended!

Students from the whole Norwood community have until Saturday, 26 September to submit their video performances. Drama, Comedy, Magic, Singing, Instrumental or groups using family members! **GO FOR IT!!!**

HOLIDAY PRACTICE

Now is not the time to pack the instrument away!

We all have a relative in ISO - why not set a goal to play a piece or part of a piece to a relative or family friend online? You will make their day and you will keep your playing skills going. Practice at least every second day!

Thanks to Ms Innes for creating an online musical challenge with coding to "Unlock the Music Room". So far, Junior Band and Junior Strings have "unlocked" the room for rehearsals! Let's hope we can unlock them in reality very soon.

Unlock The String Room!

It's a hot summer afternoon and Junior String players turn up for a regular Wednesday afternoon rehearsal. There's one problem...Lovely Ms Laity locked the D7 keys inside the String Room after teaching. Luckily Mrs Dema installed a zippy new security system, but no one can remember the code to access the key. Solve these puzzles to find the code to access the key so that we can get in and rehearse!



A WORD FROM OUR MUSIC STUDENTS ABOUT ENSEMBLE IN TERM 3



"I have found junior strings a hugely fun activity at school. We got to socialise with the other people and show everyone else what we had learnt. Overall been it's really fun."

Cameron S- Cellist - Junior Strings

"It has been valuable hearing all concert band members perform because it helps build confidence and the feedback that the band members give, helps that person become a stronger, better performer."

Ethan W-Drummer-Concert Band



"I love how junior band is fun and inclusive. On Thursday, band practice it's a nice way to end the day."

Sara R- flautist - Junior Band

"Chorale and Acappella have benefited from the online learning by letting students really learn their individual parts within their pieces, without the distraction of others in their sections."

Music Captain - **Rachael S** – singer – A'Cappella and Chorale

"The concert band performances have been making sure everyone stays connected through music during lockdown, and it's been great to hear everyone's progress along with the social element of band that we all miss having face-to-face."

Music Captain - **Abby H**-flautist and Music- Concert Band



"The support from Concert Band has been amazing in terms of not only my confidence, but also in preparing for a performance."

Jordan T- Saxophonist - Concert Band

"Personally, I have found A'Cappella to be an absolute riot this term. You get to catch up with friends you may not have class with, and also sing! What's not to love?"

Music Captain - **Sam N**– singer – A'Cappella and Chorale

THIS ONE SUMS IT UP!

"This term, Concert Band has been taking part in weekly solo performances in front of the rest of the band and teachers. This exercise has not only been a fun experience for us all but a way to become more confident in ourselves and our playing. After every performance, we all commented on how amazing the performer did. Everyone worked extremely hard to perform such an amazing variety of pieces. As well as boosting our confidence, we also go the chance to learn from others, understanding what made a performance good and how each individual uses these techniques in order to perform well. It helped the band to get to know each other which is crucial when playing together and especially difficult during online learning. Each one of the students in Concert Band did such a good job and we all enjoyed the Monday afternoons we have spent together over the term. Can't wait to see what the future has for all these amazing music students!"

Music Captain – **Tahlia W**– Oboist – Concert Band

Jo Dema, Music Coordinator



CANTEEN NEWS

EXCITING NEWS! COMPASS CANTEEN COMING SOON

NSC Compass Canteen will be launched in Term 4, detailed instructions will be sent via a newsfeed after the school holidays - stay tuned!

Rhonda Vella, Canteen Manager



Welcome to canteen

From here you can create and manage your school canteen orders!

Get started

COMMUNITY NEWS

STUDENT CHARGES AND PAYMENT PLANS FOR 2021

Wednesday, 4 November 2020

- All standard and elective student charges for 2021 will be available on Compass after 4pm on this date.
- From this date you will be able to view and make payment either on Compass or at the General Office.

Friday, 13 November 2020

- To secure a student's place in their chosen electives a payment in full, OR a payment plan, must be in place by this date.
- If payment has not been received, or a payment plan in place by the due date, the student will be reallocated to another elective, in consultation with both the student and parent/guardian.

We understand this is a short timeline, and to assist with your household budgeting we are providing advanced notice of this important Payment Schedule.

A modified Payment Plan can be set up to fit in with your financial plans, ie weekly, fortnightly or other. The staff in Accounts Receivable at the General Office would be happy to assist you.

If you are experiencing financial hardship and are having difficulties in meeting these payment dates, please contact Jane Arnold, Business Manager, to discuss options available.

Compass Payment Schedule for 2021

	Standard Charges & Electives YR 8-12	Standard Charges YR7	VET	Notebooks YR's 7-9	Instrumental Music YR's 8-12	Inst. Music HIRE YR 8-12	Ins. Music YR7	Inst. Music YR7 HIRE
Nov-20	13/11/2020		1/11/2020		15/11/2020	15/11/2020		
Dec-20	13/12/2020	1/12/2020						
Jan-21	13/01/2021	1/01/2021	20/01/2021	20/01/2021				
Feb-21	13/02/2021	1/02/2021			15/02/2021	15/02/2021		
Mar-21	13/03/2021	1/03/2021					1/03/2021	1/03/2021
Apr-21	13/04/2021	1/04/2021						
May-21	13/05/2021	1/05/2021		20/05/2021	15/05/2021		1/05/2021	1/05/2021
Jun-21	13/06/2021	1/06/2021						
Jul-21	13/07/2021	1/07/2021					1/07/2021	
Aug-21	13/08/2021	1/08/2021			15/08/2021			
Sep-21							1/09/2021	
Nov-21	13/11/2021	Start of 2022 timeline						



LIBRARY NEWS

HOLIDAY READING!

It is time to relax and what better way to spend time than to enjoy a good book. Get 1000s of Ebooks and audio books from home instantly. It is easy, a quick log in on to our catalogue using your Compass details you can download your choice and be reading it seconds later. Prefer to use your phone? Use the EPlatform app on your mobile device.



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If you have any questions or we can be of any assistance please do not hesitate to contact us at:

Library@norwood.vic.edu.au

WATCH OUT FOR BOOK WEEK 2020, OCTOBER 17 -23

We welcome you to join us with beautiful books, great games, awesome activities, all filled with fun. Click here to see the shortlisted books <https://www.cbca.org.au/shortlist-2020>

"That's the thing about books. They let you travel without moving your feet."

Jhumpa Lahiri

Nicola Mackey, Kerri Jones and Kym McCullough, The Library Team

TERM DATES

Term 1:
28 January to 27 March

Term 2:
14 April (Tuesday) to 26 June
13 April (Public Holiday)
Easter Monday

Term 3
13 July to 18 September

Term 4
5 October to 18 December

UNIFORM SHOP

SHOP HOURS: CURRENTLY CLOSED
BY APPOINTMENT ONLY - PLEASE EMAIL TO BOOK.
nsc@dobsons.com.au

DOBSONS ONLINE: AVAILABLE

Please visit: www.dobsons.com.au

Navigate to **SHOP** in toolbar

Click - Norwood Secondary College Logo

DELIVER TO HOME OR OFFICE:

Metro Melbourne: Within 24 - 72 hours - \$10 Flat Rate

Jenny McKenzie, Dobsons Uniform Shop Coordinator



SECONDHAND UNIFORMS

FOR SALE

If you have secondhand uniforms you would like to sell:

- Ensure they are clean and in good condition
- Email the Uniform Shop for a sellers form
- Complete the sellers form and make arrangements with the Uniform Shop to hand in.



FOR DONATION

All uniforms being donated to our Student Wellbeing Centre are to be handed in to the General Office only.

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Get ready, the Dobsons annual Buy Early & Save Sale is about to begin! Save on selected uniform items when you shop with Dobsons from September 1st till October 31st, 2020. Beat the back to school rush and save on a range of selected items, including:

- Blazers
- Pullovers
- Summer Dresses
- Summer Shirts
- Bags
- Sportswear

With a pain free returns policy, now is the time to plan ahead. Whether your child finds a few extra centimetres over the holiday break or not as many as you'd thought, Dobsons has you covered with a quick and simple returns policy.*

Once Dobsons stores re-open they would love to welcome you in store but until then they look forward to servicing your uniform needs online. To shop the sale online go to dobsons.com.au

**Terms & Conditions apply. Sale available online and in store once store services resume.*

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Thursdays 7:30pm
From 15 October 2020
Free



The
Marriage
Course

Do Date Night Differently

This year has seen changes in our world, our family lives and the relationship we have with our partner.

We would like to invite you to use this increased time at home to set aside 7 nights as date nights with your partner and participate in the Marriage Course online.

For any couple, married or not, that wants to invest in their relationship.

7 weeks - no group discussion



Register at www.rngwd.com/marriage
Find out more at
www.ringwoodchurch.org.au/event/marriage