

Form to Enrol in a Victorian Government School

Student Enrolment Information – 20____	OFFICE USE ONLY	CASES21 Student ID: _____
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The information requested in this form is required for enrolment purposes. This information is collected to plan for and support the educational needs of your child.

This form should be completed by parents or carers who are responsible for enrolling their child. It is the responsibility of the person completing this form to consult with all other adults that need to be involved in the enrolment process. Parents or carers can co-sign the same form or complete separate forms if personal details are unable to be shared between them.

If required information is not provided or there is a dispute between parents or carers about a child's enrolment, the enrolling principal is required to consider the student's education and wellbeing when deciding whether to defer or accept the enrolment.

Only one enrolment form should be submitted per student. By completing and submitting this enrolment form, you are accepting a place for your child at the specified school (subject to any further checks required by the school).

All schools across Australia are expected to collect the same information. Questions marked with a ❖ are asked as a requirement of the Commonwealth Government to meet data collection, funding and reporting requirements under the Australian Education Regulations 2013.

STUDENT DETAILS

Surname:	
First Given Name:	
Second Given Name: <i>(if applicable)</i>	
Preferred First Name: <i>(if applicable)</i>	
❖ Gender:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Self-described: _____
Date of Birth: <i>(dd-mm-yyyy)</i>	____ / ____ / ____ Student Mobile Number: <i>(if applicable)</i>

Intended start date:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Day 1, Term 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>(dd-mm-yyyy)</i> ____ / ____ / ____

Which year are you seeking to enrol this student?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Foundation <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 11 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Ungraded	

Student's Permanent Residence

Your child's permanent residence is the address where they spend the majority of their days during the school week. If they spend an equal amount of time at two addresses, both are considered their permanent address and your child will be entitled to enrol in the designated neighbourhood school for either address.

The school may make enquiries to verify the information provided, such as checking the electoral roll at an Australian Electoral Commission office or the Victorian Electoral Commission head office; checking with a real estate agent; or checking whether there are any regulations/codes limiting the number of people living at one residence, for example if a rental property is a studio or one bedroom unit.

No. & Street Address:	
Suburb:	
State:	Postcode:

How often does this student live at this address?
<input type="checkbox"/> Always <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly <input type="checkbox"/> Balanced (50%)
If the student lives at another address during the school week, please provide further details including the address, who they reside with and how many days a week the student lives there:

Siblings

A sibling is defined broadly and can include step-siblings and students residing together as part of a multiple family cohabitation or out-of-home-care arrangements, including foster care, kinship care, permanent care and residential care.

Does the student have any siblings at this school?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (<i>move to next section</i>)
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Name	Current Year Level	Reside at same residential address as the student
1		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes
2		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes
3		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes
4		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes

PARENT/CARER DETAILS

Enrolling Adult 1

Title	
First Given Name	
Surname	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Self-described: _____

Adult 1 Relationship to student:
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Step Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Host Family <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Self (adult student / mature minor) <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Student lives with Adult 1:
<input type="checkbox"/> Always <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly <input type="checkbox"/> Balanced (50%) <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally

No. & Street Address:	
Suburb:	
State:	Postcode

Enrolling Adult 2

Title	
First Given Name	
Surname	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Self-described: _____

Adult 2 Relationship to student:
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Host Family <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Step Parent
Student lives with Adult 2:
<input type="checkbox"/> Always <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly <input type="checkbox"/> Balanced (50%) <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally

Address is the same as Enrolling Adult 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (complete below)
No. & Street Address:	
Suburb:	
State:	Postcode

Adult 1 Job Title:	
Adult 1 Employer:	

Adult 2 Job Title:	
Adult 2 Employer:	

In which country was Adult 1 born?
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____

In which country was Adult 2 born?
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____

❖ Does Adult 1 speak a language other than English at home?
<input type="checkbox"/> No, English only
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____

❖ Does Adult 2 speak a language other than English at home?
<input type="checkbox"/> No, English only
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____

Please indicate any additional languages spoken by Adult 1:	
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Please indicate any additional languages spoken by Adult 2:	
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Is an interpreter required?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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Is an interpreter required?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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❖ What is the highest year of primary or secondary school that Adult 1 has completed?
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 12 or equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Year 11 or equivalent
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 10 or equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Year 9 or equivalent or below / no schooling

❖ What is the highest year of primary or secondary school that Adult 2 has completed?
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 12 or equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Year 11 or equivalent
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 10 or equivalent <input type="checkbox"/> Year 9 or equivalent or below / no schooling

❖ What is the level of the highest qualification that Adult 1 has completed?
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor degree or above <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced diploma / Diploma
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate) <input type="checkbox"/> No non-school qualification

❖ What is the level of the highest qualification that Adult 2 has completed?
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor degree or above <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced diploma / Diploma
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate) <input type="checkbox"/> No non-school qualification

❖ What is the occupation group of Adult 1?
Please select the appropriate current parental occupation group from the attached list at the end of the document.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the person is not currently in paid work but has had a job in the last 12 months, or has retired in the last 12 months, please use their last occupation to select from the attached list. If the person has not been in <u>paid</u> work for the last 12 months, enter 'N'.

❖ What is the occupation group of Adult 2?
Please select the appropriate current parental occupation group from the attached list at the end of the document.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the person is not currently in paid work but has had a job in the last 12 months, or has retired in the last 12 months, please use their last occupation to select from the attached list. If the person has not been in <u>paid</u> work for the last 12 months, enter 'N'.

What is the main language spoken between the student and adult at home?	
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Preferred language of communications:	
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Is Adult 1 interested in being involved in school group participation activities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>(e.g., School Council, excursions)</i>		

Is Adult 2 interested in being involved in school group participation activities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>(e.g., School Council, excursions)</i>		

Can we contact Adult 1 during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is Adult 1 usually home during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Home Phone:		
Work Phone:		
Mobile:		
SMS Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Email Address:		
Email Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Adult 1's preferred method of contact: <i>(Email shall be used for communication that cannot be sent via phone)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile	<input type="checkbox"/> Email
	<input type="checkbox"/> Home Phone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Phone
Specify any other special conditions or times related to contact?		

Can we contact Adult 2 during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is Adult 2 usually home during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Home Phone:		
Work Phone:		
Mobile:		
SMS Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Email Address:		
Email Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Adult 2's preferred method of contact: <i>(Email shall be used for communication that cannot be sent via phone)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile	<input type="checkbox"/> Email
	<input type="checkbox"/> Home Phone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Phone
Specify any other special conditions or times related to contact?		

Emergency Contacts

Please provide emergency contacts in the event that the enrolling parents/carers are unavailable. Please ensure those listed as emergency contacts are aware that their information has been provided for this purpose.

Name	Relationship <i>Neighbour, Relative, Friend or Other (please specify)</i>	Telephone Contact	Language Spoken <i>Write E for English</i>
1			
2			
3			
4			

Billing Details

You are not required to make payments or voluntary financial contributions to your school. Schools may request payments for extra-curricular items and activities. For more information, please refer to www.vic.gov.au/school-costs-and-fees.

Send bills to: (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult 2	Another person / address* (complete details below)
Name to be used for all billing correspondence:			
No. & Street or PO Box			
Suburb:			
State:		Postcode:	
Billing Email:			

* Note: If you would like to send bills to another person / address, please ensure Additional Parent/Carer details are completed on pages 13-15.

Correspondence Details

Send correspondence addressed to: (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Both Adults	<input type="checkbox"/> Neither
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Additional Parents/Carers

Are there additional parents/carers in the student's life? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (provide details below) <input type="checkbox"/> No (move to next section)
Name of Adult 3:
Name of Adult 4:

If yes, please complete the Adult 3 and/or Adult 4 sections as attachments to this form on pages 13-15. If required, you may request a separate form for additional parents/carers from the school. The separate form allows for the capture of four further parents/carers.

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

❖ In which country was the student born?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____
If born overseas, on what date did the student arrive in Australia? (dd-mm-yyyy) ____ / ____ / ____	
What is the student's residency status? *	
<input type="checkbox"/> Australian citizen – holds Australian Passport	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident (provide visa details below)
<input type="checkbox"/> Australian citizen – eligible for Australian Passport	<input type="checkbox"/> Temporary Resident (provide visa details below)
<input type="checkbox"/> New Zealand citizen	
Visa Sub Class:	Visa Expiry Date: (dd-mm-yyyy) ____ / ____ / ____
Visa Statistical Code: (Required for some sub-classes)	

* Note: An Australian birth certificate does not guarantee Australian residency or citizenship. Further information is available at www.passports.gov.au/getting-passport-how-it-works/documents-you-need/citizenship

Does the student hold a Bridging Visa?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (provide further detail below) <input type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, what was the student's previous visa?	
If Yes, what visa has the student applied for?	

International Student ID*: (Not required for exchange students)
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* Note: If you are unsure of your International Student ID, please contact the International Education Division via phone (03 9084 8497) or email (international@education.vic.gov.au).

Does the student speak English?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
❖ Does the student speak a language other than English at home?	
<input type="checkbox"/> No, English only	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify the main language spoken at home): _____	
❖ Is the student of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?	
<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Aboriginal
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Torres Strait Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, Both Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander
Is the student a young carer (providing support/care for other family member/s)? * <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

* A young carer is a young person under 25 years of age who provides, or intends to provide care, assistance, or support to a family member with a mental illness, physical illness, disability, chronic illness, or who is aged or has an addiction.

What are the student's living arrangements?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student lives with parents/carers together at the same residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Student lives with each parent/carer at different times
<input type="checkbox"/> Student lives with one parent/carer only	<input type="checkbox"/> State Arranged Out of Home Care*
<input type="checkbox"/> Informal care arrangement#	<input type="checkbox"/> Student is independent
<input type="checkbox"/> Homeless	
If the student has a Case Manager, please provide their contact details below:	

* Students who live in court ordered alternative care arrangements away from their parents. These court ordered care arrangements include living with relatives or friends (kinship care), living with non-relative families (foster care or adolescent community placements) and living in residential care units.

If the student is living in an informal care arrangement, please contact the school for an Informal Carer's Statutory Declaration, which must be completed. If there are any **court orders** about the child, please provide copies of those orders to the school with this form.

How will the student primarily travel to and from school?				
<input type="checkbox"/> Walking	<input type="checkbox"/> School Bus	<input type="checkbox"/> Train	<input type="checkbox"/> Driven by parent/carer	<input type="checkbox"/> Taxi / Ride Share
<input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Bus	<input type="checkbox"/> Tram	<input type="checkbox"/> Self-Driven	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
If the student catches public transport to school, what station/stop does their journey commence:				
If the student drives themselves to school, what is their Car Registration Number:				

Students residing in rural and regional Victoria or attending special schools may be entitled to receive travel assistance. Travel assistance may be in the form of access to a school bus service or financial support through a conveyance allowance to assist with the cost of travel. Information on eligibility and the application process can be obtained from the school.

SCHOOL DETAILS

Are you seeking to enrol the student at this school full-time? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (<i>move to next section</i>) <input type="checkbox"/> No				
If No, how many days a week would the student be attending this school?				
If No, provide reason you are seeking part-time enrolment:				
If No, provide details for other schools:				
Other school name:	Days / week:	Has enrolment been accepted?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Other school name:	Days / week:	Has enrolment been accepted?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Previous Education – Students Enrolling in Foundation for the First Time

Is the student attending a funded kindergarten program* in the year before Foundation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Name of kindergarten or early childhood service:	

* Note: A kindergarten program that is funded and approved by the Victorian Government, has a play-based learning program, and is delivered by a qualified teacher. Funded kindergarten programs can be found at www.education.vic.gov.au/findaservice

Previous Education – Other

Has the student previously been enrolled at another school?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, in Victoria – Government School	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, in Victoria – Catholic or Independent School
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, interstate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, overseas <input type="checkbox"/> No (<i>move to next section</i>)

If Yes, name of last school attended:	
If Yes, location of last school attended: (suburb/town/state/country)	
If Yes, date of attendance: (dd-mm-yyyy) _____ / _____ / _____ to _____ / _____ / _____	
If Yes, year levels of previous education:	
If the student studied overseas, what age did the student first start school?	
What was the language of the student's previous education?	
Period of interruption to education: (months/years)	Is the student repeating a year level? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

STUDENT MEDICAL DETAILS

Schools require the health information requested in this section to plan for and support the health and wellbeing needs of students.

Please note: If there is a situation or incident which requires first aid to be administered to your child, school staff will administer first aid that is reasonably necessary and appropriate to their level of training. School staff will also seek emergency medical attention for your child if it is considered reasonably necessary. Any costs associated with student injury rest with parents/carers unless the Department of Education is liable in negligence (liability is not automatic). In the event that your child needs medical attention, school staff will contact you as soon as practically possible.

Medical Conditions

Does the student have an allergy? If yes, please provide the school with an ASCIA Action Plan for Allergies (available at: www.allergy.org.au/hp/ascia-plans-action-and-treatment#r2a)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the student at risk of anaphylaxis? If yes, please provide the school with an ASCIA Action Plan for Anaphylaxis (available at: www.allergy.org.au/hp/anaphylaxis/ascia-action-plan-for-anaphylaxis)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the student have asthma?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Has a current Asthma Action Plan been provided to School? If No, please provide an Asthma Action Plan to the School (available at: www.asthma.org.au/treatment-diagnosis/asthma-action-plan/)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the student have any other medical condition or other relevant medical assessment that the school needs to know about? If Yes, please ask the school for the appropriate <u>medical advice form</u> , to be completed by the treating medical practitioner and returned to school.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes to <u>any of the above</u> , please specify:		

Medication

Does the student take medication?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the medication required during school hours? If Yes, please ask the school for a <u>Medication Authority Form</u> , to be completed by the treating medical practitioner and returned to school	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Name of medications taken:		

Privacy Statement

The personal and health information collected in this form, and any attachments, is required for enrolment at all Victorian Government Schools. The information is collected to ensure accurate enrolment, and to plan for and support the educational needs of students. The information will be managed securely and accessed only by staff, on a need-to-know basis, and in accordance with the Department of Education Schools' Privacy Policy which applies to all government schools (available at: www.education.vic.gov.au/Pages/schoolsprivacypolicy.aspx) or where mandated or allowed by law.

Please also refer to the Victorian Government School Privacy Collection Notice for details on handling of personal and health information in schools: www.education.vic.gov.au/Pages/Schools'-Privacy-Collection-Notice.aspx

DECLARATION

Thank you for completing this Student Enrolment form. The information provided is required to enable staff to properly enrol your child at our school as such it is important that it is accurate and up to date.

I/We confirm that:

- **I am/We are the person/people named as completing this form.**
- **The information in this form is true and correct.**
- **I/We agree to authorise this form by electronic means with an electronic signature.**

Signature of Enrolling Adult: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Signature of Enrolling Adult (if applicable): _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Please select the category that best describes who has signed and completed this form. This will assist the school with the enrolment process.

- Both parents/carers have completed and signed this form.
- Parents/carers are completing separate forms (schools can provide additional forms on request).
- One parent has completed and signed this form on behalf of both parents. Contact details for the other parent have been provided in the form for the school's use as required.
- One parent has completed and signed this form and the contact details for the other parent are unknown to the enrolling parent/carer and not provided.
- There is only one parent/carer with legal responsibility for the child and that person has completed and signed this form.
- Other, please specify: (for instance, where the contact details for the other parent are known but it is not appropriate or safe to contact them) _____

If there are any court orders about the child, please provide copies of those orders to the school with this form.

WHO CAN SIGN THIS FORM?

- **A person with parental responsibility:** a parent of a child under 18 years of age, subject to relevant court orders (including parenting orders made under the *Family Law Act 1975* and protection orders made under the *Children, Youth and Families Act 2005* by the Children's Court, or other person granted parental responsibility under a relevant court order).
- **A carer formally authorised by Child Protection to enrol the student:** the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) can issue a written authorisation to the carer of a child in out of home care to make decisions about the child. In some circumstances this will include specific authorisation to enrol the child at school.
- **Informal carer:** an Informal Carer is a relative or other responsible adult with whom the child lives, and who has day to day care of the child. The informal carer should provide an Informal Carer Statutory Declaration to confirm their status as an informal carer. A copy of this statutory declaration can be obtained from www.education.vic.gov.au/PAL/informal-carer-statutory-declaration-template.pdf
- **Students living independently:** If the student is an adult or a mature minor for the purpose of enrolment and they live independently. These students will need to be considered in accordance with the www.education.vic.gov.au/pal/decision-making-responsibilities-students/policy policy.
- **Adult Students:** a student 18 years of age or older is considered an adult and can sign their own consent form.

ATTACHMENT 1 – PARENTAL OCCUPATION GROUP CODES

The codes outlined below are to be used when providing family occupation details for enrolled students. Please indicate your current occupation – not your qualification. This information is used for determining funding allocations to schools.

Group A: Senior management in large business organisation, government administration and defence, and qualified professionals

Senior Executive / Manager / Department Head in industry, commerce, media or other large organisation

Public Service Manager (Section head or above), regional director, health / education / police / fire services administrator

Other administrator (school principal, faculty head / dean, library / museum / gallery director, research facility director)

Defence Forces Commissioned Officer

Professionals - generally have degree or higher qualifications and experience in applying this knowledge to design, develop or operate complex systems; identify, treat, and advise on problems; and teach others:

- Health, Education, Law, Social Welfare, Engineering, Science, Computing professional
- Business (management consultant, business analyst, accountant, auditor, policy analyst, actuary, valuer)
- Air/sea transport (aircraft / ship's captain / officer / pilot, flight officer, flying instructor, air traffic controller)

Group B: Other business managers, arts/media/sportspersons and associate professionals

Owner / Manager of farm, construction, import/export, wholesale, manufacturing, transport, real estate business

Specialist Manager (finance / engineering / production / personnel / industrial relations / sales / marketing)

Financial Services Manager (bank branch manager, finance / investment / insurance broker, credit / loans officer)

Retail sales / Services manager (shop, petrol station, restaurant, club, hotel/motel, cinema, theatre, agency)

Arts / Media / Sports (musician, actor, dancer, painter, potter, sculptor, journalist, author, media presenter, photographer, designer, illustrator, proofreader, sportsman/woman, coach, trainer, sports official)

Associate Professionals - generally have diploma / technical qualifications and support managers and professionals:

- Health, Education, Law, Social Welfare, Engineering, Science, Computing technician / associate professional
- Business / administration (recruitment / employment / industrial relations / training officer, marketing / advertising specialist, market research analyst, technical sales representative, retail buyer, office / project manager)
- Defence Forces senior Non-Commissioned Officer

Group C: Tradespeople, clerks and skilled office, sales and service staff

Tradespeople generally have completed a 4-year Trade Certificate, usually by apprenticeship. All tradespeople are included in this group

Clerks (bookkeeper, bank / PO clerk, statistical / actuarial clerk, accounting / claims / audit clerk, payroll clerk, recording / registry / filing clerk, betting clerk, stores / inventory clerk, purchasing / order clerk, freight / transport / shipping clerk, bond clerk, customs agent, customer services clerk, admissions clerk)

Skilled office, sales, and service staff:

- Office (secretary, personal assistant, desktop publishing operator, switchboard operator)
- Sales (company sales representative, auctioneer, insurance agent/assessor/loss adjuster, market researcher)
- Service (aged / disabled / refuge / childcare worker, nanny, meter reader, parking inspector, postal worker, courier, travel agent, tour guide, flight attendant, fitness instructor, casino dealer/supervisor)

Group D: Machine operators, hospitality staff, assistants, labourers and related workers

Drivers, mobile plant, production / processing machinery and other machinery operators

Hospitality staff (hotel service supervisor, receptionist, waiter, bar attendant, kitchen hand, porter, housekeeper)

Office assistants, sales assistants, and other assistants:

- Office (typist, word processing / data entry / business machine operator, receptionist, office assistant)
- Sales (sales assistant, motor vehicle / caravan / parts salesperson, checkout operator, cashier, bus / train conductor, ticket seller, service station attendant, car rental desk staff, street vendor, telemarketer, shelf stacker)
- Assistant / aide (trades' assistant, school / teacher's aide, dental assistant, veterinary nurse, nursing assistant, museum / gallery attendant, usher, home helper, salon assistant, animal attendant)

Labourers and related workers

- Defence Forces - ranks below senior NCO not included above
- Agriculture, horticulture, forestry, fishing, mining worker (farm overseer, shearer, wool / hide classer, farm hand, horse trainer, nurseryman, greenkeeper, gardener, tree surgeon, forestry/ logging worker, miner, seafarer / fishing hand)
- Other worker (labourer, factory hand, storeman, guard, cleaner, caretaker, laundry worker, trolley collector, car park attendant, crossing supervisor)

ATTACHMENT 2 – ADDITIONAL PARENT/CARER DETAILS

Enrolling Adult 3

Title	
First Given Name	
Surname	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Self-described: _____

Adult 3 Relationship to student:
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Host Family <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Step Parent
Student lives with Adult 3:
<input type="checkbox"/> Always <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly <input type="checkbox"/> Balanced (50%) <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally

No. & Street Address:	
Suburb:	
State:	Postcode

Adult 3 Job Title:	
Adult 3 Employer:	

In which country was Adult 3 born?
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____

❖ Does Adult 3 speak a language other than English at home?	
<input type="checkbox"/> No, English only <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____	
Please indicate any additional languages spoken by Adult 3:	
Is an interpreter required?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Enrolling Adult 4

Title	
First Given Name	
Surname	
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Self-described: _____

Adult 4 Relationship to student:
<input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Relative <input type="checkbox"/> Host Family <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Step Parent
Student lives with Adult 4:
<input type="checkbox"/> Always <input type="checkbox"/> Mostly <input type="checkbox"/> Balanced (50%) <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally

Address is the same as Enrolling Adult 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (complete below)
No. & Street Address:	
Suburb:	
State:	Postcode

Adult 4 Job Title:	
Adult 4 Employer:	

In which country was Adult 4 born?
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____

❖ Does Adult 4 speak a language other than English at home?	
<input type="checkbox"/> No, English only <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____	
Please indicate any additional languages spoken by Adult 4:	
Is an interpreter required?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

❖ What is the highest year of primary or secondary school that Adult 3 has completed?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 12 or equivalent	<input type="checkbox"/> Year 11 or equivalent
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 10 or equivalent	<input type="checkbox"/> Year 9 or equivalent or below / no schooling
❖ What is the level of the highest qualification that Adult 3 has completed?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor degree or above	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced diploma / Diploma
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate)	<input type="checkbox"/> No non-school qualification
❖ What is the occupation group of Adult 3? Please select the appropriate current parental occupation group from the attached list at the end of the document.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the person is not currently in paid work but has had a job in the last 12 months, or has retired in the last 12 months, please use their last occupation to select from the attached list. If the person has not been in <u>paid</u> work for the last 12 months, enter 'N'. 	

❖ What is the highest year of primary or secondary school that Adult 4 has completed?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 12 or equivalent	<input type="checkbox"/> Year 11 or equivalent
<input type="checkbox"/> Year 10 or equivalent	<input type="checkbox"/> Year 9 or equivalent or below / no schooling
❖ What is the level of the highest qualification that Adult 4 has completed?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor degree or above	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced diploma / Diploma
<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate)	<input type="checkbox"/> No non-school qualification
❖ What is the occupation group of Adult 4? Please select the appropriate current parental occupation group from the attached list at the end of the document.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the person is not currently in paid work but has had a job in the last 12 months, or has retired in the last 12 months, please use their last occupation to select from the attached list. If the person has not been in <u>paid</u> work for the last 12 months, enter 'N'. 	

What is the main language spoken between the student and adult at home?	
Preferred language of communications:	
Is Adult 3 interested in being involved in school group participation activities? (e.g., School Council, excursions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

What is the main language spoken between the student and adult at home?	
Preferred language of communications:	
Is Adult 4 interested in being involved in school group participation activities? (e.g., School Council, excursions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Can we contact Adult 3 during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is Adult 3 usually home during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Home Phone:	
Work Phone:	
Mobile:	
SMS Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Email Address:	
Email Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Adult 3's preferred method of contact: (Email shall be used for communication that cannot be sent via phone)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile <input type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Home Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Work Phone
Specify any other special conditions or times related to contact?	

Can we contact Adult 4 during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Is Adult 4 usually home during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Home Phone:	
Work Phone:	
Mobile:	
SMS Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Email Address:	
Email Notifications:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Adult 4's preferred method of contact: (Email shall be used for communication that cannot be sent via phone)	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile <input type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Home Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Work Phone
Specify any other special conditions or times related to contact?	

Billing Details

You are not required to make payments or voluntary financial contributions to your school. Schools may request payments for extra-curricular items and activities. For more information, please refer to www.vic.gov.au/school-costs-and-fees.

Send bills to: (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Adult 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Adult 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Another person / address* (complete details below)	
Name to be used for all billing correspondence: 	
No. & Street or PO Box 	
Suburb: 	
State: 	Postcode:
Billing Email: 	

* Note: If you would like to send bills to another person / address, please ensure Additional Parent/Carer details are completed on pages 16-17.

Correspondence Details

Send correspondence addressed to: (select one) <input type="checkbox"/> Adult 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Adult 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Both Adults <input type="checkbox"/> Neither

ATTACHMENT 3 - TRAVEL ASSISTANCE AND PROGRAMS

Conveyance Allowance Program

The Conveyance Allowance Program supports eligible families attending mainstream schools in rural and regional Victoria, and special schools (state-wide) with financial assistance towards the cost of transporting students to and from school.

Is the student applying for the Conveyance Allowance Program?

- Yes No (*proceed to next question*)

Your school can provide the applicable application form and advice on the different types of conveyance available. For further information, including the conveyance allowance policy and application forms, refer to the Department's Policy and Advisory Library (PAL) here: www.education.vic.gov.au/pal/conveyance-allowance/policy

School Bus Program

The School Bus Program assists families in rural and regional Victoria by transporting students to school where they do not have access to public transport. The program supports travel to students nearest government and non-government school. Travel by bus to special schools is provided through the Students with Disabilities Transport Program (see below). Travel to a school that is not the nearest will pay a fare to travel. Your school can provide the relevant application form.

Is the student applying for the School Bus Program?

- Yes (see text below) No (*proceed to next question*)

Your school can provide the relevant application form and advice on travel type (free travel, pre-school, fare payer etc.) For further information, including the School Bus Program policy refer to the Department's PAL here:

www.education.vic.gov.au/pal/school-bus-program/policy

Students with Disabilities Transport Program

The Students with Disabilities Transport Program assists families throughout Victoria by transporting students to their nearest appropriate government special school. The program supports travel for students within Designated Transport Areas. Families should also consider the conveyance allowances that may provide increased or alternative travel options to support school travel.

Is the student applying to travel on a school bus or other travel assistance?

- Yes (read below text) No

Your school can provide the relevant application form and advice on travel suitability. For further information, including the Students with Disabilities Transport Program policy, refer to the Department's PAL here:

www.education.vic.gov.au/pal/transport-students-disabilities/policy

First date of travel? Next school year Alternate date: (dd-mm-yyyy) ____ / ____ / ____

Type of travel assistance requested?

- Access to School Bus Conveyance Allowance

If applicable, specify the student's mode of assisted mobility. Wheelchair Walker

Comments relevant to travel:

ATTACHMENT 4 – OFFICE USE ONLY SECTION

OFFICE USE ONLY				
Child's Name sighted:		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Enrolment Date:
Year level:	Home Group:	Timetabling Group:	House:	Campus:
Student Email Address:				
Australian residency confirmed:		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Not sighted / provided
Date of birth confirmed:		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Birth certificate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Doctor certificate	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes - Other <input type="checkbox"/> Not sighted / provided
Does the student have a Disability ID number?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (please specify): _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Does the student have a Victorian Student Number (VSN)?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but the VSN is unknown	<input type="checkbox"/> No, the student has never been issued a VSN

For Foundation students, has a Transition Learning and Development Statement been provided?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, via Insight Assessment Platform	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, direct from teacher/parent/carer	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Pending
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Immunisation Certificate received:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Up to date	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Not up to date	<input type="checkbox"/> Not sighted / provided
Are there any Notice/s on the Immunisation History Statement:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Does the student have asthma, allergies or anaphylaxis?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Does the student need to take medication during school hours?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
*Have the required medical forms been provided to the school?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A – no medical conditions

*Note: Additional forms including student medical advice and condition forms can be found here: [Medical Advice Forms](#)

Can the student Individual Education Plan include travel training?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is the student attending their nearest school?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Does the student reside in Designated Transport Area (if attending special school)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Can the student be accommodated on an existing route (if applicable)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Pick-up Point:	Map Ref:	Time AM:
Set Down Point:	Map Ref:	Time PM:

Current Court Order or other access document placed on student file?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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Additional notes regarding the student's enrolment: (e.g., note if student information or documentation is missing and yet to be provided to the school)



Footscray West Primary School

Important Enrolment Information

To assist us in confirming your child's eligibility for enrolment, please provide:

- Birth Certificate / Date of Birth
- Documents supporting a 100-point residential address check (see overleaf)
- An Immunisation History Statement from the Australian Immunisation Register
- Australian residency and other visa documentation (only if applicable)
- Court orders or care arrangement documents (only if applicable).

Documents should show the same address and parent's/carer's name as recorded on the school enrolment application form.

It is important that we verify your child's permanent residential address as this helps ensure that we are allocating places at our school fairly and in line with the Placement Policy.

If you are unable to provide proof of permanent residence because of your individual circumstances, please contact the principal, Brendan Millar, on 03 9687 1535.

If our school is unable to verify your permanent residence, or your address changes prior to the start of the school year, enrolment may be withdrawn.

**All enrolment forms are due before
Friday 31st July 2026**

Residential address check

For the enrolment of students in Victorian government schools

When seeking to enrol your child in a Victorian government school, you may be requested to provide supporting documentation. This documentation will assist schools in verifying your permanent residence.

Key enrolment information

Your child is guaranteed a place at their designated neighbourhood school. You can find your designated neighbourhood school and school zone at findmyschool.vic.gov.au

You can apply for a place at a school that is not your designated neighbourhood school and should be enrolled if the school has enough space.

Establishing a child's permanent residence

Your child's permanent residence is the address at which they permanently reside at the time of enrolment. If your child resides at multiple addresses, their permanent residence is the address at which they spend the majority of their weekdays.

Documents provided as per the 100-point residential address table should match the details recorded on the school enrolment application, including parent's/carer's name and address.

Why does the school need to verify my address for enrolment?

Some schools in Victoria are facing enrolment pressure. To ensure every child can attend their local school, schools may request proof of address to verify that you live within their school zone.

This helps to keep our education system fair and equitable and ensures that children who live within the school zone are being prioritised for enrolment.



100-point residential address check

You may be asked to provide documents to verify your child's permanent residence. Any combination of the following documents is acceptable, as long as they add up to at least 100 points.

Document showing the full name of the child's parent/carer and address	Points
1. One of the following 1.1 Council rates notice OR 1.2 Lease agreement through a registered real estate agent or rental board bond receipt OR 1.3 Exchanged contract of sale	40
2. Any of the following 2.1 Centrelink payment statement showing home address 2.2 Electoral roll statement	20
2. Any of the following documents 3.1 Electricity or gas bill showing the service address* 3.2 Water bill showing the service address* 3.3 Telephone or internet bill showing the service address* 3.4 Driver's licence or government issued ID showing current home address 3.5 Home building or home contents insurance showing the service address 3.6 Motor vehicle registration or compulsory third-party insurance policy showing home address	15

*up to three months old

Verification of permanent residence

When assessing your child's enrolment application, schools may make some enquiries to confirm the information provided is correct.

This can include:

- Checking the electoral roll at an Australian Electoral Commission office or the Victorian Electoral Commission head office
- Contacting your real estate agent to confirm lease or contract of sale
- Checking whether there are any regulations/codes limiting the occupancy of rented studio apartments or one-bedroom units.

Your enrolment application may be unsuccessful if the school is not able to verify your address using the documentation provided.

Inability to provide evidence of permanent residence

If you are unable to provide proof of permanent address because of your individual circumstances, you are encouraged to seek advice from your local school or a Community Liaison Officer in the [Regional office](#).

More information

For more information, contact your local school or visit [Starting school](#).

To find out how your information is protected, visit [Schools' privacy policy](#).



FOOTSCRAY WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

Photographing, Filming and Recording Students Policy

PURPOSE

To explain to parents/carers:

- how Footscray West Primary School collects, uses and discloses photographs, video and recordings of students
- when parent/carer consent is required before photographing, filming and recording students
- how consent can be provided and withdrawn.

SCOPE

This policy applies to the general collection, use and disclosure of photographs, video and recordings (images) of students.

The policy does not cover the:

- use of Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV). The use of CCTV is covered in the department's CCTV in Schools Policy.
- use and disclosure of photographs, video and recordings of adults.

POLICY

There are many occasions during the school year where Footscray West Primary School staff photograph, film or record students participating in school activities or events, for example in classroom activities, sports events, concerts, excursions and camps.

We do this for many reasons including to celebrate student participation and achievement, showcase learning programs, document a student's learning journey, and to communicate with our parents/carers and school community in newsletters. There may also be occasions where we take images to support student behaviour management or to fulfil legal obligations. Further detail is provided within this policy.

In addition to the above, there may be situations where a third party requests to take, use or disclose images of students.

This policy outlines the practices that Footscray West Primary School has in place for the collection, use and disclosure of images of students to ensure compliance with the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014 (Vic). It also explains the circumstances in which we will seek parent/carer consent and how consent can be provided and withdrawn.

Consent

The Photographing, Filming and Recording Students Consent Form is provided by Footscray West Primary School at enrolment. This form applies to standard uses of images for the time your child attends the school. Standard uses are defined in the following sections.

For non-standard uses, where consent is required, parents/carers will be sent a consent form for that specific situation. Schools will also notify parents when implementing software that may include photos of students, giving parents an opportunity to discuss any concerns or preferences.

If at any time parents/carers wish to withdraw their consent, they can by contacting the school office (03 9687 1535, or footscray.west.ps@education.vic.gov.au). If consent is withdrawn verbally, the school will make a written record of this. However:

- if the images have already been published and are in the public domain, it may not be possible to remove them
- the school can still collect, use and disclose images in circumstances where consent is not required (see below for more information).

Image use within the physical school environment

Footscray West Primary School may photograph, film or record students to use within the physical school environment, including:

- for display in school classrooms (e.g. in displays of student work, on notice boards to celebrate achievements)
- for display in shared school spaces such as corridors and the foyer (e.g. in displays of student leaders)
- other

A Photographing, Filming and Recording Students Consent Form will be given to parents/carers on enrolment for the standard uses described above. Consent, if given, applies until it is withdrawn or changed. If a parent/carer would like to withdraw or change their consent at any point in time, they must notify the school.

Image use within the school community

Footscray West Primary School may photograph, film or record students to use within the school community, including:

- in the school's online communication, learning and teaching tools (e.g., emails, Google Classroom, Compass or apps that can only be accessed by students, parents/carers and school staff with passwords.)
- other

A Photographing, Filming and Recording Students Consent Form will be given to parents/carers on enrolment for the standard uses described above. Consent, if given, applies until it is withdrawn or changed. If a parent/carer would like to withdraw or change their consent at any point in time, they must notify the school.

Image use beyond the school community

Photographs, video or recordings of students may also be used in publications that are accessible to the public, including:

- on the school's website (including in the school newsletter which is publicly available on the website)
- on the school's social media accounts

A Photographing, Filming and Recording Students Consent Form will be given to parents/carers on enrolment for the standard uses described above. Consent, if given, applies until it is withdrawn or changed. If a parent/carer would like to withdraw or change their consent at any point in time, they must notify the school.

We will notify you individually if we are considering using any images of your child for specific advertising or promotional purposes.

Media

The media, or the Department of Education's media team, may seek to photograph, film or record students for a news story or school event. This may include broadcast media, online or social media or print media, including newspapers and magazine publications.

When Footscray West Primary School receives such requests, our school will:

- provide parents/carers with information about the organisation involved and when and for what purposes the photography, filming or recording will occur
- seek prior, express parent/carer consent in writing.

Students will only be photographed, filmed or recorded by the media at school if express consent is provided for that specific media event. Neither the school nor the department own or control any photographs, video or recordings of students taken by the media.

Research

On occasion, the school may agree to research projects being conducted at the school. If this occurs, parent/carer consent will be sought for student participation, including any photography or recording of students.

Closed Circuit Television (CCTV)

Parent or carer consent is not required for a school to install CCTV. Our school's CCTV system is managed in accordance with the department's [CCTV Installation and Management Policy](#).

Further information about how CCTV is managed and operated is available in our CCTV Privacy Notice.

Other external collection, use or disclosure

If there is a situation which will involve the collection, use or disclosure of images of students by or to third parties which is not otherwise covered by this policy, Footscray West Primary School will:

- provide parents/carers with information about the event or activity, the organisation involved and when the photography, filming or recording will occur
- seek prior, express parent/carer consent in writing.

Official school photographs

Each year Footscray West Primary School will arrange for a professional photographer to take official school photographs of students. This will generally involve both class photos and individual photos being taken.

Official school photographs may be:

- purchased by parents/carers
- used for school identification cards and student identity verification letters

- stored on CASES21 for educational and administrative purposes.

Footscray West Primary School will notify parents/carers in advance of the official school photographs being taken to give them an opportunity to decide whether their child will be included in the photographs.

Parents/carers who choose to opt out of having their child participate in official school photographs must contact the school office (by phone 03 9687 1535 or email ftscray.west:ps@education.vic.gov.au) before the date photos are scheduled to be taken to advise that their child will not participate. There is no obligation on any parent or carer to purchase any photographs taken. However, the school will need to discuss with these parents/carers alternative arrangements for identifying students in emergencies and for other essential purposes.

Images to manage student behaviour or fulfil our school's legal obligations, including

child safety

On occasion, it may be necessary for school staff to photograph, film or record students and/or use images to:

- fulfill legal obligations, including to:
 - take reasonable steps to reduce the risk of reasonably foreseeable harm to students, staff and visitors (duty of care)
 - provide a safe and suitable workplace (occupational health and safety law)
 - supporting students' social and emotional wellbeing, and health (duty of care)
- for identification purposes, when necessary to implement discipline and/or behaviour management policies.

Footscray West Primary School does not require or obtain consent from parents/carers or students to photograph, film or record students, or to use these images, for these reasons. However, when Footscray West Primary School photographs, films or records a student for any of these purposes, staff will only collect and use such images in a way that is necessary, reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances.

Child Safe Standards

Footscray West Primary School will use student images reasonably, appropriately and sensitively, consistent with our obligations under the Child Safe Standards and our school's Child Safety and Wellbeing Policy. If at any time a parent/carer or student has a concern about the use of any images they should contact the school's Wellbeing Team on 9687 1535.

Curriculum-based activities

Photographs, film and recordings of students may be collected and used for curriculum-based activities (i.e. class work) as part of standard learning and teaching practices. Footscray West Primary School does not require or obtain consent for this. Access is limited to students and relevant teaching staff. Parents/carers may have access to images of their own child in this context.

Professional development

Occasionally, teachers and classes may be recorded for professional development purposes to improve the delivery of educational services. Footscray West Primary School does not require or

obtain consent for this, however the recordings will only be used internally and for the specific purpose of staff development.

Storage of images

Photographs, video and recordings of students taken by Footscray West Primary School will be stored in our secure document storage systems with restricted access. Any photographs, videos or recordings made on devices, including non-school issued devices, will be transferred to secure school systems and removed from the devices as soon as reasonably possible.

Images taken by the school community

Footscray West Primary School permits parents/carers, students and invited guests to photograph, film or record school performances, sporting events and other school-approved activities.

Footscray West Primary School requests that parents/carers, students and invited guests who photograph, film or record school activities only do so for their own personal use and do not publish the images in any form, including on social media, without the prior consent of persons whose children also appear in the images.

Neither the school nor the department own or control any images of students taken by parents/carers, students or their invited guests at school activities.

COMMUNICATION

This policy will be communicated to our school community in the following ways:

- On enrolment
- An annual reminder in our school newsletter and via Compass
- Available publicly on our school's website

FURTHER INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

- The Department's Policy and Advisory Library: [Photographing, Filming and Recording Students](#)

POLICY REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Approval date (by):	April 2024 (by Principal)
VRQA policy:	No
DET mandated policy:	Yes
School Council input:	Not required
Consultation:	Not required
Next scheduled review date (review cycle):	04/2028 (4 years)



Help for non-English speakers

If you need help to understand the information in this policy please contact a member of the Footscray West Primary School Principal Team on 9687 1535 or footscray.west.ps@education.vic.gov.au



Acceptable Use Agreement (Years Prep to Four)

SCHOOL PROFILE STATEMENT

At Footscray West Primary School we support the right of all members of the school community to access safe and inclusive learning environments, including digital and online spaces. This form outlines the School's roles and responsibilities in supporting safe digital learning, as well as the expected behaviours we have of our students when using digital or online spaces.

At our school we:

- Have a **Student Engagement Policy** that outlines our School's values and expected student behaviour. This Policy includes online behaviours;
- Have programs in place to educate our students to be safe and responsible users of digital technologies, including the eSafety school programs provided by the eSafety Commissioner;
- Educate our students about digital issues, such as online privacy, intellectual property and copyright;
- Supervise and support students using digital technologies for school-directed learning;
- Use clear protocols and procedures to protect students working in online spaces. This includes reviewing the safety and appropriateness of online tools and communities, removing offensive content at earliest opportunity, and other measures;
 - See: [Duty of Care and Supervision](#)
- Provide a filtered internet service, at school, to block inappropriate content. We acknowledge, however, that full protection from inappropriate content cannot be guaranteed;
- Use online sites and digital tools that support students' learning;
- Address issues or incidents that have the potential to impact on the wellbeing of our students;
- Refer suspected illegal online acts to the relevant Law Enforcement authority for investigation;
- Support parents and caregivers to understand safe and responsible use of digital technologies and the strategies that can be implemented at home. The following resources provide current information from both the Department of Education & Training and The Children's eSafety Commission:
 - [Bullystoppers Parent Interactive Learning Modules](#)
 - [eSafetyParent | Office of the Children's eSafety Commissioner](#)



Help for non-English speakers

If you need help to understand the information in this Acceptable Use Agreement, please discuss with a member of the Principal team at Footscray West Primary School on 9687 1535 or footscray.west.ps@education.vic.gov.au

STUDENT DECLARATION

When I use digital technologies, I **communicate respectfully** by:

- always thinking and checking that what I write, or post is polite and respectful
- being kind to my friends and classmates and thinking about how the things I do or say online might make them feel (ask students to reflect on how they would feel.)
- not sending mean or bullying messages or forwarding them to other people.
- creating and presenting my own work, and if I copy something from online, letting my audience know by sharing the website link to acknowledge the creator.

When I use digital technologies, I **protect personal information** by being aware that my full name, photo, birthday, address and phone number is personal information and is not to be shared online. This means I:

- protect my friends' information in the same way
- protect my passwords and don't share them with anyone except my parent
- only ever join spaces with my parents or teacher's guidance and permission
- never answer questions online that ask for my personal information
- know not to post three or more pieces of identifiable information about myself.

When I use digital technologies, I **respect myself and others** by thinking about what I share online. This means I:

- stop to think about what I post or share online
- will not share or post the link (or password) to video conferencing meetings, with others offline in public communications or online on public websites or social media forums
- use spaces or sites that are appropriate, and if I am not sure I ask a trusted adult for help
- protect my friends' full names, birthdays, school names, addresses and phone numbers because this is their personal information
- speak to a trusted adult if I see something that makes me feel upset or if I need help
- speak to a trusted adult if someone is unkind to me or if I know someone else is upset or scared
- don't deliberately search for something rude or violent
- turn off or close the screen if I see something I don't like and tell a trusted adult
- am careful with the equipment I use.

At school we/I have:

- discussed ways to be a safe, responsible and ethical user of digital technologies
- presented my ideas around the ways that I can be a smart, safe, responsible and ethical user of digital technologies.

I will use this knowledge at school and everywhere I use digital technologies.

STUDENT AGREEMENT

Student Agreement

(teacher)

acknowledges the commitment of

(student)

to being a polite, safe, responsible and ethical user of digital technologies.

As a student I continue to learn and use digital technologies safely and responsibly.
I will ask a trusted adult for help whenever I am unsure or feel unsafe.

Student's signature

Teacher's signature

Date

SIGNATURE

I understand and agree to comply with the terms of acceptable use and expected standards of behaviour set out within this agreement.

This AUA applies when digital devices and technologies are being used at school, for school-directed learning, during school excursions, at camps and extra-curricular activities, and at home.

I understand that there are actions and consequences established within the school's Student Engagement Policy if I do not behave appropriately.

Student name: _____

Student signature: Not required _____

Parent/Carer name: _____

Parent/Carer signature: _____

Date: _____



Footscray West
Primary School

Information about Kindergarten/ Early Childhood Education

Kindergarten currently attending:	
Kindergarten group: <i>(eg. Blue group, Kangaroos etc.)</i>	
Kindergarten teacher name:	
Childcare currently attending: <i>(if applicable)</i>	