

Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2024 Term 4 - Week 2 of 11

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Dear Parents, Students & Friends,

With the Art Show less than two weeks away, there's an excitement in the corridors as student literacy and numeracy work samples are replaced with the arts creativity of our children.

The Art Show provides families with the opportunity to celebrate their children's artistic talents, but also to see the continued improvements being made to enhance the learning environment for your children.

We acknowledge that there are many things that have not been completed or reinstated this year, so far, the canteen is a good example of that. Please note that we are continuing to attend to these things, however, our priority has been focussed upon ensuring that our core business, learning and teaching and the wellbeing of your children takes main stage. The great thing is that we are already seeing the benefits and positive outcomes of our efforts.

We strongly encourage parents to participate in the **Parent Advisory Council** held twice a term. Our next meeting is **next Tuesday** and will take place in the Staff Learning & Resource Centre **at 7.00pm**. Our next meeting will focus on the 2025 school calendar and the events that engage families into the life of the school.



# Thank You Fr Michael

This week, Fr Michael celebrated his final morning parish mass here at St Catherine of Siena church. Year 6 and SRC students attended this mass at 9:15am. This was followed with the staff gathering with Fr Michael for morning tea to acknowledge Fr Michaels service and leadership of St Catherine of Siena.



The focus of the Wednesday morning parish mass was the important message that 'God's Spirit has given us life, and so we should follow the Spirit,' and this is exactly what Fr Michael has done for the past 43 years as a priest, and for the past 23 years here in the parish of Melton. Throughout Fr Michael's time in Melton, he has supported the growth of our school. From humble beginnings where there was a simple farmhouse, a school consisting of 5 rooms and no church building onsite to what we have today - a thriving school of over 500 students with our very own church.

During Fr Michael's time as the parish priest of Melton he has supported not only our school but St Dominic's Primary School and also assisted in the building of two secondary schools - St Francis Catholic College Melton and Cobblebank. Fr Michael also led the request for the Bulmans Rd upgrade.

In his role as Parish Priest, Fr Michael has shared his spirit and wisdom with our students, teaching them about how they can 'set the world on fire' like our patron saint, Saint Catherine of Siena. He celebrated sacraments, shared stories and taught us how to live like Jesus and be close to God.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Fr Michael for his contribution to our Catholic community and wish him all the best as he commences retirement.

#### Mrs. Angela Giordimaina



# School Fees In Arrears

For families who are currently in **arrears** for the **2024** school year and have not made an arrangement with the school, it is essential that you please attend to your account as soon as possible or to contact the office prior to **Friday**, **15<sup>th</sup> November 2024**.

We truly thank our families who have ensured that their child's school fees and levies have been paid or who have contacted us to put in place arrangements to suit the family budget whilst being able to access the educational services of the school.

Working together makes a huge difference to ensuring we are able to provide you and your child with the best learning, school environment and community experience possible.

# Fees & Levies for 2025

Our school has much to offer and provides a very affordable Catholic education for our students.

To keep our own costs as affordable as they are, we do everything possible to maximise our resources and the grants that are made available to us.

However, the payment of the school fees and levies is what makes the biggest difference.

Without families contributing to the running costs of St Catherine of Siena, we simply could not achieve, nor do what we do.

The 2025 School Fees and Levies was presented and approved at our last School Advisory Board meeting held on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

The **School Family Fee** for 2025 is: **\$1,590**. This fee is billed to each family **regardless of the number of children enrolled** and provides funds for the development of learning resources as well as the maintenance of school facilities and grounds. The **Capital Levy of \$50**, which provides funds for future capital improvement projects, is included within the School Family Fee.

The **Student Levy** of **\$510** per child (Prep to Year 6), reflects the individual costs associated in engaging each child in their learning experiences and activities. The Student Levy specifically covers costs associated with book lists, curriculum and excursion expenses for each child.

The additional costs relate to the swimming and camping programs, along with technology resources.

The cost of the **Camping Program** is as follows: Year 3: \$300 Camp Sunnystones, 13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> Nov Year 4: \$300 Lady Northcote, 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> August Year 5: \$375 PBL Kynton, 8<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> October Year 6: \$375 Waratah Bay, 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> Nov

The school, through various grants, discounts the true cost of the camping program. It has been necessary to do this as camping costs are now inclusive of staffing costs, whereas in the past this was provided on a voluntary basis. Many schools, sadly, have made the decision to discontinue camping programs because of this reason.

The cost of the Swimming Program is as follows:

Prep:	\$90 (5 session program)
Year 1:	\$90 (5 session program)
Year 2:	\$90 (5 session program)
Year 3 & 4:	\$0 (onsite program)
Year 5	\$40 (2 day program)
Year 6	\$40 (2 day program)

The cost of the **Technology Resourcing Program** is as follows:

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Prep:	\$50
Year 1:	\$100
Year 2:	\$100
Year 3:	\$100
Year 4:	\$100
Year 5	<b>\$</b> 0
Year 6	<b>\$</b> O

The Technology Resourcing Program Levy reflects the purchase of computer devices and associated apps that are used by such devices. After 3 years of use and payment of the Technology Resource Program, students will be provided with a new device. After 3 years of use by the student, the device will be provided to the family for private use.

Prep students are provided with an Apply I-Pad that is used to support learning throughout the year but is retained by the school.

The school is covering the cost of the Year 5 and Year 6 Technology Resourcing Levy next year and then Year 6 in 2026. This recognises the change in the provisioning of devices and that the devices, at the time of these students graduating from St Catherine of Siena will be returned to the school for reuse. All students from Prep to Year 6, from 2027, will then be billed the Technology Resource Levy.

We take pride in the fact that we are able to achieve excellent educational outcomes for our students whilst providing an affordable Catholic education.

# 2025 Fee & Levy Billing Dates

In keeping our costs low and affordable, it is essential that families contribute to their child's education by ensuring that payment of the fees and levies are made each year.

For 2025, the **Family Fee** is billed in **three (3) instalments** with the **Student Levy** being paid in full by the **10<sup>th</sup> March 2025**.

Instalment 1: February 14 Family Fee \$530.00 + Student Levy + Technology Resource Program Levy

Instalment 2: May 14 Family Fee \$530.00

Instalment 3: August 14 Family Fee \$530.00

\*All other fees, e.g. Camp and Swim Program due prior to time of event

Please note that all school fees are due at the beginning of each billing period as per the instalment dates or as arranged with the Principal. Any alternative arrangements need to be organised with the Principal during the first term of 2025.

Again, I remind families that are in financial difficulty or require assistance to please contact the school so that we are able to assist you at this time. Fee concessions are available.

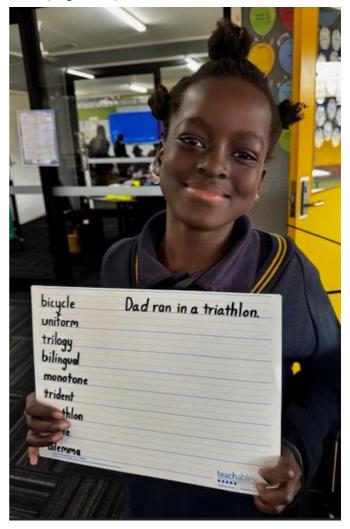
Sincerely,

Mr Des Noack Principal

# The Art Of Handwriting

It's fantastic to see the quality of handwriting produced by our students being observed throughout the classrooms. The explicit teaching practices taking place regarding both different genre of writing, along with handwriting practice is clearly having a positive impact.

The other thing we are noticing is the depth of vocabulary being used. This comes from the practice of reading a wide range of materials, the oral language gained in the daily dialogue between children and others, along with exposure to varying life experiences.



## One Last Reminder: 2025 Class Placement Parental Input (Closes Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November)

Thank you to the many parents who have already responded to our invitation to provide us with additional information to assist with class placement for next year.

As mentioned previously, your child's teachers spend an amazing amount of time with your child during the school year. They are aware of most, but maybe not all, of your child's strengths and challenges from a school perspective. It is their knowledge, observation and insight that provide the basis from which class structures and placement are created.

However, as a parent, your knowledge is far more profound through the simple relationship of child and parent. You hear the story of their daily experiences and know intimately of your child's strengths, challenges and amazing potential. You know of the relationships they have in and outside of school, the learning and teachers that inspire them to do their best and the friendships that either help them to flourish or, at times, struggle.

#### It is within this context that we invite you to write about your child's learning and social needs to assist us in the placement of your child into specific classrooms for the 2025 school year.

When receiving a letter that requests a specific teacher, knowing that the teacher may not be in the same year level the following year, we read it as a parent's way of expressing the type of teacher your child responds well to. In doing so, it affirms the quality, temperament, characteristics of the teaching staff that we wish to foster at St Catherine of Siena.

At the same time, it gives us an insight into the quality of relationship that has been formed between parent and teacher over the year(s). A positive relationship between parent, student and teacher makes a huge difference in the way a student engages in their learning and the school community.

Please note that we may not be able to provide you with exactly what you want, but we do try to do our best given the many and diverse factors that go into making up a class.

All emails must be received by Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 3.30pm. Please title the email with the heading "Confidential – 2025 Class Placement".

The email address to use is:

#### dnoack@scmeltonwest.catholic.edu.au

This year the teaching staff and school leadership team will use Class Solver software to ensure class placements take into consideration not only parent preferences around student class placements but also:

- Specific learning needs
- Individual differences
- Gender balance
- Relationships with other students
- Age
- Social and emotional maturity
- Academic achievement
- Family groupings
- Length of time a class or group has been together
- Class placements in previous years
- Classroom observations
- Student teacher relationships

We have again published in this week's newsletter the school's Child Classroom Placement & Procedures Policy to assist in understanding the effort taken to ensure that all children are placed for continued success.



Blue Fit Swimming Bacchus Marsh Shop 6/4B McCormacks Rd, Maddingley VIC 3340

## Preps and Grade 1A and 1B:

<u>Dates</u>: Mon, 21st October – Frid, 25th October <u>Session Duration</u>: 45 Minute Sessions <u>Swimming Timetable</u>:

11:30-12:15 Prep A & half of Prep B 12:15- 1:00 Prep C & other half of Prep B 1:00-1:45 1A 1:45- 2:30 1B

## Grade 2's and Grade 1C

<u>Dates:</u> Mon, 28th October – Fri, 1st November <u>Session Duration</u>: 45 Minute Sessions <u>Swimming Timetable</u>: 11:30-12:15 1C 12:15-1:00 2A 1:00-1:45 2B 1:45- 2:30 2C

## This Weekend's Gospel Resonates With The Servant leadership We Aspire To Develop Amongst Our Staff At St Catherine's

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 10:35-45

## The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for all.

and John. the sons of Zebedee, James approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them: 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

## **Gospel Reflection**

James and John are effectively calling 'shotgun' on the best seats at the table! When they ask to sit at the left and right hand of Jesus, they are asking Jesus to name them as his deputies. They're looking to secure for themselves positions of power and authority. The only problem is that they have a completely messed up idea of what it means for Jesus to enter into his glory. For several weeks now, we have been exploring a theme from the Gospel of Mark that follows a physical journey towards Jerusalem as well as a symbolic and theological journey towards what is going to occur in Jerusalem – Jesus' arrest, crucifixion and resurrection.

Throughout this journey, Jesus has been trying to prepare the disciples for what is to come and

educate them about what it really means to be a disciple of his. Three times Jesus tells the disciples explicitly what lies ahead. Each time the disciples fail to grasp what Jesus tells them. Despite occasional glimpses of insight, the disciples still believe that Jesus is going to rise up as a political or military figure. In a complete dismissal of this sort of thinking, Jesus declares quite forcefully that leadership of this sort is not what he intends for himself, nor for those who follow him.

Leadership in the Jesus model is about being of service to others; it is not about prestige and acclamation. Many of the best leaders are those who do not have any title of leadership or authority. Their leadership and authority come from what they do and how they do it. They inspire others to follow their example. They don't demand it; they don't bully; they don't play power games. People simply want to follow their example.

## Living the Gospel – Servant Leadership

What does it really mean to practise servant leadership? It means placing the needs of others before your own desires for prestige or authority. We've all known people who have been given a position of leadership and they really only wanted the job as recognition of their popularity; a thank you for previous work done; an opportunity to demonstrate their strength of will or cleverness with words. Servant leadership is about collaborating; it's about empowering people to do their best; it's about trusting others and about rolling up your sleeves and getting on with the job.

## Have you thought? Integrity

Who do you really admire? Who would you really like to be like? Aside from sports stars, models and actors whose particular skills you might admire or even envy; who is a person who lives their life in a way that you would like to emulate? Perhaps it's not that you want to do exactly what they have done but rather it's the way they've gone about living their life. I would bet that there is a close match between what they hold to be true and the way they live their life – integrity!

## Scriptural context - Mark's Gospel

Despite appearing second, Mark's gospel is now recognised as being the first written of those that appear in the Bible. The shortest of the four gospels, it begins with Jesus' entry into public life and, in its original form, ends with the discovery of the empty tomb. It is sometimes called a gospel 'in a hurry' as the movement between events is almost abrupt. The gospel writer identifies almost immediately that Jesus is God's 'beloved Son' and then spends the rest of the gospel describing the gradual revelation of this fact and the disciples' growing awareness.



## Week 3

#### Monday 21/10

- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm
- Swimming Program Prep, 1A & 1B
- Year 6 Life Saving Program

#### Tuesday 22/10

- Saint John Paul II
- Swimming Program Prep, 1A & 1B
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm
- Parent Advisory Council 7.00pm 8.00pm

#### Wednesday 23/10

- Saint John of Capistrano
- Swimming Program Prep, 1A & 1B

#### Thursday 24/10

- Saint Anthony Mary Claret
- Swimming Program Prep, 1A & 1B
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Friday 25/10

- Swimming Program Prep, 1A & 1B
- 360 Leadership Conference
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm
- Saturday 26/10
  - 360 Leadership Conference

#### Sunday 27/10

• 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

## Week 4

#### Monday 28/10

- Saints Simon and Jude
- Swimming Program Year 2 & 1C
- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Tuesday 29/10

- Swimming Program Year 2 & 1C
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Wednesday 30/10

- Swimming Program Year 2 & 1C
- St Catherine of Siena Annual Art Show 4:30pm – 6pm

#### Thursday 31/10

- Swimming Program Year 2 & 1C
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Friday 01/11

- All Saints
- Swimming Program Year 2 & 1C
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

#### Saturday 02/11

• The Commemoration Of All The Faithful Departed

#### Sunday 03/11

• 31st Sunday In Ordinary Time

## Week 5

#### Monday 04/11

- Saint Charles Borromeo
- School Closure Day
- Tuesday 05/11

#### Melbourne Cup Day – Public Holiday

- Wednesday 06/11
  - Interrelate Tricky Conversations: Years 3 to

#### Thursday 07/11

• Staff Meeting 3.30pm - 4:30pm

#### Friday 08/11

- Year Level Mass
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

#### Saturday 09/11

#### Sunday 10/11

• 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

## Week 6

#### Monday 11/11

- Saint Martin of Tours
- 2025 Prep Transition Session 1 9am 10am
- Remembrance Day
- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Tuesday 12/11

- Saint Josaphat
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Wednesday 13/11

• Year 5 Aspire Leadership Incursion

#### Thursday 14/11

• Staff Meeting 3.30pm - 4:30pm

#### Friday 15/11

- Saint Albert the Great
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

#### Saturday 16/11

- Saint Gertrude
- Saint Margaret of Scotland

#### Sunday 17/11

• 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

## Week 7

#### Monday 18/11

- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Prep Transition Session 2 9am 10am
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Tuesday 19/11

• Staff Meeting 3.30pm - 4:30pm

#### Wednesday 20/11

#### Thursday 21/11

• The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

• Staff Meeting 3.30pm - 4:30pm

#### Friday 22/11

- Sports Carnival Day
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

#### Sunday 24/11

 Solemnity Of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe

## Week 8

#### Monday 25/11

- Saint Catherine of Alexandria
- 2025 Prep Transition Session 3 9am 10am
- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Tuesday 26/11

- Parent Support Group Meetings
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm
- Parent Advisory Council 7.00pm 8.00pm

#### Wednesday 27/11

Parent Support Group Meetings

#### Thursday 28/11

- Parent Support Group Meetings
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm
- Archdiocesan Celebration of Principalship
  2.00pm 9.30pm

#### Friday 29/11

• Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

#### Saturday 30/11

Saint Andrew

## Sunday 01/12

• 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Of Advent

## Week 9

## Monday 02/12

- 2025 Prep Transition Session 4 9am 10am
- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

## Tuesday 03/12

- Saint Francis Xavier
- 2025 Student Transition Day 1 (Prep Grade 5's) @ 11:30am -1pm
- Parent Support Group Meetings
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

## Wednesday 04/12

Saint John Damascene

#### Thursday 05/12

- Parent Support Group Meetings
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

## Friday 06/12

- Saint Nicholas
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm

## Saturday 07/12

Saint Ambrose

## Sunday 08/12

• 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Of Advent

## Week 10

#### Monday 09/12

- The Immaculate Conception Of The Blessed Virgin Mary
- 2025 Student Transition Day 2 (Prep Grade 5s) @ 11:30am -1pm

#### Tuesday 10/12

- Our Lady of Loreto
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Wednesday 11/12

Saint Damasus I

#### • Carols By Candlelight 6.00pm - 7.30pm

#### Thursday 12/12

- Our Lady of Guadalupe
- Staff Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Friday 13/12

- Saint Lucy
- 2025 Prep Transition Session 5 9am 10am
- Whole School Assembly 2.30pm
- Reports sent home

#### Saturday 14/12

• Saint John of the Cross

#### Sunday 15/12

• 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Of Advent

## Week 11

#### Monday 16/12

- Year 6 Big Day Out
- Exec Team 2.15pm
- Team Leaders Meeting 3.30pm 4:30pm

#### Tuesday 17/12

• Year 6 Graduation Liturgy & Presentation Night 6.00pm

#### Wednesday 18/12

- Whole School Mass 9.00am- Advent Week 4
- End of Year Award Ceremony @ 2:00pm
- Last Day of Term 4 Dismissal Time 3:15pm

Our School Koala Bears Have Been Moved To A New Location That Makes Them Far More Visible. This Will Also Become The New Location Of Our School Flag Poles.





## Prep A

Dante A - For independently writing two sentences describing your chalk drawing. Fabulous work Dante!

Abiei B - For showing amazing resilience as a learner and never giving up or complaining when trying to write with your non-preferred arm.

#### Prep B

Ayii D - For displaying our school values of respect when engaging in class discussions.

Immaculate N - For being a knowledgeable learner when sharing your understanding of addition with the class.

#### Prep C

Lincoln G - For sequencing and retelling the story of Finding Jesus in the Temple! Awesome work!

Makayla M - For being able to identify what a fact and including fun facts in your writing!

#### Year 1A

Noah K - For displaying the school value of responsibility by taking initiative and being responsible for our office tub each day.

Davina A - For writing a summary of The Fantastic Mr Fox with accurate spelling and great detail!

#### Year 1B

Luwayne S - For making recording and describing data using tally marks.

Serah A - For writing a detailed summary of Fantastic Mr Fox, Chapter 7 with expanded sentences.

#### Year 1C

Alaura M - For independently expanding your sentences this week for our novel study responses. Amazing work!

Christy T - For demonstrating your knowledge in collecting data and constructing picture graphs

and column graphs. Well done!

#### Year 2A

Logan E - For using your sense of humor when innovating on the story 'Jack and the Beanstalk'.You really made me laugh!

Leshaye M - For being able to represent and describe one half of a shape and a collection. Amazing work!

#### Year 2B

Eden F - For demonstrating your knowledge on innovating the characters and setting of different fairy tales. Well done Eden!

Deng G - For continuing to be a valued leader of our class by showing kindness and being respectful to all individuals. Well done Deng!

#### Year 2C

Mello Z - For making inferences when reading and using words in the text to support your thinking. Fantastic effort Mello!

Ivana F - For confidently recalling her multiplication facts of 2 and 10 and dividing by 2 facts. Well done Ivana!

#### Year 3A

Patrick G - For writing an interesting narrative using dialogue and detailed paragraphs.

Jai M - For asking questions during your Numeracy unit on shapes to enhance your learning.

#### Year 3B

Godfrey M - For making a fantastic connection between 3D objects and 2D shapes.

Amelia S - For growing in confidence and contributing to class discussion on a regular basis.

#### Year 3C

Angeth B - For responding to our narrative writing prompt of 'Extreme Weather', in a creative and entertaining way.

Adhel D - For being ready to learn throughout all parts of the school day. Thank you for being a responsible learner.

#### Year 4A

Christian L - For showing responsibility for your learning by attempting all tasks with a positive mindset. Well done!

Lucian R - For adding time connectives and expanding sentences to create a detailed procedure text.

## Year 4B

Stephanie F - For being a responsible learner by showing a positive mindset during all learning tasks

Harvey A - For enthusiastically creating a survey question and accurately recording response. Well done

## Year 4C

Logan F - For working independently to represent your survey results in an interesting data presentation.

Nathan S - Revising and making consistent the scale of the images in his pictograph when one symbol represents more than one.

## Year 5A

Alivia S - For applying your knowledge of the L x W formula to find the area of partial or composite rectangles

Liam D - For sharing insightful thoughts on our class topics. Keep up the great work.

## Year 5B

Emma M - For actively participating in the grade 5 excursion to Altona Beach.

Dhieu Y - For showing great listening skills while learning about the importance of life saving when swimming at the beach.

## Year 5C

Jacob A - For excellent effort during the measurement unit over the past few weeks.

Wel M- Showing great leadership and enthusiasm during our Surf Life Saving excursion at Altona Beach.

## Year 6A

Elias F - For being proactive in literacy groups to extend his knowledge of poetic devices. Keep up the good work.

Jed T - For working diligently to successfully identify and plot coordinates on a cartesian plane. Well done!!

## Year 6B

Luke H- For your enthusiasm and hard work in our poetry unit. I loved that you modelled your poem to the class and used creativity and humor!

River Y - For your enthusiasm and hard work in our poetry unit. I loved that you modelled your poem to the class and used creativity and humor!

## Year 6C

Antonio T- For being engaged and working collaboratively when writing your ballad poem. Well done!

Mario S- For working independently and following the correct rhyme scheme when writing your limerick poem. Well done!

## **Mathematics Award**

Aaliyah Q - For successfully recalling all multiplication facts up to 12 x12



The capacity to learn is a gift; the ability to learn is a skill; the willingness to learn is a choice.

# **St Catherine of Siena**



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Please join us in celebrating the Arts at St Catherine of Siena The artworks this year are inspired by the elements Earth, Air, Fire and Water.

# When: Wednesday, 30th October

Where: Artworks to be displayed upstairs and downstairs throughout the main building.

Time: 4:30pm - 6:00pm

The opening dance performance will start at 4.30pm upstairs in the main building.

Tea and coffee will be served to adults.