



Camboon Primary School

An Independent Public School
Newsletter

SCHOOL MISSION We facilitate learning by inspiring and empowering students to achieve their best every day

SCHOOL VALUES

Courage

Perseverance

Respect

Room 3 & 4 Assembly

What a wonderful assembly item. I was very impressed with their moves! Well done to Mrs Walsh, Mrs Strauss, Miss Le and all the students on such a fabulous presentation.

Cross Country

Well done to all our awesome students for being such outstanding competitors. I loved the way everyone was cheering each other on, no matter which faction they were in. Well done to Mr Naumovski and all staff for their efforts. It takes a lot of planning and hard work to run these events. Thank you to the wonderful parents who helped out. We can't run these events without your support. I wish all our competitors representing Camboon at the Interschool Cross Country all the very best. I know you'll do your best, and I will be very proud of each of you.

2027 Planning

Can you believe that I have to start planning for 2027 already! If you know that you will be leaving the school (excluding current Year 6 students), please email me so I can adjust our numbers. If you know someone who is moving into the area, please ask them to contact the office for an enrolment package or visit our website. We have plenty of space at Camboon and are happy to welcome anyone who wants to be part of our awesome school community. Please share this information.

Noranda Uniting Church

We have a wonderful partnership with our friends at Noranda Uniting Church, and a few weeks ago I had the opportunity to speak there and share what we are doing here at Camboon PS. Each year they donate funds to support students in need, and this year they have kindly donated \$400.

Reporting to Parents Day

A reminder to parents that the school will be closed for student learning on Monday 14 September. You will need to make alternative arrangements for your child on that day.

Zig Zags OSHC will be running a fun cooking day.

Parents will be able to book 10-minute meetings with teachers through an online booking system that will be available from 1 September. Booking times will start at 8:30am and conclude at 4:00pm.

These meetings provide an opportunity for parents to discuss their child's progress with their teacher. Teachers will be available in person, online or via a phone call. If you cannot attend on that date, please email the teacher to arrange a suitable alternative time.

Janice Cuculoska
Principal

zigzags
OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

ZIG ZAGS OSHC IS OPEN
6.30AM-6.00PM
@ CAMBOON PRIMARY SCHOOL
REPORTING TO PARENTS DAY!

MON 14.9.26

KIDS CAN COOK!

Mix, create, and enjoy! Join us for a fun hands-on cooking experience where young chefs learn new skills and make delicious treats... and much much more.

ONLINE BOOKINGS OR
PHONE (08) 6300 0090 OR
ADMIN@ZIGZAGSOSHC.COM.AU



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

14th August-

Interschool Cross Country

18th and 19th August-

Class Photographs

21st August-

Rehearsal Mass Choir.

24th to 28th August-

Book Fair/Book Week

24th August-

Incursion Yr 3 to Yr 6.

26th August-

Parent Night 4.30 to 6pm

28th August-

Book Week Parade



MERIT CERTIFICATE AWARDS

Room 01- Nadia T, Lhamo D

Room 02- Tobias L, Noah P

Room 03- Mahalia de M, Kelly T,

Room 04- Dylan D, Aariah A,

Room 07- Lukas P, Paige N,

Room 08- Gavin N, Ihapera P, Wesley B,

Room 09- Faith G, Harper F, Zachary N

Room 15- Alessandra M, Mason B,

Room 16- Chloe P, Ryan S,

Room 17- Ella K, Mannat A, Robin V

Aussie of the Month

The Aussie of the Month Award is a West Australian primary school based award program which has been in operation for over ten years, with the participation of hundreds of schools across the state.

Like all of our awards the 'Aussie of the Month' recognises personal endeavour, achievement and contribution to the community. The awards also reflect some of the values we share as Australians, a sense of fair play, generosity of spirit, commitment to community, participation and a real concern for the environment.



Congratulations to our August
Aussie of the Month
Recipient- Scarlett - Room 16



Join the Camboon Primary School Community in 2027!

Whether your child is starting Kindergarten or you're seeking a new school for your child in Years PP-6, we encourage you to submit an enrolment application today.

At Camboon Primary School, we welcome enrolments from both local and out-of-area families.

Our supportive and inclusive school community provides a positive learning environment where every child can thrive. We would love the opportunity to show you what makes Camboon Primary School special.

**Our next School Tour dates are:
Friday 21st August – 10am
Friday 16th October – 10am
Friday 13th November – 10am**

Please visit www.camboonprimaryschool.wa.gov.au or call 08 9218 1400 for more information.



Claims are open for the WA Student Assistance Payment 2026

The payment is to help eligible families with school costs like uniforms, stationery, books and excursions.

All Western Australian students with an active enrolment in a public school, non-government school, or registered for home education are eligible for:

\$150 for each Kindergarten or primary student
\$250 for each secondary student.

You can submit a claim through the ServiceWA app, online form or paper form.

What you need

WA Student Number (WASN) for each student (found on school reports, NAPLAN results or some SmartRiders).

Student details (enrolled name, date of birth, school, year level).

Bank account details.

100 points of ID (if not using ServiceWA).

If you need help with your claim, contact us or ServiceWA Customer Care on 13 33 92.

Claims close Friday 25 September 2026.

For more information visit education.wa.edu.au/wasap



Golden Gotcha Tickets Winners



Exciting News - The Scholastic Book Fair is Coming Soon!

Dear Families and Community Members,

We are thrilled to announce that the Scholastic Book Fair will be arriving at our school soon!

This is a wonderful opportunity for students and families to explore a fantastic range of books, discover new favourites and foster a love of reading. Every purchase helps support our school library, allowing us to provide even more great books and resources for our students.

Book Fair Opening Times

Open to our school community on:

- Tuesday 25/08/2026: 8:00am – 8.30am & 3.00pm – 3:30pm
- Wednesday 26/08/2026: 8:00am – 8.30am & 3.00pm – 3:30pm
- Wednesday PARENT NIGHT: 4.30pm – 6.00pm
- Thursday 27/08/2026: 8:00am – 8.30am & 3.00pm – 3:30pm
- Friday 28/08/2026: 8:00am – 8.30am ONLY



We warmly welcome parents, grandparents, carers and family members to visit the Book Fair with their children. Whether you're searching for a new adventure, a fascinating fact book or a treasured picture book, there will be something for everyone.

We look forward to seeing you there and celebrating the joy of reading together!

Happy Reading,

Camboon Primary School  

You're invited to our
SCHOLASTIC Book Fair
THE #1 BOOK FAIR



AUGIE THE COWDOG AND JANE THE GREAT DANE
These two doggy neighbours are best friends!
recommended / PICTURE BOOK / AGES 3+ / \$10

WOMBAT STEW
Wombat's friends must save him from Dingy's dinner plate!
recommended / PICTURE BOOK / AGES 3+ / \$6

FUSSY DUCK
This duck is VERY hard to please!
recommended / PICTURE BOOK / AGES 3+ / \$10

AXOLOTL
Max needs a big new assistant!
recommended / GRAPHIC NOVEL / AGES 7+ / \$10

THE BUDGIE SMUGGLERS
These budgie friends are in big trouble – and their friend is missing!
recommended / CHAPTER BOOK / AGES 7+ / \$10

MYSTERY SPECIAL
A detective visits the school and their classroom is at the centre of a mystery.
recommended / CHAPTER BOOK / AGES 7+ / \$10

MY KNEES HAVE EYES
A bizarre encounter with a BLOB gives Philbert amazing talent... and more.
recommended / NOVEL / AGES 8+ / \$10

EVERY DOLLAR EQUALS RESOURCES FOR OUR SCHOOL

SCHOLASTIC

REWARDS

Camboon PS Book Week 2026

August 24-28

Symphony OF STORIES



Classroom Door Design

Decorate your classroom door to match the theme. There is a prize for the winning class. Doors to be decorated by Monday 24 August. Voting will be done during Book Week.

Camboon Street Library

Bring a pre-loved book for our new street library.
Monday 24

Secret Story Singer

Guess the teacher and the book title. Check Compass and Facebook for the audio. Answer slips sent home to fill in and bring back each day. Daily prizes for K-2 and 3-6

Book Week Competition

Book Week Trading Card Challenge

What if your favourite book character had their own trading card? Now's your chance to create one! Design an exciting trading card featuring a book character of your choice. Include a colourful illustration, their special powers and strengths, a memorable quote, and a power rating to show what makes them unique. Use your creativity to bring your character to life and create a card that would make everyone want to collect it!

Prizes await the most creative Trading Card.

Submissions due to the library by Wednesday 26 August

Inourstions

K-2 classes will have Book Sessions with a visitor from the Morley library. 3-6 classes have an author visit from, Cheneé Marrapodi

Book Week Dress Up

Friday 28 August

9.00am Assembly Area

Come dressed to impress as a book character. Dress as an individual or get together as a group. Prizes for most creative individual and group.



If you have any questions, please email Mrs Nguyn sara.nguyen@education.wa.edu.au

Student Mobile Phones

Reminder About Students with Mobile Devices at School

Recently we are seeing more students bringing devices to school that can take photos, record videos, or connect to headphones and ear buds. While we understand technology is a big part of our children's lives, we want to make sure everyone feels safe, respected, and connected at school. Our approach at Camboon PS, supported by both PBS and our partnership with Real Schools, is about building a positive and trusting school culture. We want students to focus on learning, friendships, and the values that matter—kindness, respect, and responsibility. Devices with cameras, microphones, or listening accessories can sometimes get in the way of this, especially if used in the wrong place or at the wrong time.

To keep our school safe and distraction-free, we ask that all devices are turned off and mobile phones are handed to the classroom teacher at the start of the day. Teachers will lock these devices away safely until home time. Watches with smart features must be set to aeroplane mode during school hours, so phone calls and messages cannot be sent or received during the school day. If your child needs to bring a device for after school, please remind them about these steps. Parents are reminded that they need to email their child's teacher, to let them know that they have permission to have their mobile device at school. If you have already done this during the year prior to this notice, you don't need to email the teacher again. Thank you for your support as we work together to create a safe and positive environment for every child. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out—we're always happy to chat.

Please see the attachment for further information about our school policy regarding students with mobile phones in school.

Kind regards

Louise Halls



OFFICIAL

Student Mobile Phones in School Policy

The Department of Education does not permit student use of mobile phones in public schools unless for medical or teacher directed educational purpose.

It is important to note that it is not a requirement at Camboon Primary School for students to have a mobile phone at school.

Camboon Primary School recognises that an increasing number of parents/carers who for safety, security and/or emergency purposes wish to provide their children with mobile phones. This policy details the conditions under which mobile phones are permitted at Camboon primary School.

Conditions of Use

- Parents must notify the school, via email to the class teacher, to let the school know that their child has permission to have their mobile phone at school.
- The class teacher must print and file the permission email in the student's record file.
- The use of mobile phones for all students is not permitted from the time they arrive at school to the conclusion of the school day. This includes before school and at break times. Students are not permitted to have mobile phones in their possession during the school day.
- Mobile phones must be switched off and handed to the classroom teacher before the commencement of the school day. Students can collect their mobile phone at the end of the school day.
- The classroom teacher will clearly identify and secure the student's mobile phone.

Exemptions and Communication

- Exemptions to this ban include where a student requires a mobile phone:
 - to monitor a health condition as part of a school approved documented health care plan; or
 - under the direct instruction of a teacher for educational purposes; or with permission of a teacher for a specified purpose.
- Smart watches must be in 'aeroplane mode' so phone calls and messages cannot be sent or received during the school day.
- While at Camboon Primary School, students are the responsibility of the school. All communication between parents and students, during school hours, should occur via the school's administration.
- Camboon Primary School has duty of care for all students when they are attending the school. In emergencies, where students need to get in contact with parents/carers, students are to notify the appropriate school staff. If parents/carers need to contact their children, they are asked to contact the school directly.

Breaches of this Policy

- Students who do not comply with this policy will have their mobile phone confiscated and held at the administration office.
- The parent/carer will be informed and requested to collect the mobile phone at their earliest convenience.
- Students who use their mobile phone inappropriately at school, e.g., take photographs of other students, will be reported to the relevant authorities, and the school will also follow the Major Behaviour Incidents process.

Further Guidance

For the purposes of this policy, 'mobile phones' includes smart watches and any other device with photographic and video capability and associated listening accessories, such as, but not limited to, headphones and ear buds.

Updated November 2025

Young people aged 10–18 years are invited to get creative in a series of six free theatre workshops with Black Swan State Theatre Company of WA.

Led by Black Swan's experienced Teaching Artists, participants will explore storytelling, create characters, build confidence and have fun working with others. No previous theatre experience is needed.

Fridays, 21 August–25 September 2026

4:30 pm–6:00 pm

Edmund Rice Centre WA, 9 Brewer Place, Mirrabooka

Free – registration is essential

Register here:

<https://events.humanitix.com/theatre-workshops-with-black-swan-theatre-company>

For more information, contact Sophie on (08) 9440 0625 or sophie@ercwa.org.au.

FREE DRAMA WORKSHOPS

JOIN BLACK SWAN STATE THEATRE COMPANY
TEACHING ARTISTS FOR **FREE** DRAMA WORKSHOPS
Every Friday from 21 August – 25 September
4:30pm - 6:00pm @ ERCWA (9 Brewer Pl, Mirrabooka)

SUITABLE FOR YOUTH AGED 10 - 18 YEARS. NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED!

REGISTRATION is **ESSENTIAL**

PLEASE VISIT HUMANITIX OR CALL SOPHIE @ ERCWA ON 9440 0625





VacSwim

Give your child the skills they need around water.

Enrol them in school holiday swimming lessons.

Spots are limited, enrol now to secure your place.
education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



Enrolment information is available in multiple languages on our website.

VacSwim

From beginners to strong swimmers, we have a program to suit your child's needs.

October program
Wed 30 Sep to
Fri 9 Oct 2026

Number of days: 8 days
Duration: 45 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 19 Aug 2026

October short program
Mon 5 Oct to
Fri 9 Oct 2026

Number of days: 5 days
Duration: 35 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 19 Aug 2026

Country early start program 1
Sat 19 Dec to
Wed 23 Dec 2026

Number of days: 5 days
Duration: 50 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 14 Oct 2026

January program 1
Tue 5 Jan to
Fri 15 Jan 2027

Number of days: 9 days
Duration: 40 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 14 Oct 2026

January short program
Mon 11 Jan to
Fri 15 Jan 2027

Number of days: 5 days
Duration: 35 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 14 Oct 2026

January program 2
Mon 18 Jan to
Thu 28 Jan 2027

No lesson 26 Jan 2027
Number of days: 8 days
Duration: 45 minutes
Enrolments close:
Wed 14 Oct 2026

Find a location near you and enrol.
education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

*Concessions available. A family enrolment includes 3 or more children from the same address. Prices do not include pool entry fees. Each child may enrol in one October program and one summer program only. Information on the website is available in languages other than English. If you require an interpreter or need assistance completing an enrolment form, contact us at VacSwim on 9402 6412.



VacSwim

From beginners to strong swimmers, we have a program to suit your child's needs.

Country early start program • 5 days
Sat 19 Dec to Wed 23 Dec 2026

Includes lessons on Saturday and Sunday
Single \$16.50*, Family \$43.50*

January program 1 • 9 days
Tue 5 Jan to Fri 15 Jan 2027

Single \$32.00*, Family \$85.50*

January short program • 5 days
Mon 11 Jan to Fri 15 Jan 2027

Single \$16.50*, Family \$43.50*

January program 2 • 8 days
Mon 18 Jan to Thu 28 Jan 2027

No lessons on 26 January public holiday
Single \$32.00*, Family \$57*

Find a location near you and enrol.
education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

*Concessions available. A family enrolment includes 3 or more children from the same address. Prices do not include pool entry fees. Information on the website is available in languages other than English. If you require an interpreter or need assistance completing an enrolment form, contact us at VacSwim on 9402 6412.



Kindy next year?

If your child turns 4 years old before 30 June 2026, they can be enrolled into the **Camboon Primary School Kindy Program**.

Our dedicated and highly experienced team, is excited to welcome your little ones to this wonderful new environment, where they can explore, learn and grow.

Please submit your application as soon as possible to secure your place at

Camboon Primary School.

Please visit www.camboonprimaryschool.wa.gov.au or call 08 9218 1400 for more information.



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