



# Marong Primary School

Respect | Responsibility | Honesty

## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

January 29, 2026

### SCHOOL VALUES

At Marong Primary School, we are committed to fostering a safe, supportive, and inclusive learning environment. Our core values guide our actions and shape our community:

- Respect: We treat everyone with kindness, consideration, and value their unique contributions.
- Responsibility: We take ownership of our actions, make responsible choices, and contribute positively to our school and community.
- Honesty: We act with integrity, communicate truthfully, and build trust in all our relationships.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### Investiture Assembly

Families are invited to join us on at 9am on Monday for the Investiture Assembly where all captains will be presented their badges.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

4th/11th – Foundation Students Day off



### REMINDERS

All students require a broad brimmed hat for term 1. Please ensure your child has a drink bottle of water each day too.



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### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome to the 2026 school year ! I'm thrilled to join the amazing team here at Marong and I'm looking forward to getting to know this fantastic community. On Monday we will present our leaders with their badges at the Investiture Assembly at 9am. All families are welcome to attend. I have chatted to the senior classes today about leadership. You don't need a badge to lead and I see them all as being responsible for setting the tone for our younger students and demonstrating the school values.

You can also look forward to weekly updates from classroom teachers via the newsletter that tells you what the general focus has been for the week in literacy, mathematics and other subjects, and how you can help at home. This will give you the opportunity to talk to your child about their learning.

I have an open door policy so you are welcome to arrange a time to meet with me should you have any positive feedback, questions or concerns at any stage.

Katie Lovel



### SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE

### PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION UPDATE

The first meeting of the Parents & Friends Association .....XXXXXX

### CHILD SAFE STANDARDS MESSAGE

Everyone connected to our school  
can help children be safe.



# fresh fruit friday



Celebrating  
10 years

Delivering  
1,000kg of free  
fruit to Bendigo  
school children  
every week

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