

I would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation and pay my respects to the elders past, present and emerging. We walk together on this pathway leading students in their discovery of themselves, their language and their community. We nurture strength, power and belonging to place and country and encourage each and every voice.



From the Principal's Desk

The holiday break seems well behind us now. However, I hope everyone's feeling refreshed for another exciting term of learning. It's hard to believe we have already reached and celebrated 100 days of school. What a wonderful milestone for our students!

As winter continues, the weather can be cold and wet. Please ensure your child comes to school with clearly labelled jumpers, jackets and raincoats. We have had several cases of RSV reported. If your child is unwell, we ask that you keep them at home until they have fully recovered. A day of rest can make a big difference and helps ensure a healthy learning environment for everyone. If your child is absent, please notify the school office with a quick phone call.

We also encourage families to check that their contact details, along with emergency contact information, are up to date with both the school office and your child's classroom teacher.

A reminder about school drop-off and pick-up times:

Arriving at school on time each day helps students settle into their learning, develop positive routines and start the day successfully. Please note the school hours for each campus:

- Cloverdale Campus: 8:30am – 2:45pm
- Maddington Campus: 8:30am – 2:30pm
- Armadale Campus: 8:30am – 2:45pm

We kindly ask families to drop off and collect students within these designated hours. Staff have important responsibilities before and after school, including meetings, planning and administrative duties, and are unable to supervise students outside school hours.

We understand that occasional delays can happen. If you are running late, please contact the school office so we can ensure your child remains safe and supervised.

What's coming up this term?

We have a range of exciting events planned for students and families, including:

- Book Week activities and parades. Check your campus for dates
 - Music and Maths Incursion Tuesday 8 September week 8
 - Father's Day stalls at each campus
 - Athletics Carnivals
- Remember to ensure students have appropriate sports clothing and footwear when required.

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Important dates:

- ❖ **Term 3 ends**
Friday 25
September
- ❖ **Term 3 begins**
Tuesday 13
October

From the Principal's Desk cnt'd

Year 2 Transition Information

As we move closer to the end of the school year, we would like to remind families of our Year 2 students that they are approaching the final stage of their time in our program. We understand that transitions can bring a mix of emotions and questions, and we are committed to supporting families throughout this process.

Our transition meetings provide information regarding:

- What happens when the program concludes
- Available pathways and next steps
- Resources and supports to help families plan for the future

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our team. We are here to support you and your child through this important transition.

We look forward to another positive and productive term and thank you for your continued partnership and support. Together, we can make this a successful and rewarding term for all students.

Regards
Ronnie O'Neil
Principal

PHOTOS CLOVERDALE AND MADDINGTON CAMPUSES

A note for your term 3 planner - School photograph days are as follows:

Cloverdale - Monday 24 August Kindy – Year 2

Maddington - Wednesday 26 August Kindy – Year 2

Envelopes for ordering have been sent home. Please make sure to send the envelope back in with your child on photo day. Correct money must be included as neither the office or photographers have change.

CALENDAR ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

Did you know that our new website has an online calendar? You can find all sorts of events for each of our three campuses listed here:

<https://southeastldc.wa.edu.au/events/>

100 DAYS OF SCHOOL CELEBRATION

Last week, our school celebrated **100 Days of School** with a range of fun and engaging activities. In Room 14, students took part in number-based learning activities and worked together to cut up 100 pieces of fruit. Across the school, classrooms enjoyed a variety of special activities to mark this exciting milestone in the school year.



A MESSAGE FROM OUR SPORTS TEACHER

I am so excited to share with you all...

The Great Veggie Crunch is back for 2026!

I will have lots of veggies including carrots, broccoli, snow peas, cucumber, tomato, celery and capsicum for your children to try. The children loved trying new foods last year and many discussions were had together, and maybe at home too. All the veggies will be cut up ready to try and this will happen approximately 20 minutes before recess on the following days:

- Cloverdale Wednesday 16th September.
- Maddington Thursday 17th September.
- Armadale Monday 14th September.

Sports update for Term 3!

Our focus skills for sport this term are...

PP(Maddington) - jumping, underarm throwing, balancing, galloping, catching.

- Year 1 - balancing, catching, hopping
- Year 2 - catching, dribbling (basketball), hopping, jumping

Kiddo is an amazing program I use every day I teach sport both myself and the children have so much fun!

I love teaching your children sport each week and I know the benefits from physical literacy are seen in the classroom, in the playground and at home.

- [What is Physical Literacy? | Kiddo](#)
- Please use Kiddo as much as you can at home for fun and engaging activities the children love and no equipment is often needed.
- [It's fun. It's easy to use. And it works! | Kiddo](#)
- If you have any questions, please let me know.
- Amanda Pattison (Sports Teacher)



DATES FOR THE DIARY TERM 3

FATHER'S DAY STALLS

Cloverdale Campus

Tuesday 1 September

Maddington Campus

Wednesday 2 September

Armadale Campus

Thursday 3 September

MATHS AND MUSIC EXCURSION/INCURSION

All Campuses

Tuesday 8 September

FACTION CARNIVAL DATES

Armadale Campus

Friday 14 August

Maddington Campus

Friday 18 September

Cloverdale Campus

Friday 18 September

SELDC P&C NEWS

Hello everyone! I hope you all had fun and safe holidays and have settled back into the school routine.

This term is a busy one for the P&C. Next week on Friday 14th August, we will be holding a cake stall at our Armadale campus for their sports carnival. If you can donate some baked goods for the day, that would be amazing.

We have our Bunnings Sausage Sizzle on Sunday 30th August at the Maddington store. We are still seeking donations for hotdog buns and soft drink cans. There are some afternoon shifts that need filling at the sausage sizzle. If you can help us out with items or volunteer some time, please get in touch :-)

Father's Day is also rapidly approaching. Raffle tickets are available for \$1 each. Purchase through the Spriggy app or send correct money in to your child's class. Please ensure it is CLEARLY LABELLED with your child's name, room number and the total amount of raffle tickets you would like to purchase. The last day for cash to be sent in is Friday 28th August, while tickets can still be purchased on Spriggy until Sunday 30th August.

Our raffle prizes for Father's Day are looking a little bare, so if you or you know a company that could donate something, then please get in touch.

For everyone that has donated items to our Father's Day stalls and our Bunnings Sausage Sizzle, the P&C thank you so much. Donations help us to keep costs down, which means more can be given back to our kids and the schools.

Planning is currently underway for Term 4. What would you like to see from the P&C? A special lunch for the kids, or an afternoon/evening end of year event? Please let us know your thoughts!

Thanks,
Stephanie Pollaart
SELDC P&C President
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PBS UPDATE

PBS Update...



The focus expected behaviour for weeks 3 and 4

We walk quietly in the classroom.

At our school we are safe and respectful by walking quietly in the classroom. When we walk quietly in the classroom we avoid accidents and we keep ourselves and others safe. When we walk quietly we are showing others respect by not disrupting them.

PBS Update...



The focus expected behaviour for weeks 5 and 6

We solve our problem

At our school we work hard to be our best by solving our problem. This is important because we all come to school to learn and play. Everyone runs into problems but if we all do our best to solve our own problems we can stop ourselves from getting stuck and make sure our time at school runs smoothly so we can keep learning and playing. This helps us to learn how to do new things, how to do things on our own and makes us feel proud of ourselves.

SCHOOL DENTAL SERVICE, REMINDER TO ENROL!

- Recently your child may have brought home an enrolment form, FAQ and reply-paid envelope from Dental Health Services. Please remember to fill in the enrolment form, pop it in the reply-paid envelope, and put in in your nearest post box.
- Once we receive your form at DHS our team will register your child and arrange for you to receive an appointment in the mail.
- If you would like further information on DHS services or to find your nearest SDS Dental Therapy Centre, please visit our website: www.dental.wa.gov.au or just scan the QR code.



VAC SWIM ENROLMENTS

A promotional poster for VacSwim. The top half has a blue background with the Department of Education logo and the slogan 'Learning changes lives'. The text 'VacSwim' is in large yellow letters, followed by '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'. A yellow banner below this says 'Enrolment information is available in multiple languages on our website.' The bottom half features a photo of three children in a pool holding blue kickboards, with a QR code in the bottom right corner.

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A square QR code located in the bottom right corner of the poster, overlaid on a photo of children in a swimming pool.

SELDC

South East Language
Development Centre

Cloverdale • Armadale • Maddington
southeastldc.wa.edu.au

Campus Information

Principal: Veronica O'Neil

Deputy Principals: Gaye Smith / Deborah Bullock / Linda Whyte

Cloverdale

Main Administration Site



276 Epsom Ave
Cloverdale WA 6105
(onsite with Belmay PS)



(08) 9473 9600



Start and finish times:

- 8.30am - 2.45pm



Drop-off and pick-up point:

Where: Ashworth Street gate



Uniform Shop:

Where: Belmay Undercover Area
Day: Every 2nd Friday
(starting Friday 26 April)
Time: 8.30 – 10.00am



Canteen Information:

- There are no canteen facilities available

East Maddington

Satellite Campus



79 Pitchford Avenue
Maddington WA 6109
(onsite with East Maddington PS)



(08) 9217 8690



Start and finish times:

- 8.30am - 2.30pm



Drop-off and pick-up point:

Where: Westfield Street gate



Uniform Shop:

Where: Lowes Maddington
Day: Mon-Sun
Time: Please check Website



Canteen Information:

- Recess and Lunch orders available Monday-Friday

Armadale

Satellite Campus



11 Lathwell Street
Armadale WA 6112
(onsite with Kingsley PS)



(08) 9234 3850



Start and finish times:

- 8.30am - 2.30pm



Drop-off and pick-up point:

Where: Lathwell St Entrance



Uniform Shop:

Where: Eclipse Uniforms
Day: Online orders only
Time: N/A



Canteen Information:

- There are no canteen facilities available

We are a waste wise school which means you can send in:



- used batteries of all sizes (except car batteries)
- bread tags
- cans & bottles
- can ring pulls



School Website

southeastldc.wa.edu.au



School Email

southeast.LDC@education.wa.edu.au



Facebook page

www.facebook.com/southeastldc



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Department of Education (WA)

Our School Board

Chairperson

Dr Sharon Davies

Principal

Veronica O'Neil

Next Board Meeting:

10 Sept 2026

Parents, Community & Staff

Roya Ansari

David Conti

Sarah Durham

Cecila Ferriera

Sofia Ietto-Conti

Annette Myer

Stephanie Pollaart

Ana Rita Sequeira

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