



Alphington
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Primary Enrichment Programs

Semester 2 2023

ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

INTRODUCTION

The Enrichment Program in the Primary School complements the broad, dynamic classroom curriculum, whilst also offering students the opportunity to immerse themselves in an array of character-building programs. We encourage all students to explore the many activities on offer, in order to broaden their knowledge, learn a new skill and get to know students from across different year levels.

Our co-curricular offerings in the Primary School include a broad range of activities across different days and times, for students of all ages.

The activities will take place at various times, including before and after school and at lunchtimes, and are not compulsory.

We know that free and unstructured play is vital in the life of Primary School students, but we also know that offering further opportunities to develop new skills, relationships and interests in an 'out of class' setting, provides huge benefits.

SPORT PROGRAMS



KARATE CLUB

WHEN: TUESDAY 3.20 PM TO 4.15PM

WHERE: MEET IN FOYER

WHO: MS ALLIMONOS

Come join us on Tuesdays at 3.20pm till 4pm and learn some new Karate skills.
Meet **Shihan Alex** and **Ms Voula Allimonos** in the foyer.

WALKING CLUB

WHEN: MONDAY 12.30 PM TO 1.00 PM, STARTING WEEK 6

WHERE: AGS OVAL

WHO: MS ELLIOTT AND MS VRAKAS

Come join us on Monday and walk around the oval during lunchtime. Bring a friend and lets get those steps in!

MUSIC PROGRAMS



POCO CHORALE

WHEN: TUESDAY 8.15AM TO 9.00AM

WHERE: PRIMARY MUSIC ROOM

WHO: MS LANG

Love singing? Come join **Ms. Lang** and discover what musical teamwork is!

In this choir we will be improving our pitch, musicality and tone. This choir is open to all abilities and is a safe space for everyone to learn, make mistakes, improve their singing and have a great time.

JUNIOR GREEK BAND

WHEN: MONDAY 8.15AM TO 9.00AM

WHERE: PRIMARY MUSIC ROOM

WHO: MR KAPRALOS

Do you love listening to and playing Greek Music? Join **Mr. Kapralos** and learn contemporary and traditional Greek music on any instrument!

Enhance your technique, ensemble playing skills and knowledge of Greek music and culture. This band is open to and catered to all instrumental and vocal abilities and levels. Immerse yourself in Greek music.



JUNIOR ORCHESTRA

WHEN: WEDNESDAY 12.30PM TO 1.00PM

WHERE: PRIMARY MUSIC ROOM

WHO: MS WALLACE AND MR BAKER

Attention Year 3-6 Junior students! 2023 is the year to join the Junior Orchestra!

Bring your recorder, violin, flute or just yourself and play with friends in multiple parts! We play fun pieces and perform together throughout the year. Come on, it's lots of fun!

SOCIAL PROGRAMS



CHESS CLUB

WHEN: TUESDAY 3.45PM TO 4.45PM

WHERE: BEGINNERS B108, INTERMEDIATE PRIMARY LIBRARY, ADVANCED B216

WHO: MR COX, MRS STEWART, MR WHITE

We welcome beginners and experienced chess players to our 2 Primary groups: Beginners and Intermediate levels. In order to cover the cost of the experienced chess coaches from Northern Star, Chess Club has a \$100 fee for those who participate.

Students who wish to continue in Chess Club should email **Ms Janet Stewart** jst@ags.vic.edu.au to confirm a place to continue in Chess Club for Term One.

New students are most welcome to join, please send an Expression of Interest to the email address provided above. Please provide a brief summary the students' Chess ability and understanding of the game, even if there is no experience at all. This will help us to support each student in the best way possible.

MEDITATION AND MINDFULNESS

WHEN: MONDAY 12:30PM TO 1PM

WHERE: ROOM A206 (YEAR 3 ROOM)

WHO: MS KOUTROUZAS

Come along for a peaceful start to lunch. Starting off with some relaxing guided meditation, followed by some fun mindfulness colouring activities. Come each week to continue your mindfulness activity or drop in every now and again to start something new. Max 18 students.



HOMEWORK CLUB

WHEN: THURSDAY 3.15PM TO 4.15PM

WHERE: LIBRARY

WHO: MS KOLOSKOPIS

Here's an opportunity to complete your homework tasks in a quiet, comfortable environment.

Join our Homework Club in the Library each Thursday afternoon. **Ms Jill Thomson** will be present to provide any assistance you may need. Numbers are limited so you must register your name early. No need to work harder but you can work smarter!

GREEK HOMEWORK CLUB

WHEN: THURSDAY 3.15PM TO 4.15PM

WHERE: LIBRARY

WHO: MS ARGYROPOULOS

Need some help with your Greek homework, or just want to get it done for the week?

Join our Greek Homework Club where you will have a dedicated time to complete Greek homework tasks at your own pace with **Ms Allimonos** present to assist you along the way.

A smart way to keep on top of your Greek homework, while maximising your learning experience. Take advantage of this opportunity- join today!

ART CRAFTY CLUB

WHEN: THURSDAY LUNCHTIME

WHERE: ROOM A201

WHO: MS KATSAMBANIS

Calling all arty crafty Year 3 and 4 students who would like to join Miss Katsambanis in the Primary Art room for some quiet creativity this term.

WRITING CLUB/STUDENT EYE TEAM

WHEN: MONDAY LUNCH TIME

WHERE: A202 (YEAR 4A CLASSROOM)

WHO: MRS ROSS

Did you have some big ideas that you would like to add to our community? Join this team and you will have the chance to contribute your own perspective to the online School blog 'Student Eye,' which is visible to all AGS students and parents, and to enjoy the art of writing.

All perspectives are valued, and younger students can be assisted by older students to add their contributions to Student Eye. Join this club and add your voice to our evolving school blog.

DIRECTED DRAWING CLUB

WHEN: TUESDAY LUNCH TIME

WHERE: PREP ROOM

WHO: MISS VENNERI

Join the exciting 'Directed Drawing Club' in the Prep classroom every Tuesday lunchtime. Unleash your creativity as you sketch pirates, unicorns and delightful pop-up surprises. A fantastic opportunity for students to enjoy drawing a diverse array of pictures.

Don't miss out on the artistic fun!

