



DATES TO REMEMBER – 2019

TERM 2

Week 3

14-16 May NAPLAN (students in Years 3 and 5)

Fri, 17 May Cross Country Carnival

Sat, 18 May P&C Election Day Fundraiser

Week 4

Tue, 21 May Soundwaves Parent Information Session 5-6pm

Wed, 22 May Soundwaves Parent Information Session 9.30-10.30am

Fri, 24 May Soundwaves Parent Information Session 5-6pm

Week 5

Tue, 28 May Senior Choir SPAF Rehearsal at Oatley West PS

Wed, 29 May SPAF Auditions

Week 9

Tue, 25 Jun Senior Choir SPAF Rehearsal at Oatley West PS

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Wed, 31 Jul Opportunity Class Placement Test

Week 6

27-28 Aug School Show

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Peakhurst Public School acknowledges the people of the Tharawal Nation, who are the traditional custodians of the land on which the school is built. We would also like to pay respect to the Elders past, present and future of the Tharawal Nation and extend that respect to all Aboriginal people involved with Peakhurst Public School.

AWARDS – Week 1

CLASS AWARD

3/4 Teal	Kyle
3/4 Magenta	Ronald, Samantha
3/4 Purple	Declan
3/4 Blue	Jianlin, Rukaiya

3/4 Aqua	Arvin
5/6 Aqua	Hugo
5/6 Blue	Izak
5/6 Purple	Travis
5/6 White	Bilal

BRONZE AWARD

3/4 Blue	Elisabeth, Liana, Roop, Lily, Julieta
5/6 Blue	Tanjirah
5/6 Purple	Joanne

SILVER AWARD

3/4 Blue	Kennan
5/6 Purple	Joshua

SRC AWARD

3/4 Teal	Kyle
3/4 Purple	Dominic
3/4 Blue	Francie, Liana
3/4 Aqua	Katrina
5/6 Aqua	Kelston
5/6 Blue	Cody
5/6 Purple	Isaac
5/6 White	Lilly

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers



Thank you to the mums and dads who helped out at the Mother's Day stall today. The parents who helped on the stall made it possible. Thank you Moussa for ordering, organising and securing the gifts. The faces of the students as they made choices was priceless and the chatter about hiding places was very cute!

I hope all the mums who are celebrating on Sunday have a wonderful day and are spoilt...as mums should be!

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Halle for being selected to participate in the Sydney East trials in girls touch.

OC Class Applications

Applications for opportunity class placement in 2020 opened on April 30 and will close on Friday, 17 May. You must apply on line. There is more information and the links to apply at the link below. If you are unable to access the internet to apply please contact the school office for assistance.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year->

[5/application-process](#)

NAPLAN

Next week Years 3 and 5 will be involved in NAPLAN assessments. The results provide teachers and parents with a snapshot of a child's skills on a particular day. Often parents and children become unnecessarily anxious. I know lots of the teachers and students at Peakhurst have been working on how to answer the different types of questions so the assessments are less daunting. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday have been allocated to complete the tasks. Students who may be absent due to illness have an opportunity to complete any assessments they may have missed on Friday.

Reports

Teachers are working on reports at the moment. These will be sent home later in the term and will help to inform parent /teacher interviews in Week 10.

This year we have moved onto a new platform. SENTRAL is a complete tool that we use for attendance, record keeping and welfare and we are also using the reporting component. Mrs Reardon has spent considerable time setting it up. Thank you!

The reports will look a little different because your child's photo will be on the front page. However, the actual reporting format and grading system will be almost identical. Teachers are working on using less 'teacher speak' and making the reports less dense. English and Mathematics will be the same, while the other KLAS will outline what students have been taught during the Semester with tick boxes indicating achievement and effort. There will be a General Comment and an indication of Social Development and Attitudes and additional programs your child is involved in as in the past. We will also report on attendance. I will be interested to hear what you think.

Athletics Carnival

Congratulations on a very successful Athletics Carnival last Monday. The weather was kind to us (although very brisk in the morning!). I particularly wanted to acknowledge the wonderful behaviour of our students. There were many lovely comments about the Peakhurst students from a variety of people. Congratulations!

Thank you also to Ms Lloyd, Mrs Wilson and Mrs Hoskings and their team for their organisation.

Cross Country

A reminder that the Cross Country Carnival has been re-scheduled for next Friday, 17th May. It will begin at 10am at Olds Park. Parents are most welcome. Students will

leave school at 9:30am.

P&C Barbecue

Election Day is May 18th. We will be holding a P&C run barbecue. Sausage sandwiches are on the menu! Mr Oszywa has provided his yummy donuts to be sold and we have Espresso Warriors donating their time and selling their excellent coffee again. If you are able to support the fund raisers by giving an hour of your time, please complete the form in the newsletter.

Ms Sally Lawson, *Principal*

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING


PBL Focus Term 2, Weeks 1-5: Be Safe

The students have been doing an amazing job of being safe these last two weeks both in the classroom and out in the playground. Students have been receiving 'Be Safe' brag tokens from the teachers if they are demonstrating safe behaviours and their name is then placed in the box to be drawn out for the weekly prize in assembly.

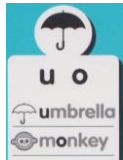
Minor and Major behaviours flowchart

The teachers have finalised the flowchart of procedures they will be using when dealing with minor and major behaviours. A copy of the classroom and playground behaviours/flow chart is attached to this newsletter. This is what all teachers will be using when dealing with negative behaviours. This has now officially replaced the old 'level' system we have had for many, many years.

SOUND WAVES



Next week Years 1-6 will be focusing on:

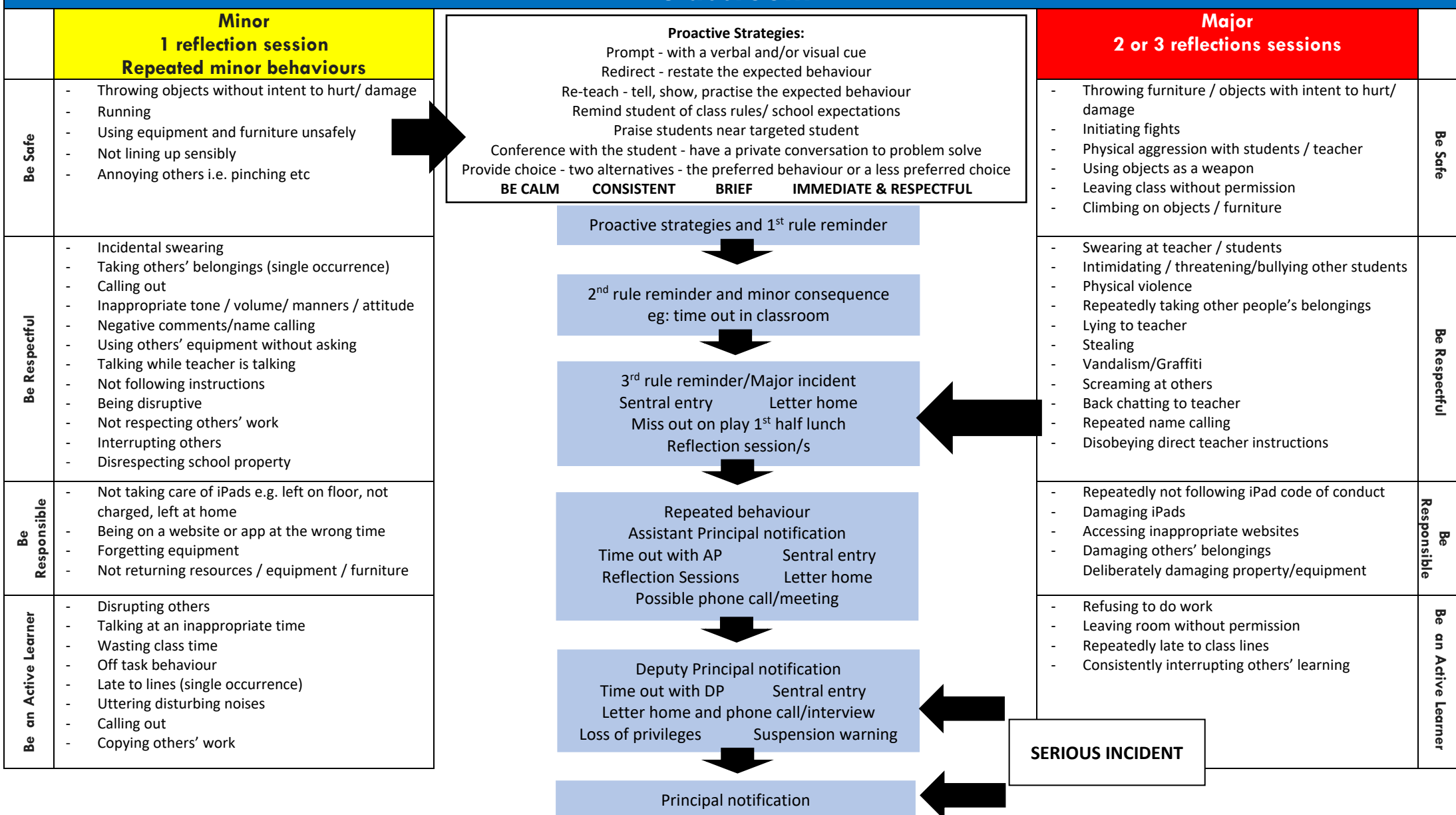


The most common graphemes that represent this phoneme are **u** and **o**.

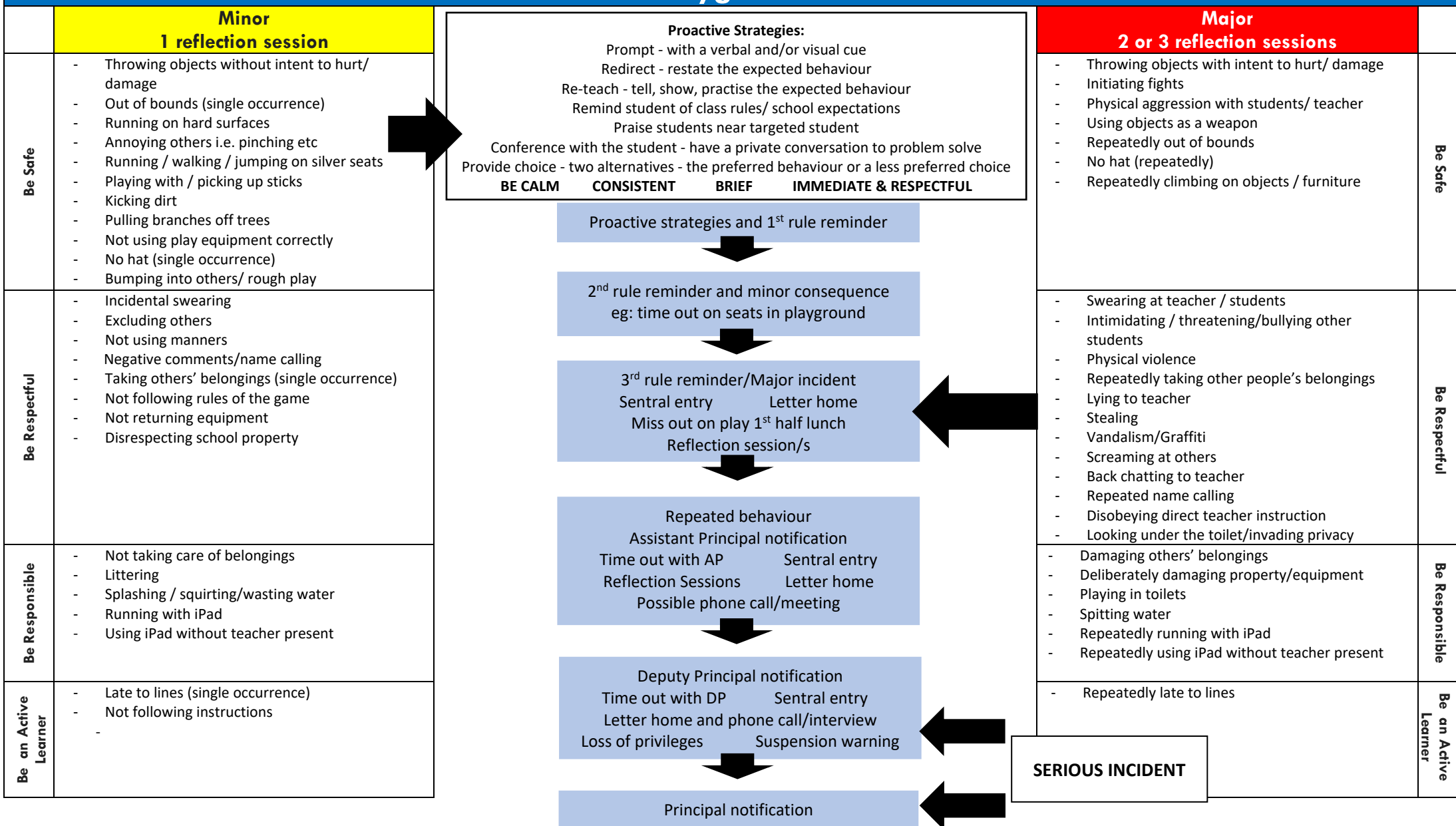
You'll find this phoneme in words such as bucket, none and monkey.

Students can access the Online Activities at home using their grade login at <http://www.soundwaveskids.com.au>

Classroom



Playground



2019 K-2 Athletics Carnival running races results

Year 2 Boys

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Jayden M	2O
2 nd	Tyson D	2R
3 rd	Ryan H	2O
4 th	Gordon G	2O

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Hussein M	2O
2 nd	Raymond C	2Y
3 rd	Aaron L	2G
4 th	Riley H	2R

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Kareem M	2G
2 nd	Peri S	2G
3 rd	Lachlan C	2R
4 th	Dylan B	2O

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Angus C	1/2W
2 nd	Neil W	2Y
3 rd	Andrew C	2G
4 th	Ayden M	1/2P

Year 2 Girls

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Alice L	2O
2 nd	Yue O	2R
3 rd	Israa E	2R
4 th	Yan T	2Y

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Doris C	2O
2 nd	Jayda M	2R
3 rd	Zahraa K	2R
4 th	Soevy C	2G

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Isabelle M	2G
2 nd	Summer Rose D	2R
3 rd	Laura M	2R
4 th	Mia G	2R

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Mafi T	2R
2 nd	Mia P	2Y
3 rd	Piper J	2G
4 th	Monique B	2G

Heat 5

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Sara S	2R
2 nd	Daniella N	2G
3 rd	Lindsay J	2G
4 th	Sophie C	1/2P

Heat 6

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Isabelle Y	1/2W
2 nd	Batoul B	2G
3 rd	Michelle W	1/2P
4 th	Pexie K	1/2P

Heat 7

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Kirralee C	2O
2 nd	Jazmin E	2Y
3 rd	Stephanie O	2Y
4 th	Tamara K	2O

Year 1 Boys

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Lucas B	1Y
2 nd	Kevin L	1/2W
3 rd	Sybok W	1R
4 th	Jacob Y	1/2P

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Izack X	1Y
2 nd	Ratib C	1R
3 rd	Jordan A	1/2P
4 th	Shubham K	1/2P

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Todor K	1Y
2 nd	Callum C	1Y
3 rd	Dylan H	1Y
4 th	Allen L	1R

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Daniel C	1O
2 nd	Anthony M	1Y
3 rd	Sydney N	1O
4 th	Adrian M	1Y

Heat 5

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Jasper T	1O
2 nd	Angus H	1O
3 rd	Hussein B	1O
4 th	Eric K	1O

Heat 6

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Lucas X	1O
2 nd	Eddric O	1O
3 rd	Tristan D	1O
4 th	Elwin C	1O

Year 1 Girls

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Zoe D	1R
2 nd	Alisha K	1/2W
3 rd	Isabelle S/Milla J	1Y/1/2W
4 th	Willow P	1/2P

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Emma C	1/2P
2 nd	Victoria P	1R
3 rd	Eva T	1Y
4 th	Chloe X	1R

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Mila K	1R
2 nd	Stellina H	1Y
3 rd	Zoha A	1R
4 th	Janny L	1R

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Alexis L	1O
2 nd	Avikali L	1Y
3 rd	Olivia X	1O
4 th	Mikele T	1Y

Heat 5

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Lara I	1O
2 nd	Amelia B	1O
3 rd	Illyria J	1O
4 th	Jacqueline S	1O

Kindergarten Boys

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Husayn A	KO
2 nd	Isaac N	KY
3 rd	Idris A	KR
4 th	Vasili A	KO

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Ali Z	KG
2 nd	Bradley L	KO
3 rd	Jeremy S	KY
4 th	Isaac H	KR

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Leo B	KR
2 nd	Hassan M	KR
3 rd	Ali A	KY
4 th	Kingston C	KG

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Justin Z	KG
2 nd	Zane G	KG
3 rd	Hassan T	KG
4 th	Branson	KG

Heat 5

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Connor O	KG
2 nd	Derek S	KY
3 rd	Justin E	KR
4 th	Henry L	KY

Heat 6

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Will M	KO
2 nd	Jackson L	KO
3 rd	Zayn	KO
4 th	Lucas	KG

Kindergarten Girls

Heat 1

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Tamina M	KY
2 nd	Nyasha Z	KY
3 rd	Cass H	KR
4 th	Amne	KY

Heat 2

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Nevaeh L	KR
2 nd	Ashleigh K	KR
3 rd	Mia C	KY
4 th	Renee L	KY

Heat 3

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Misha K	KR
2 nd	Ruby M	KO
3 rd	Hillary Y	KG
4 th	Jamimah B	KO

Heat 4

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Rebecca Z	KO
2 nd	Larissa G	KY
3 rd	Eva H	KG
4 th	Layla M	KG

Heat 5

Place	Student Name	Class
1 st	Fatimah M	KO
2 nd	Inayah K	KG
3 rd	Samantha L	KO
4 th	Leila Z	KR

P&C Election Day Fundraiser

Saturday 18th May 2019



With the State election fundraiser being such a great success, the P&C are going to run another fundraiser for the Federal election on Saturday 18th May. Once again, it is a great opportunity to raise funds for the school since Peakhurst Public School is a very popular polling booth. We plan to offer a sausage sizzle, coffee cart and donut stall on the day from approximately 8am to 2pm. Come along and enjoy a yummy sausage sandwich, a barista made coffee and take home some delicious donuts. Who doesn't love a sausage sizzle on Election Day!

Volunteers

Please consider whether you can help out on the day. Lots of volunteers will make light work for everyone and it is a great way to come together as a school community. We had a great turnout of volunteers on the last Election Day in March which made for a really fun day. There was a great sense of community spirit!



Donut Stall

This time we are not asking for donations for a cake stall but rather, Gregory O has very kindly offered to provide delicious donuts from his Riverwood Deli - Taste of Poland for us to sell on the day. They are sure to be a hit!



BBQ Sausage Sizzle

We need volunteers to cook the BBQ, serve food and drinks, sell tickets, setup in the morning and pack up at the end of the day.

If you are able to help please fill in the slip below and return to the office as soon as possible.

Election Day Volunteer Slip

Childs name and class _____

Name _____

Email address _____

Mobile number _____

Please indicate preferred time (or multiple times if you can help for longer)

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|--|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7.30am-8.30am | <input type="checkbox"/> 8.30am-9.30am | <input type="checkbox"/> 9.30am-10.30am | <input type="checkbox"/> 10.30am-11.30am |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 11.30am-12.30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 12.30pm-1.30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 1.30pm-2.30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> 2.30pm-3.30pm |

Please indicate preferred activity

- ☐ BBQ setup (7.30am-8.30am)
- ☐ BBQ
- ☐ Serving
- ☐ Donut stall
- ☐ Clean up (2.00pm-3.30pm)