

AUSTRALIAN PRIMARY

PRINCIPALS DAY

FRIDAY 4 AUGUST 2023

Dear School Communities,

Building strong foundations for life and learning – foundations that last the distance, stand the test and enable young people to really thrive – takes dedication, expertise, leadership and courage. Every day, your Primary School Principal contributes in this way to the lives and learning of the children in your school community.

On Friday, 4 August 2023, we invite you to use Australian Primary Principals Day as an opportunity to acknowledge the primary school leaders in your school community and to say **THANK YOU for their dedication and contribution.**

In times of uncertainty and community challenges such as natural disasters and changing economic times, each and every Primary school continues to have a person ready and willing to step forward and take up the responsibility of leading their school. In your Primary school the person in this role may be known by different titles. They may be the School Principal, or could also be Head of Primary, Head of Junior School or Campus Leader.

Take time on **Friday, 4 August, 2023** to share with them and show your appreciation. A few words of thanks at assembly, a celebratory morning tea, a parent thank-you note, or a small card or picture from the students is all it takes. Your acknowledgement will make such a difference in reminding principals why they love doing what they do and assure them of your support and shared commitment to building strong learning and life foundations for our children.

The Australian Primary Principals Association, together with all sector state or territory Primary Principals Associations, is proud to promote Australian Primary Principals Day.

Please share your stories of thanks with us on **#principalsday2023**

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