

28th February 2018

AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS' ENGLISH, MATHS, SCIENCE, WRITING, SPELLING AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES COMPETITIONS – 2018

Welcome to the 2018 Australasian Schools' English, Maths, Science, Writing, Spelling and Digital Technologies competitions.

These competitions were first introduced in Australia in 1981 and form the largest independent assessment program for schools in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, India and the Pacific region. Students who participate will each receive a certificate and detailed individual results letter indicating skills covered with correct and incorrect answers. Recently they have included Year 2 in the competitions except for Digital Technologies and Writing which are 3-6 only.

Dates for this year's competitions are shown below.

The closing date for all competitions is Thursday 15th March 2018. No entries can be accepted after this date.

<u>IMPORTANT</u>: Please note that the competitions will be held BEFORE school on the day. Students will need to arrive at school by **7.50am** for an 8am start. This allows children to complete the tests while they are alert and able to concentrate. It also causes no disruption to regular class programs on the day.

Competition dates are:

•	Digital Technologies	Tuesday 8th May	Yrs 3 – 6	Entry fee \$ 9.00
•	Science	Tuesday 29 th May	Yrs 2 – 6	Entry fee \$ 9.00
•	Writing	Thursday 14 th June	Yrs 3 – 6	Entry fee \$18.00
•	Spelling	Wednesday 13 th June	Yrs 2 – 6	Entry fee \$12.00
•	English	Tuesday 31 st July -	Yrs 2 – 6	Entry fee \$ 9.00
•	Maths	Tuesday 14 th August	Yrs 2 – 6	Entry fee \$ 9.00



If you wish your child to participate, please complete and return the form below, including correct payment, in a signed money envelope on money collection days, indicating which competitions your child wishes to enter.

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Principal Competition Coordinator



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If you wish your child to participate in **any / all** of the competitions please tick to indicate which competition/s your child wishes to enter. Please use one form per child and enclose the <u>exact</u> amount of money, together with this tear off section and complete the back and front of the money permission envelope and return it to school by <u>Thursday 15th March 2018</u>. Money collection days for cash or cheque are Tuesdays and Thursdays only. POP (Parent Online Payment) can be accessed via the school payment portal link on the schools website.

Child's Name	Class	Class		
Digi Tech Competition	\$9.00 – Yrs 3-6		Spelling Competition	\$12.00 – Yrs 2-6
Science Competition	\$9.00 – Yrs 2-6		English Competition	\$9.00 – Yrs 2-6
Writing Competition	\$18.00 – Yrs 3-6		Maths Competition	\$9.00 – Yrs 2-6
	Total Enclosed			
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Parent/Caregiver	Date
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