

Wednesday 4th March, 2019

We're Celebrating

HARMONY DAY

Date: Thursday 19th March

Wear: Mufti clothes - orange or national dress

Harmony Day (21 March) celebrates Australia's cultural diversity. It is about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone.

This year marks the 20th year of Harmony Day celebrations in Australia. For our school, it provides our students with an opportunity to understand that although we may look, learn, eat, celebrate or speak differently, we all deserve to belong and be respected.

We are planning some Harmony Day celebrations for Shelley – to take place on Thursday 19th March.

We will be holding a **National Dress or Orange Mufti Day**. On this day students can come to school wearing national dress from their cultural heritage – or they can wear mufti clothes in the colour orange (as this is the colour that represents Harmony Day).

This is a free Mufti day to celebrate harmony at our school (no gold coin donation necessary).

Students will also participate in some Harmony Day activities in their classroom. Throughout the week, students will be discussing their heritage. If you could talk to your children at home about your culture and background, that would be greatly appreciated.

We welcome parents and carers to dress in Harmony Day colours or national dress when they drop off or pick up their children.

Ms Campion
Principal

Mrs Ramnac & Mrs Delander
Organisers

