

# In Touch Newsletter

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*Mission:* We will provide learning opportunities in supportive and collaborative learning environments.  
*Vision:* Students will realise their full potential, contributing to our school, our community and our world.



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## Principal's Report

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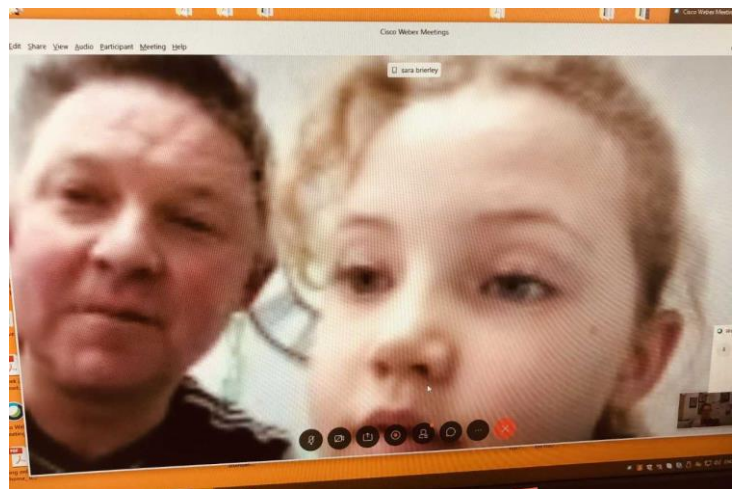
**Remote Learning at FPS** continues to advance and develop at a great pace. Well done to all our parents/carers and students for your fabulous effort. Here is an overview of what we have achieved so far and what is coming next...

**Week 1** - Start up for Remote Learning for FPS

**Week 2** - Starting up ClassDojo Portfolio and uploading work plus connecting with Epic books. Distribution of iPads.

**Week 3** - Starting up videoconferencing with Webex

This week some teachers have been trialling Webex and today I had a test run with Sara and her dad Phil. We began by connecting with a link I put into Dojo. Sara shared a photo to my screen and wrote on it. Sara then shared her whiteboard to my screen in Webex and wrote messages on it. Teachers are about to commence trial runs with students and Webex. FPS will then move into Webex live learning conversations and I know that many students and families are looking forward to this.



If you wish to access resources, earlier communications and information about remote learning at FPS, please see our website and the Remote Learning tab <https://www.flemingtonps.vic.edu.au/page/158/FPS-Remote-Learning> This link contains information that has been sent out and many useful links.

We understand that many parents are working as well as supporting the remote learning lessons and finding this a huge challenge. Our message is, to do the best that you can, let your children take regular breaks. From the work that is being uploaded into Dojo portfolio and your messages, you are doing really well, keep up the great work! If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or a member of our leadership team. We are here to support. >>>Cont...

**Works continue at FPS**



FPS continues to make improvements whilst our students are not onsite. Graham is making great progress with the second bench seat around our front door trees.

Stage two of the accessibility ramping works has recommenced and workers have now set up for Stage 3 outside Camp Australia and two of our year 2 classrooms.



As well our school has been painted and it looks fabulous!

For those families who have now commenced Ramadan I wish you Ramadan Karim.

Happy learning!

Amanda