# Prep 2024 Learning Together



Bayside P-12 College

# **Performing Arts**

Our primary school students are avid vocalists and performers. They open morning assemblies with the National Anthem and perform at our College events such as our annual school concert as pictured.

Our College has a music program from P-9 and students are exposed to voice and instrumental music programs such as piano, guitar and percussion.

Students also participate in incursions like STOMP, a performing arts program and excursions to the Arts Centre with the First Call Partnership. These extra-curricular activities ensure our students are afforded new and exciting experiences that expand their knowledge of the performing arts world.



### **Book Week**

Each year during Book Week the Primary School students come to school dressed up as their favourite book characters.

Students put time and effort into their costumes which vary from superheroes to classics like the Gingerbread Man.

Classes show off their costumes to teachers and parents in a parade. Even the College Principal joins in (pictured). During the week we read a lot of prizewinning books and celebrate with activities and games related to the wonderful stories we read.

The Altona North Campus is fortunate enough to have three libraries - one primary, secondary and the community library right next door which we visit regularly.



# **STEM**

As part of the Victorian Curriculum, students in Years 5 and 6 have weekly timetabled sessions of STEM, which is a combination of Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths.

Here students apply critical and creative thinking to a range of scenarios. They have the opportunity to work independently and collaboratively to innovate and problem solve. Students are provided with a scenario, and they have to draw up plans and create a product. In the picture we see a bridge being tested using scientific and mathematical skills.

Our students also get to experiment with our 3D printers for their next STEM project.



# **Big Night In**

As part of the primary school camping program, students from Years 2 and 3 participate in the Big Night In on campus.

Students participate in a range of fun team building activities such as sack races, parachute and the most popular a Ninja Warrior course.

After working up an appetite, students enjoy a dinner and importantly chocolate ice cream for dessert.

It is a great way to develop independence for real camp experience in the upper primary.



## Team Kids

We are very proud to have partnered with Team Kids as our preferred OSHC provider. They run an engaging and nurturing before and after-school program and are well equipped to deliver high quality care.



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