Kinder Orientation will finish at 12.30pm this week and next week with the final day, 24th November, as a full day.

There is quite a bit of staff movement this week with various Professional Development programs being undertaken by staff. Mrs Tillman-Ryan is with K-2 today until 12.45pm and until 3pm with Yr 3-6 as Ms Gay is attending a course. On Tuesday Mrs Tillman-Ryan will have K-2 for the whole day as Mrs Reid and Mrs Ball will be attending a Technology in Learning course. On Thursday Mrs Tillman-Ryan will again be with K-2 and Ms Chapman with Yr 3-6 as Mrs Reid and Mrs Coloe will be attending a course specific to multi-age classrooms and the new curriculum. Ms Chapman will return on Friday to the Yr3-6 class as Mrs Ball will be at a course with another school. While she is here, Ms Chapman would like to offer parents the opportunity to purchase a ticket in the Goulburn Lions Club’s annual car raffle. She will have these with her on Thursday for $10 each.

On Tuesday we will welcome Norm from the Rural Fire Service for the annual talk to students about being prepared for bushfires. There will be a parent information session at 9am on Tuesday 17th November in the school Hall so that you can help to reinforce this extremely important message.

The revised School Discipline Policy is attached for your information. Thank you to everyone for their input towards the improvement of this document. It is prepared with the knowledge that it is to be read and understood by students, parents, staff and community.

This Wednesday, 11th November, we will commence a 4-week gymnastics program at school as part of the Sporting Schools initiative sponsored by the Department. The students will wear sports clothes as usual.

The School Presentation Night will be on Wednesday 9th December. Please put this in the diary/on the calendar as the end of year has a habit of becoming very busy very fast.

School assembly will be held this WEDNESDAY 11th November at 2.30pm in the school hall. Everyone is welcome.
BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS
Collector Public School enjoys a strong partnership with its school community. As a school we support and reinforce the values you teach your children in order for them to act with integrity and to be respectful and responsible citizens.
School rules are clearly defined and keeping within such boundaries enables teachers to teach and students to learn in a safe and happy environment.

RESPECT
- Play and learn in your own space
- Share equipment fairly
- Wait for teachers

RESPONSIBILITY
- Return equipment as you found it
- Show sportsmanship
- Use equipment in the correct areas

INTEGRITY
- Be honest
- Be reliable
- Be sincere

SCHOOL RULE
Make a plan and just do it!
Quit making excuses, putting it off, dreaming about it, whinging about it, crying about it, believing you can’t, worrying if you can, waiting until you are older!

P&C NEWS
1. CHANGE OF MEETING DATE – four families have a clash with touch football commitments on Tuesday afternoon/evening so the next meeting has been re-scheduled to Wednesday 25th November.
2. Please return all money from the sale of pretzel rods by the end of this week.
3. Christmas Hamper Raffle – each family is asked to donate a couple of items for the annual Christmas Hamper raffle at Presentation Night. Christmas or holiday themed items would be great. Please bring these in to school by 4th December.
4. Catering Roster for Presentation Night – attached is a roster that covers all families/food/set-up/clean-up for our school’s presentation night on 9th December. Please fill in what you can bring and where you can help and return this to school by Monday 30th November.

CANTEEN RETURNS!
Julianne has committed to the return of canteen this Friday. On the menu is everyone’s favourite – meatball subs with cheese. For a total cost of $4.00 per student they will receive lunch, a delicious snack and a popper drink. Please return your child’s order to the canteen box in the office foyer by Wednesday this week so that Julianne has accurate numbers to work with. Money can be brought in with the order or by Friday at the latest.