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Chisholm Year 5 Leadership Day Friday 21 October 2022

12 October 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

On Friday 21 October students in Year 5 will be involved in activities to develop leadership and collaboration skills as they prepare for their leadership roles in Year 6. Leadership roles should be seen by the students as useful and worthwhile and should give student leaders a sense of purpose and a feeling of achievement.

The Year 5 leadership day will enable our students to take part in activities where they will learn about and practise the skills of working together to achieve a common goal. It will also give students the opportunity to reflect on their journey so far and to share their vision for the future. Students will work together through a variety of physical challenges using problem solving and collaboration skills throughout the whole day.

All children will take an active role as a **Student Leader** at Chisholm in 2023. Strategies such as active and reflective listening, critical and creative thinking, problem solving and decision making will provide opportunities for students to develop student participation and leadership skills.

Our students will be active in contributing to a caring, safe environment for fellow students, staff and parents. They will be encouraged to provide their views on school community decisions, using agreed upon processes.

Following on from the leadership days, the students will participate in a nomination and election process in order to finalise the Chisholm Year 6 Student Leaders for 2023. We will commence the process with the election of six school leaders - three boys and three girls. Students will also be asked to nominate 2 sport Leaders, 1 boy and 1 girl for their House Colour. This process will occur in the week following the Leadership day.

What students need for the Leadership Day:

Students will be required to wear their sport uniform and bring their recess, a hat and a water bottle as usual. A special pizza lunch will be provided for the students at lunch. Parents and Carers are asked to contact Year 5 teachers if there are any special dietary requirements.

We thank you for your support in our learning endeavours at Chisholm.
Yours Sincerely

Belinda Gatt on behalf of the Year 5 Team