

# MEPS SRC SPOTLIGHT

## Edition 3 | Term 3

### Student Projects: Playground Improvement.

This week we speak to one of our SRC Leaders, Olivia, from Grade 6; who shares more about the Playground Improvement visions boards that the SRC have shared with their classes.

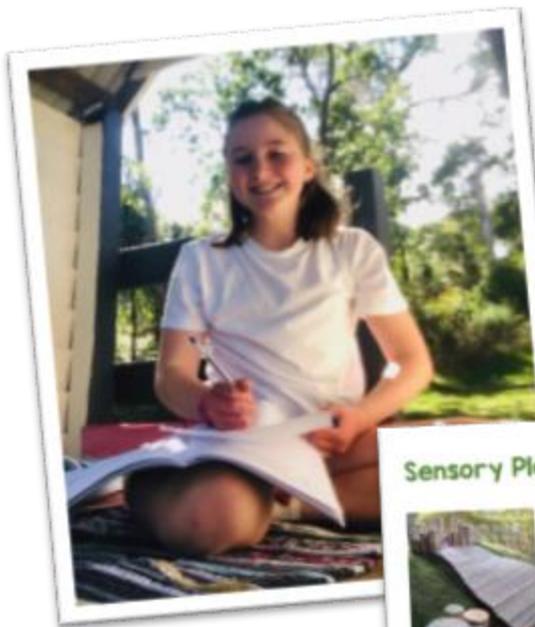
#### Olivia | Grade 6 SRC Leader.

##### What is your role in the SRC?

My role in the SRC is to gather information about projects and to help make them possible. I help out with fundraisers and also get to represent the school.

##### The SRC has proposed three different visions for a new playground improvement project, can you tell us a little about each of them?

The three ideas we have will help the school have more mindful and quiet spaces. One of our suggestions is to create a **sensory garden**, which will include little playgrounds exploring the senses. It might have balancing beams, music, rock and water play, sand and a wooden trail.



The second project looks at **celebrating local Indigenous culture**. It could share the story of the Boon Wurrung people and make it clear about those who were here before all of us. We could have artworks or murals inspired by Aboriginal culture or native Australian animals and we could also have indigenous plants to create a bush tucker garden to use in our Kitchen Garden program.

The last project looks at improving **recycling and waste management** and the regular use of bins to keep our school clean and litter free. If this project is selected, we would like to increase



the options of bins around the school and have them in eyesight. We wanted to add in more compost bins and soft plastics collection.

### What do you love about MEPS?

I love coming to a bright and cheery school each day and being able to go to little hide-away spaces while seeing my friends.



Over the past term, all of our SRC reps have been working hard to share these project visions with their classes and buddy grades. Over the coming weeks as we finalise the results, the SRC will announce which project has been voted as the most popular! If you are a parent or community member that would also like to have a say, you can complete the **Playground Improvement Project Survey** using the link below or QR code.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CSZXY3N>



You can still participate in **the Crafty Connectedness project** by mailing in your knitted, crocheted or hand stitched squares to be woven together in one bright beautiful yarn bomb! Send your squares to:



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**That wraps up another edition. We are so excited to see what playground project the school will choose and can't wait to share your crafty knits when we are back at school!**

~ The SRC Team ~

