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Launch of our new app – School Star

We are pleased to announce an upgrade to our school communication services to include a free smartphone app – **School Star**. School news, newsletters, event invitations, notices and general message will now be sent through School Star. Only Edgewater Primary School parents and community members can access content in this highly secure app.

Connect (and the Connect Now app) will still be required for all classroom based information. You will still receive the fortnightly notice from class teachers. When you log on to Connect you will be able to see your child's/children's attendance details and, for the first time, access and download their reports – both current and past.

Keeping parents and the community informed is very important to us, and we will be regularly uploading content to **School Star**. You will receive up-to-date current information, newsletters and important announcements within minutes of the school releasing the information.

With **School Star**, you get the following benefits:

- Receive news immediately, via the news feed.
- Filter your news feed to see just the news that relates to your child.
- Receive important messages from the school through School Star, instead of by SMS.
- Reply or send you own message(s) to the school for free, day or night.
- Find the phone number to call the school, quickly and easily.

Please download School Star from your app store as soon as possible.

We hope you enjoy using **School Star**. Watch this space for updates and new features that will make communicating with the school even easier. We look forward to improving our communication with you.

Download details:

Search your app store for 'MGM School Star'. [Google Play](#) [Iphone](#)

After you register a new account, only parents whose phone numbers are registered with the school are permitted to create an account and log in to **School Star**. **School Star** will automatically detect your school and check you ID credentials. This means that any posted content is protected and confined to the school community only.

While you are logged in to **School Star**, any messages sent by the school will arrive as a **School Star** notification, allowing you to reply to important messages from the school for free.