

Glen Waverley Primary School

ALLIED HEALTH



OUR STORY

At Glen Waverley Primary School (GWPS), we are committed to providing the most comprehensive educational program possible in order for every child to reach their full potential. As a means of further catering to the needs of all students, we offer a range of Allied Health services to support our school community.



OUR PURPOSE

To ensure every student thrives by working collaboratively with all members of the school community to enhance wellbeing and educational success.



OUR SERVICE DELIVERY MODEL

- We embrace a student-centred, whole-school approach
- Collaboration with key stakeholders to build capacity and achieve best outcomes.
- Implementation of best practice and evidence-based principles.



OUR SERVICES

We provide access to information and education in the form of:

- Workshops (Parent & Teacher)
- Professional Learning
- Classroom support
- Transition support
- Program development
- Direct consultation



HOW TO ACCESS OUR SUPPORT


If you are interested in learning more about the services provided by the Allied Health Team, please contact:

Roland Lewis (Wellbeing Leader) at roland.lewis@education.vic.gov.au
or
Frank Catalano (Principal) at frank.catalano@education.vic.gov.au.

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MEET THE TEAM.

GRACE WONG - SPEECH PATHOLOGIST




Having commenced her career in a generalist rural community health setting, Grace is experienced in providing high quality speech pathology services to the acute hospital and aged care settings, as well as the outpatient community clinic (paediatric and adult), schools and kindergartens across NSW and VIC. Her experiences have led her to become passionate about providing innovative and therapeutic interventions across the lifespan, with particular interest in the culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) population.

RYO SUGIHARA - COUNSELLOR




Ryo is a highly experienced educator with over 10 years of experience working with children in an educational setting from infancy to primary-aged children and over 4 years of teaching experience here at Glen Waverley Primary School. Ryo is a strong advocate for student wellbeing and has a focus on enhancing the students' school experience through their social, emotional and academic needs.

NOUREEN MOGHBELPOUR - PROVISIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST



Noureen is a provisionally registered psychologist nearing the completion of her internship with Psychs in Schools. She is dedicated to providing compassionate, evidence-based support to children, adolescents and families. She is committed to adopting a posture of learning and believes that understanding and empathy are essential to building trusting, safe, and warm spaces for her clients to feel empowered. She believes in the inherent nobility of children and approaches her work with a deep respect for their strengths and capacity.

MAHNOOR IJAZ - PROVISIONAL COUNSELLOR



Mahnoor is a provisional counsellor at Glen Waverley Primary School, currently completing her master's in counselling psychology at Monash University. Her approach to counselling focuses on empowering children with tools that foster long-term mental health benefits, rather than relying on "band-aid" solutions. She believes in the inherent resilience of children and aims to enhance this resilience so that any setback becomes a manageable challenge, not an insurmountable obstacle.