



**St Joseph's**  
**CATHOLIC PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL BULLI**  
*Truth and Light*

15 July 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Years 3-6 students at St Joseph's Catholic Parish Primary School will have the opportunity to participate in the University of New South Wales ICAS Assessments this year.

ICAS is designed to target students' higher-order thinking and problem-solving skills in English, Mathematics, Science, Spelling and Digital Technologies and are not compulsory.

Each assessment celebrates students' accomplishments by providing opportunities for recognition. Every student will receive a certificate and an online result report. Top performers will be eligible for medals and are invited to attend special award ceremonies to have their academic excellence publicly recognised.

The assessments are suitable for students wishing to extend themselves academically and take up the personal challenge of competing in an international assessment. Your child will be presented with high-quality questions that allow students to apply their learning without the need for prior study or revision.

ICAS Assessments are now online, a move that reflects a sector-wide transition to computer-based assessment. This allows greater accessibility for students and faster delivery of results.

Subjects	Sitting Dates	Classes	Closing Dates	Cost
ICAS Digital	Wednesday 12 August 2021	<b>Yrs 3-6</b>	Friday 23 July 2021	\$17.05
ICAS English	Wednesday 18 August 2021	<b>Yrs 3-6</b>	Friday 23 July 2021	\$17.05
ICAS Science	Wednesday 24 August 2021	<b>Yrs 3-6</b>	Friday 23 July 2021	\$17.05
ICAS Spelling	Wednesday 25 August 2021	<b>Yrs 3-6</b>	Friday 23 July 2021	\$17.05
ICAS Mathematics	Wednesday 1 September 2021	<b>Yrs 3-6</b>	Friday 23 July 2021	\$17.05

**ICAS Assessments will only be accepted online** using the Parent Payment System to make a direct payment to UNSW Global (*please see link below*). **Online payments will close on Friday 23 July 2021**

Visit: [ICAS Parent Portal](https://shop.icasassessments.com/pages/pps) - <https://shop.icasassessments.com/pages/pps>  
**(Access Code: OTP433)**

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