



UNIVERSITY OF N.S.W. I.C.A.S. COMPETITIONS

June, 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

Trafalgar Primary School will be participating in the ICAS Assessments again this year. ICAS is designed to target students' higher-order thinking and problem-solving skills in English, Mathematics, Science, Spelling and Digital Technologies.

Entry allows your child to sit for the test and they will receive a certificate of participation or commendation depending on how well they do. You will also receive some feedback on how your child did on the test. Please be aware that this is a nationwide competition and that thousands of students enter and each test will contain some very difficult questions (above expected levels). It does not indicate how well your child is doing at current grade levels. However, it is good exam practise and we have been fairly successful over the years in gaining Credits, Distinctions and High Distinctions in the competition. **These competitions are not compulsory.**

ICAS Assessments are online. This allows greater accessibility for students and faster delivery of results. Learn more about ICAS here: unsw.global/ICAS

SUBJECT	YEAR LEVELS	SITTING DATES	COST
Science	2 - 6	17th August to 21st August, 2020	\$15.95
Digital Technologies	3 - 6	24th August to 28th August, 2020	\$15.95
English	2 - 6	24th August to 28th August, 2020	\$15.95
Mathematics	2 - 6	31st August to 4th September, 2020	\$15.95
Spelling Bee	2 - 6	31st August to 4th September, 2020	\$15.95

If you would like your child to participate in any of these competitions, please visit <https://shop.unswglobal.com.au/pages/pps> and enter Trafalgar Primary School's unique access code **DFQ579** to make a direct payment to UNSW Global.

Online payments will close on **Monday 10th August, 2020.**

Cameron Nicholls,
Principal

