

EMERSON SCHOOL





WELCOME

- John Mooney – Principal
 - Dianne Wright – Campus Principal, Middle School
 - David Walsh – Campus Principal, Junior/Senior School
 - Jenny La' Brooy- Assistant Principal
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- Coordinators
 - Siobhan Liddy – Senior School
 - Debra Hickox – Middle School
 - Leanne Russell – Junior School



PHILOSOPHY

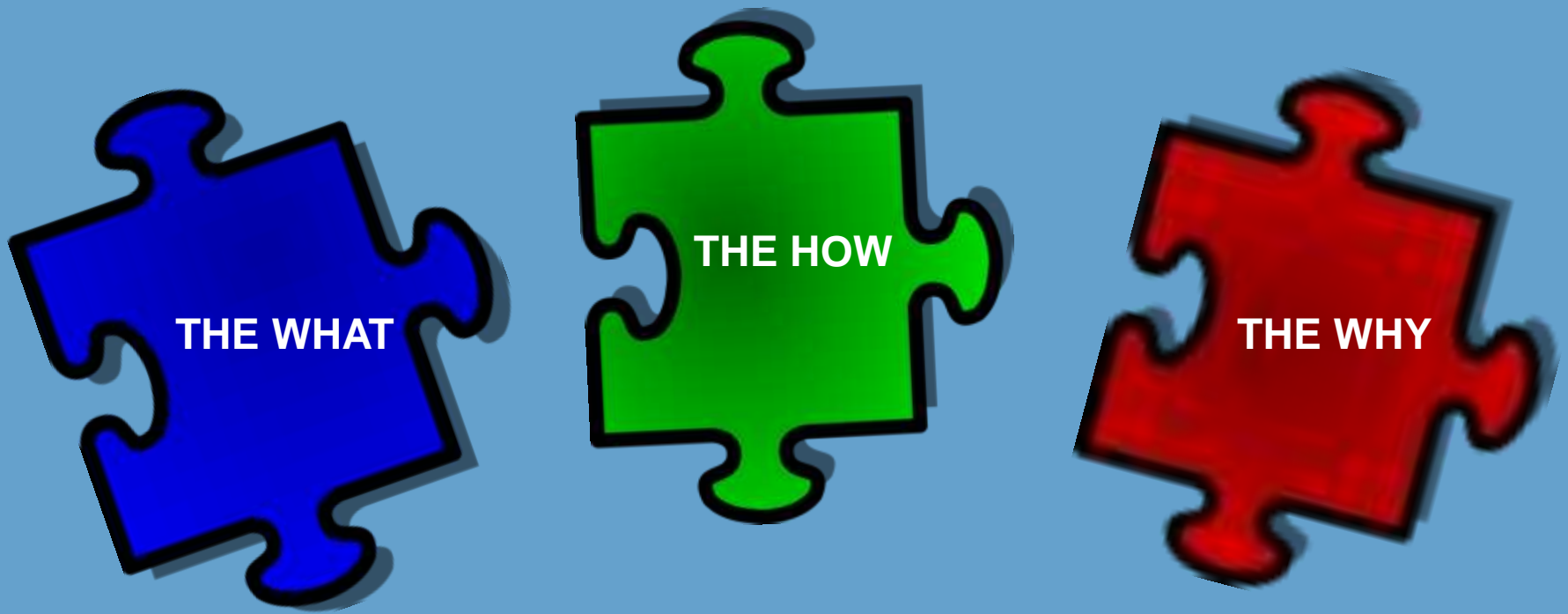
- At Emerson we focus on building enduring, quality relationships that support life long learning.
- We systematically develop relationships that create a climate of safety, security and belonging.
- Through the provision of a wide range of dynamic programs, we empower our students to develop their talents and skills so that they can be resourceful and contributing members of their community.



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- Our students are immersed in their learning environment with a 'hands on' approach providing a multitude of personal experiences.
- Staff at Emerson concentrate on the development of the whole person-mind, body and spirit.

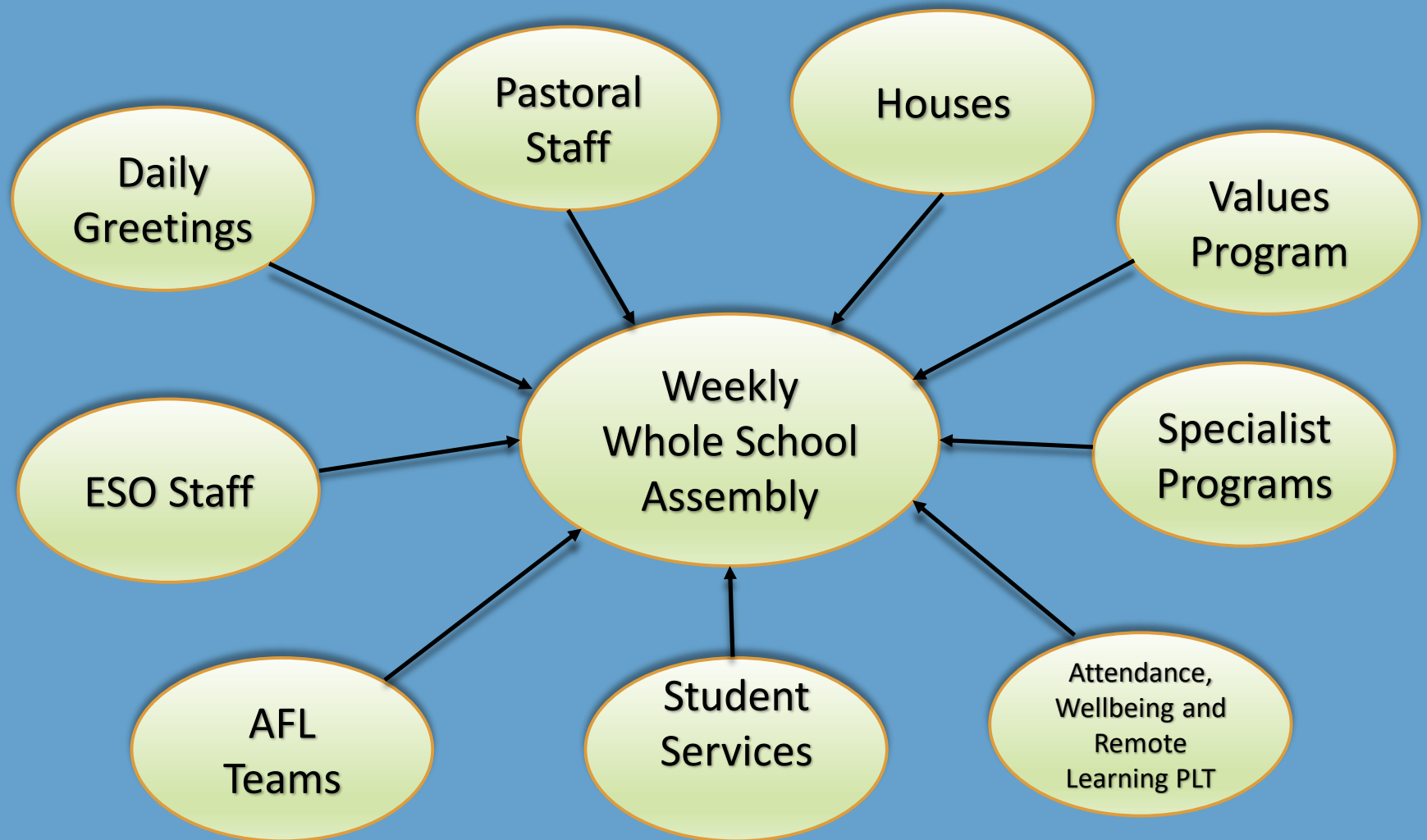
HOLISTIC EMERSON LEARNING PROGRAM (H.E.L.P.)





HOLISTIC EMERSON LEARNING MENU (HELM)

- The Organization of the Learning Menu involves 3 important components:
 - THE WHAT - Victorian Curriculum and VPC
 - THE HOW - Pastoral, Specialist and House Staff
 - THE WHY





HOUSE SYSTEM

- The House Pastoral system is based on Michael Bernard's 'You Can Do It' program. Students are involved in various activities, including values education, sports competitions, music and drama festivals.
- These activities require our students to display confidence, persistence, organisation and the ability to get along with one another (also known as the 'Four Foundations for Success').





HOUSE SYSTEM

- The houses are named after 8 famous Australians who served their country with honour and pride in various ways.
- The house names are: **Bradman**, **Cowan**, **Melba**, **Drysdale**, **Paterson**, **Rafferty**, **Dunlop**, and **Flynn**.
- Each House group consists of approximately 50 students ranging in age from 5 to 18 years and 12 staff.



HEAD OF HOUSES

Rafferty

Nathan Dennis

Bradman

Adam Shaw

Cowan

Ric Marczenko

Melba

Luke Bowen

Drysdale

Kevin Van Twest

Paterson

Jaynee Carrigg

Flynn

Lance Wright

Dunlop

Cassandra Searle



THE WHY

- So that all our students have the opportunity to unlock the potential that lies within themselves.
- We empower all our students to be independent life long learners who contribute to their communities.

KEEPING UP TO DATE



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- Check out our website www.emersonsc.vic.edu.au
- Keep up to date with what is happening around the school through our weekly school newsletter