

# Supporting our School Community

## PSA Schools Recognition week Activity Sheet

Here are some suggestions for promoting PSA Schools Recognition Week and showing your appreciation for School Support Staff and the work they do:

- Write a media release to send to the local newspaper with a photo of your SAS and other School Support Staff
- Organise a socially distanced or virtual morning tea or lunch
- Involve the P&C in the Recognition Week celebrations at your school and ask them to hold an event and/or show their support through their own publications
- List the SAS and other Support Staff by name in your newsletter, or introduce and celebrate their work at your school assembly
- Talk to students about the work of SAS Staff, GAs, Student Support Officers, School Psychologists and other Support Staff during Recognition Week
- Introduce a virtual classroom-based activity about the different jobs school support staff hold in the school
- Organise a virtual celebration and invest in online games to play as a group through Zoom
- Organise a student dress up day: dress as a General Assistant for a day and take a series of selfies
- Write an article about the work of support staff for your school newsletter
- Display the Recognition Week campaign poster in the school foyer, newsletter, your website and Facebook page
- Send your Recognition Week stories and photos to the PSA for inclusion in the PSA's Red Tape magazine. Send them to [schools@psa.asn.au](mailto:schools@psa.asn.au)
- Recognise the work of your SAS Staff on the Community Notice Board outside your school.



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