

Year 1 Information

Transition Day

Pre-primary children participated in a Transition Day on Tuesday 12th December. During this time they visited two Year One classrooms for an hour each and spent Recess and Lunch in the Junior playground area. Please note the teachers they saw on this day may not be the Year One teachers for 2024.

Ringing of the School Bell

Important for Year One is the Ringing of the Bell. This is at 2:00pm on the first day of school. Each Year One student will ring the school bell outside the junior classrooms. All are welcome to attend and take photos.

School Times

The school siren rings at 8:35 to enter classrooms.

Children are asked not to arrive at school before 8:10 each day.

There is to be no playing on any equipment before the school bell. This is for duty of care and to avoid injuries and misbehaviour. Children do not come inside the classroom areas until the siren goes.

At the end of the day the children are released at 3pm when the siren goes. Teachers do not have to wait for parents to be there before letting the children go for the day.

School Supplies

Please bring all school supplies from the provided list to school on the first day. Ensure all individual items are labelled with their name.

Most of the items are for personal use.

Into their small pencil case (used daily and kept on their desks).

2 x lead pencils

1 pack of coloured pencils

1 pack of wind ups

1 pack of textas

1 x glue, eraser, ruler, sharpener, scissors and red pencil

All remaining stationery items are to be put into a labelled zip lock bag provided by the teacher. This will be stored in the classroom for when the resources are required.

Place the remainder of the supplies as directed by the classroom teacher in the room.

Personal Use:

Library Bags

Home reader bag and Record Book

Art Shirt

Paints

Pastels

Headphones

Shared Use:

Paper
Artline Markers
Whiteboard Markers
Tissues
Sanitiser
Soap

Eating

Recess

It is up to you what you provide your child for recess. Let them know what is for recess, what is for lunch and what is for Crunch'n'Sip. At recess, the children sit down to eat their food and once finished, they put their lunchbox away and go and play. They do not have to sit for a certain time and no food is shared. The children are allowed to go to the canteen to purchase food if they have money.

Lunch

Lunch eating time is 12:20-12:35.

During this time the children sit and eat lunch outside the Junior classrooms. They remain seated for the 15 minutes. Once the siren rings, the teacher on duty will let the children go.

Children can go to the canteen after the eating siren rings if they want to.

Crunch'n'Sip

This is mid-afternoon, during 1:00-3:00 (normally around 2:00pm). It is up to the classroom teacher and class scheduling when this will occur.

The First Few Days

Wide brimmed hats are compulsory for play times. Please label them. Bring drink bottles in.

Once all of their resources are unpacked, please say goodbye and leave the children to do the activity set out by the teacher.

Classroom programs such as home reading and news will commence in the first few weeks of term.

The classroom teacher will provide parents with class specific information in the form of a newsletter or parent information session in the first weeks of school.