



# Kindergarten Information

## 2023



To all our Kindergarten families,

Welcome to Kindergarten at Hassall Grove Public School. We wish you and your child a happy and rewarding first year at school.

### **Kindergarten Classes & Staff**

We have four Kindergarten classes for 2023:

KA (Ants)- Mrs Anamourlis (Stage Supervisor) (Tues, Thurs, Fri) & Mrs Bartuccio (Mon, Wed)

KD (Ducklings) - Miss Dive

KG (Galahs)- Miss Gorman

KO (Owls)- Miss Oreo (Mon, Tues, Wed) & Mrs Larkin (Thurs, Fri)

RFF- Mrs Matheson, Mrs Kaur

### **Communication**

If at any time you are unsure about something please don't hesitate to ask. Any questions or queries can be sent via the school email [hassallgro-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:hassallgro-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au). If you would like to speak with your child's teacher please contact the office to make an appointment. Teachers will aim to return calls outside teaching hours (before 9am or after 3pm). School notes will be sent via email. Our school website is regularly updated with school events and our school Facebook page is a great way to see what is happening. Any changes to addresses, telephone numbers and/ or emergency contacts are to be updated with the front office.

### **Health Care Plans**

Please assist us in keeping our records up to date by ensuring we have the most recent medical plans for students who are anaphylactic, severe asthmatics or epileptic. Many plans are to be reviewed every 12 months.

### **School Uniform**

It has been wonderful to see all our students looking fabulous in their school uniforms. Hats are essential for recess, lunch and sport sessions. If you require extra uniform items the uniform shop is open by appointment only. Please contact them at [hassallgroveuniformshop@gmail.com](mailto:hassallgroveuniformshop@gmail.com).

## **School Attendance**

Students should be at school everyday to maximise their learning. All students are expected to arrive between 8:30am and 8.55am and join their class lines when the music starts. If your child is absent from school, you must provide a written note explaining the reason for the absence within seven days. This is a legal requirement. A handwritten note or doctor's certificate is acceptable. Students that are away for more than three days require a medical certificate.

## **Sport**

Kindergarten Sport Day is Wednesday. Please ensure your child wears their sport uniform and bring a hat.

## **Library**

Each class has a weekly library lesson where they can borrow a book if they have a library bag. Please read this book to your child at home. The book needs to be returned the following week on your child's library day. Please encourage your child to borrow each week.

Class Library Days-

<b>KA</b>	<b>KD</b>	<b>KF</b>	<b>KG</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Friday</b>

## **Resources**

A big thank you to those families who have already sent in their classroom resources. If you have lost your list, a copy is available on the school website. A quick reminder that Kindergarten students do not need to bring in pencil cases as the school supplies most stationery items (eg- pencils, scissors, etc).

## **Birthday**

We look forward to celebrating your child's birthday with them. If you would like to send a special treat for your child to share with their friends at school on their special day, we ask that this be in the form of cupcakes, donuts, or lolly bags rather than a whole cake.

We look forward to a happy and rewarding first year of school together!

Kind Regards,

The 2023 Kindergarten Team.