

ENGADINE WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Welcome to Kindergarten

Dear parents/carers

We are pleased to have the opportunity of teaching your child in 2018 and look forward to developing a strong partnership with you throughout the year.

The Kindergarten teachers for 2018 are: Mrs Duncum (KD), Miss Irwin (KT), Miss McPherson (KM), Mrs Scott (KJ), and Mrs Sterling – Early Stage One Relieving Assistant Principal (KS).

If you have any concerns about the education of your child, please do not hesitate to inform us immediately. We are the people who are most capable of dealing with your concerns and would welcome any enquiries. However, it is school policy to arrange a time that is convenient to both you and the classroom teacher.

Dates for the Diary

Please refer to the School Website: www.engadinew-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/ for all the latest information, photos and dates. The school newsletter is put on the website every Thursday. You can also follow the school on Facebook at our official page, and can receive notifications through the skoolbag app (search the app store for Engadine West Public School).

Equipment

The following equipment is considered essential for learning in the classroom. Please ensure your child has these items and they are labelled with their name:

Eraser (soft white)

Scissors

Pencil sharpener 3 x glue sticks

2 x HB pencils

2 x highlighters

Small pencil case

Library bag

Home reading pouch

Antibacterial soap/sanitiser

Roll of paper towel

1 x box tissues

Coloured pencils/wind up crayons

Headphones – labelled Textas - Year 2 only

Parent Information Night

The parent information night is a great opportunity for parents to meet the teacher and hear more detail about what is happening in each class in 2018.

All **Kindergarten** parent information sessions will be held on **Tuesday 13 February 2018 from 5pm-6pm**, in classrooms.

Parent Helpers

If you can afford the time please fill out the form below and return it to your child's teacher as soon as possible. Once the children are settled the teachers will notify you when parent assistance will begin for their class. By law all helpers in the school must have a *voluntary working with children check number* if assisting in any capacity at the school. The office will need to collect this number from you before you begin. You can obtain a voluntary number from the RTA or online at:

https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-working-children-check

We look forward to a very successful year during which parents and teachers work as partners towards the achievement of high quality education for all children at Engadine West Public School.

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Kind Regards

Maree Sterling
Relieving Assistant Principal

Please return to your child's class teacher asap

Parent Helpers Kindergarten

Child's name: _______ Class ______

I will be able to help at school:

Day/days: _______ Time: _______

Parent name: ______ Phone: _______

Voluntary working with children check number: ______