

# FLOREAT PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Courtesy, Consideration and Cooperation

## **Important Information**

## The Kindergarten Program

Kindergarten starts with a full day program. If you would like your child to transition into kindergarten with half days for a short period of time, please let your child's teacher know and make arrangements for your child to be collected from school at 12:00am. Otherwise we will expect them to stay for the full day program.

At the beginning of each day, please stay and play at a tabletop activity, complete a puzzle or read a book with your child until the morning bell is rung at 9:10am. Say goodbye to your child confidently and happily and then leave. If there is any separation anxiety, our staff are very adept at managing this. If your child is upset and unable to be settled we will telephone you.

The school day finishes at 3:00pm. Please come to the classroom to collect your child. If someone other than their parent is collecting your child please write a note in our parent communication book so that we know. We do not allow children to go home with other people unless we have been informed by you.

#### **Daily Requirements**

- Please provide your child with a carry bag with hat, water bottle, container with fruit for morning snack, lunchbox, container with afternoon brain food, complete set of spare clothes, and library bag with waterproof lining.
- Children must have a broad brim hat at school every day for outside play.
- All children's belongings, clothing and footwear need to be clearly labelled each term.
- To ensure the safety and wellbeing of all our kindergarten children, they will only eat what their parents have prepared for them each day. We do not share food. Floreat Kindergarten is an Allergy Aware School. We would appreciate children eating food with nuts at home and NOT at school. Please do not pack food with nuts in lunchboxes.
- We expect most students to be toilet trained, but accidents do happen, so please put a change of clothing in your child's bag, and make us aware of any considerations in this area.



#### **Birthday Celebrations**

Our birthday celebrations for each child will be in the form of music, games and special privileges (nonfood treats). This is in line with Anaphylaxis Australia recommendations.

Parents please bring an updated Action Plan for Anaphylaxis / Asthma for your child, on orientation day if applicable, and discuss with your child's teacher. <u>www.allergyfacts.org.au</u>

# Floreat Park Primary School Kindergarten T-shirts

Parents will be given the opportunity to order colourful "Floreat Kindy" tshirts. Information is enclosed about these.

Parents wishing to discuss their child's development are welcome to make an appointment for a parent teacher interview.

## **School Communication**

The school uses a number of forms of communication, including school newsletters, which are available to read on our school website (<u>http://www.floreatparkps.wa.edu.au/news/school-newsletters-3/</u>) and a phone app called FlexiBuzz to send out important messages. We ask all parents to please download this app so you can receive important correspondence from the school. Please see the flyer below to see how to download this app. Once downloaded, you will need to subscribe to your child's class boxes.

