



HOWRAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Launching into Learning – Term 2 2021

Welcome to our Birth to 5 program at Howrah Primary School. This is an opportunity for young children to begin to develop their confidence and curiosity as learners prior to commencing full-time school. We hope that this is the beginning of a long and positive relationship between your family and our school, where we all work together to ensure that your child has the best possible start to life!

Who does the program cater for?

All children aged from birth to 5.

Purpose

- to provide an opportunity for your family to make a connection with our school, other families and our local community
- to provide a learning environment for your child to explore, where dispositions such as creativity, curiosity, wonder and discovery are encouraged
- to provide a learning program that focuses on the development of early literacy, numeracy and communication skills.

Teacher



Anita Tujula

When

Little Learners - Monday mornings from 9:15am-10:35am

Little Explorers - Thursday afternoons from 1:30pm-2:45pm

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Term 2

Term 2 **Little Learners**

Week 1 No Session

Week 2 26 April- The Hungry Caterpillar
Themed activities linked to this favourite story.

Week 3 3 May - Mother's Day Craft
Make something special for Mum or Grandma

Week 4 10 May - Shapes
Let's make and explore shapes

Week 5 17 May – Farm Animals

Week 6 24 May – Rock n Rhyme
Library outreach worker (Anna-Maree) visit

Week 7 31 May – Rosny Library (9:30-10:30am)
Excursion to Rosny Library (please note slight change to time)

Week 8 7 June – Things that Roll
Exploring movement

Week 9 14 June – No LiL – Public Holiday

Week 10 21 June – Winter Exploration
Winter themed activities

Week 11 28 June – Print Making and Stamping



Term 2 Little Explorers

Week 1 22 April – Nature Play

Howrah Primary Sand Pit and trees. Sensory exploration outdoors. The bush comes alive through smell and touch.

Week 2 29 April – Howrah Kinder

Outdoor Obstacle Course.

Week 3 6 May – Nature Play (near Wentworth Park)

We'll get dirty creating marks with nature, make natural paint brushes and make our own natural paints.

Week 4 13 May – Howrah Kinder: Shapes

Let's make different shapes with our bodies and explore shapes in our playground.

Week 5 20 May – Nature Play (near Wentworth Park)

Climb and balance through nature's own obstacle course.

Week 6 27 May – Howrah Kinder

Treasure hunt.

Week 7 3 June – Nature Play (near Wentworth Park)

Cubby and bridge building

Week 8 10 June – Howrah Kinder: Wheels Walk

Walk/ride/scoot along the bike path together. Treasure hunt/stamps along the way.

Week 9 17 June – Clarence Gymnastics (1:30-2:30pm)

Kinder Gym (please note slight time change)

Week 10 24 June – Howrah Kinder

Let's move to music! Music, songs and games to get us moving!

Week 11 1 July – Nature Play (near Wentworth Park)

Magic Tree visit. We'll make fairy and gnome gardens outdoors.

What is Little Explorers: A movement based session which may include movement games, obstacle courses, song, dance, local excursions and nature based exploration and play.

What to bring: water bottle, layers of clothing.

What to wear: movement friendly clothing, closed footwear. Weather appropriate clothing. This may include: gumboots, rain jacket, beanie, gloves. Bring warm layers.

Think clothing you can crawl in, climb in and get dirty in. For **you** and your **child**.

We'll meet at Howrah Kindergarten at 1:25pm for sign in, for a 1:30pm start. Some weeks we will be walking to our Nature Play site.