



# HOWRAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Launching into Learning – Term 4 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.

### Launching into Learning Team



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### When

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

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

Welcome to  
Launching into Learning at Howrah Primary  
Term 4

Term 4 **Little Learners**

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Week 1 11 October – Spring Celebration

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Week 2 18 October – Stars and Space  
We will blast off to explore the vast sky above.

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Week 3 25 October – Nature Play  
Experience Nature Play at Wentworth Park.

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Week 4 1 November – Community Connections  
Police visit – Dress in blue.

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Week 5 8 November – Dinosaurs  
Explore and play in the world of dinosaurs.

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Week 6 15 November – Fantasy and Fairytales  
Fairytale themed activities.

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Week 7 22 November - Bubbles  
Make, explore and play with bubbles.

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Week 8 29 November - Christmas  
Christmas Craft.

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Week 9 6 December - Excursion  
Botanical Gardens Picnic.

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Week 10 No LiL

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## Term 4 **Little Explorers**

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### Week 1 14 October – Nature Play

Bush Music, making rhythms, sounds and song with nature.

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### Week 2 Show Day Public Holiday

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### Week 3 28 October - Excursion

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### Week 4 4 November – Fine Motor Focus

Activities to help develop the small muscles that control the hand, fingers and thumb.

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### Week 5 11 November – Nature Play

Nature Crowns and Bush Cubbies.

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### Week 6 18 November – Fantasy and Fairytales

Fairytale themed activities.

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### Week 7 25 November – Sea Country

Exploring connections to our ocean environment.

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### Week 8 2 December - Christmas

Christmas Craft.

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### Week 9 9 December – Bush Christmas

Bush Christmas activities.

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### Week 10 No LiL

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**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.