



HOWRAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Launching into Learning – Term 3 2022

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



Amanda Hopwood

When

Monday morning from: 9:15am-10:15am; and

10:30am-11:30am

Friday afternoons from 1:35pm-2:45pm

COVID-19 Safety Practices

We request that parents/carers adhere to the following COVID-19 safety practices:

- frequent handwashing and hand sanitising
- physical distance of 1.5 metres between adults
- wearing a mask inside is encouraged.

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Week 1

Monday 25 July – No LiL.

Friday 29 July – Farmyard Animals

Hands on farm animal activities to explore and learn about animals in our world.

Week 2

Monday 1 August – Puppet Play

Make, play and imagine. Bring an old sock to turn into your new puppet friend.

Friday 5 August – Wentworth Park Nature Art

Meet at Kinder to walk together down to Wentworth Park, for some Nature Art.

Week 3

Monday 8 August – Multicultural Week

We will celebrate the many different cultures that make up our wonderful LiL community.

Friday 12 August – Multicultural Week

Let's learn how to say hello, goodbye and I love you in different languages, and sing songs from different countries.

Week 4

Monday 15 August – National Science Week

Get curious, experiment, explore with us for Science Week.

Friday 19 August – National Science Week

More science fun.

Week 5

Monday 22 August – Book Week

What is your favourite book to read together right now? We'll share some of our favourites.

Friday 26 August – Celebrating Stories

We will recreate and retell some story favourites together.

Week 6

Monday 29 August – Father's Day

Celebrate and think about our Dad's, Grandad's and make something for Father's Day

Friday 2 September – Father's Day

Make something special for the Dads and Grandads, or your special someone.

Week 7

Monday 5 September – Mud kitchens and potions

Mix, make, paint with, bake with mud. (Be ready to get dirty).

Friday 9 September – Number Focus

Join us for activities, songs and games that develop our understanding of number.

Week 8 Monday 12 September – Spring Excursion

Let's explore the changes that come with a change of season. We will visit and explore the Botanical Gardens together and have a little picnic. Note time change: session runs 9:30-10:30am at The Botanical Gardens. More details to follow.

Friday 16 September – Musical Bodies

Let's warm and move our bodies to music. Music games, movement, songs and dance. We might even share a Hot Chocolate. 😊

Week 9 Monday 19 September – Box Work

Little builders, make and create with boxes.

Friday 23 September – Excursion- Little Wrigglers

Come climb, swing, hang jump and explore with us at Clarence Gymnastics Centre.

Week 10 Monday 26 September – Wentworth Park- Ride and play

Join us for a play, ride and a sausage for morning tea.

Friday 30 September – Wentworth Park- Nature Play

Nature obstacle course. Balance, crawl and climb in our bush Nature Play area together.

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**.



Booking your LiL Session

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, numbers attending Launching into Learning must be restricted on a first in best dressed basis. To book a spot you need to go to:

[Launching into Learning Booking Site](#) and enter your details. The booking site will open for bookings at:

1. 10:35am on the Monday prior to the Monday sessions, closing at 3:00pm on the Friday prior.
2. 3:00pm on the Friday prior to the Friday sessions, closing at 3:00pm on the Wednesday prior.