



HOWRAH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Launching into Learning – Term 4 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



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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 17 October – Dinosaurs

Explore all things dinosaur. Dinosaur themed activities for our little reptile enthusiasts.

Friday 21 October – No LiL.

Week 2 Monday 24 October – Teddy Bears Picnic at Kinder

Bring a Teddy or soft toy for some Teddy themed games, songs and a little picnic in our Kinder yard (some healthy picnic food will be provided).

Friday 28 October – Grandparents Day

Bring your Grandparent (or a special friend) to see what we do at LiL, and we will share afternoon tea with them.

Week 3 Monday 31 October – Grandparents Day

Bring your Grandparent (or a special friend) to see what we do at LiL. We will finish with a morning tea to celebrate our Grandparents.

Friday 4 November – Nature Play

We will walk to visit our Nature Play space at Wentworth Park and do a Nature Obstacle Course.

Week 4 Monday 7 November – Fine Motor Focus Day

Join us for fun activities to develop our fine motor skills.

Friday 11 November – Origami Day

Celebrating National Origami Day with some simple paper folding and fine motor activities.

Week 5 Monday 14 November – Howrah Beach Nature Play

Join us for a walking excursion to Howrah Beach. We'll make our own stick boats and watch them float at the beach (plus a bit of sand and water play).

Friday 18 November – Nursery Rhymes Focus

We will recreate and retell some story favourites together.

Week 6 Monday 21 November – Sensory Play Day

Be ready to touch, smell, make and move. And explore our world through our senses with some fun sensory activities.

Friday 25 November – Dear Zoo

We will read this favourite by Rod Campbell and explore some interesting Zoo animals.

Week 7 Monday 28 November – Botanical Gardens

Join us for an excursion to the beautiful Botanical Gardens. Bus leaving school at 9.15am and returning to school by 11.00am.

Friday 2 December – Number Focus

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

Week 8 Monday 5 December – Christmas Craft

We will make our own Christmas Cards and wrapping paper ready for your special people this Christmas.

Friday 9 December – Christmas Craft

We will make our own Christmas Cards and wrapping paper ready for your special people this Christmas.

Week 9 Monday 12 December – End of Year Picnic

Join us for an end of year picnic to celebrate the year with our friends and LiL community. (Location to be confirmed).

Friday 16 December – End of Year Picnic

Join us for an end of year picnic to celebrate the year with our friends and LiL community. (Location to be confirmed).

Week 10 No LiL this week.

Have a wonderful Christmas and New Year with your family! We look forward to seeing you in 2023.

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, sun hat.

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

