



Barellan Central School

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Kindergarten 2023 Transition

Starting school is a big milestone for children and their families. The transition between learning environments can be both challenging and exciting. Transition to school spans from when children start to get ready for school until they have fully settled into school. The evidence consistently suggests that a successful transition to school acts as a significant lever for improving children's educational, social and emotional outcomes.

Transition for students starting Kindergarten in 2023 will follow the schedule as below:

Term 3:

- Thursday 1st September – Mrs Flagg to visit Barellan Pre-school to meet students and talk to pre-school staff.
- Wednesday 7th September – Thursday 8th September – parent and student interviews with Mrs Flagg (*made by appointment at a negotiated time).
- **** Please contact Mrs Flagg at Barellan Central School on 69639202 to arrange an appointment.***
- Tuesday 13th September – school visit 9.00am to 11.00am
- Tuesday 20th September – school visit 9.00am to 1.00pm

Term 4

- Tuesday 11th October - school visit 9.00 to 3.00pm
- Tuesday 18th October - school visit 9.00 to 3.00pm
- Tuesday 25th October - school visit 9.00 to 3.00pm
- Tuesday 1st November - school visit 9.00 to 3.00pm

In the afternoon session on the 1st November, the children will join in our annual Glitter ball with K/1/2, which will be a lot of fun and create great memories of their school experience. Students will come to school on this day dressed in a costume with a glitter theme. More details will follow closer to the date.

Miss Teagan McKinlay is currently our K/1/2 teacher, and will be assisting with the transition program, providing her expertise in the infant's space to successfully introduce the children to daily routines of school life!

Enrolment packs will be handed out at the initial meeting and can be returned to the school office at your earliest convenience.

Mrs Leah Irons will be available on Tuesday 13th September @ 11am to discuss uniforms.

We are looking forward to welcoming you and your children to the Barellan Central School community.

Mrs Susan Flagg
(Assistant Principal)