

Kingsley Park Primary School

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SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - THURSDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2025

Tuesday 11th November 2025 is Remembrance Day

- a day for us to remember those who have served, died or suffered in all wars and peacekeeping operations.

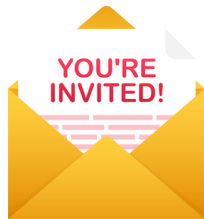
Please join us for our Remembrance Day Service from 11:20am at the front of the school.

Our annual observance also acknowledges the service of Australian Defence Force members on active deployment.

Remembrance Day marks the date in 1918 when the First World War came to an end.

It is officially observed at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month. To mark Remembrance Day, all are encouraged to pause at 11 am on Tuesday 11th November 2025 for a minute's silence, to remember people's service and sacrifice.

Poppy badges are on sale at the office now. Prices range between \$1-\$5.



Come and see some of your child's work and hear about their learning goals.

**Open classrooms
Friday 5th
December
from 2.30pm.**

Breakfast

Breakfast is your child's fuel for learning along with a good night of sleep.



There is only 35 days of school left this term, lets make every minute of every day count!

What sort of start is your child getting?

Just a little bit late doesn't seem much but.....

He/She is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is.....	and over 13 years of schooling that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly <u>Half a year</u>
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 mins per week	Over 2.5 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 year</u>
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 and a Half years</u>
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 Weeks per year	Over <u>2 and a Half years</u>

Did you know your child's best learning time is the start of the school day?

That's when every minute counts the most!!

EVERY DAY COUNTS!

KINGSLEY PARK PS

ART
Show

FEATURING

GRADE 5/6 PORTRAITS + STILL LIFE ARTWORKS
GRADE 3/4 PORTRAITS + LANDSCAPE ARTWORKS

AND...A PREP AND JUNIOR GLOW ROOM

3:30-4:30 PM WED 5 NOV.2025
3:30-4:30PM THURS 6.NOV.2025
9:45-10:15AM FRI 7.NOV.2025
IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM + BER

ART SHOW 2025

Mrs Charlton has arranged a fabulous art show showcasing works created by all students (P-6). The art will be displayed in the Community Room and also the BER Building. Families and friends are welcome to drop in to view the art during the following times;

Weds 5th November (Fabulous success by all who visited!)

Thursday 6th November (3:30 - 4:30pm)

Friday 7th November (9:45 - 10:15am)

Save the date that suits you best and pop in to see the amazing art work creations of our

[#kingsleykids](https://www.instagram.com/kingsleykids)

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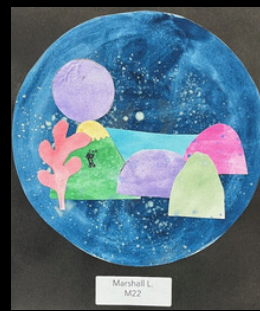
THE PREPS + JUNIORS PROUDLY PRESENT THE

'UNDER THE SEA' GLOW ROOM
COMMUNITY ROOM

SENIORS + MIDDLES PROUDLY PRESENT

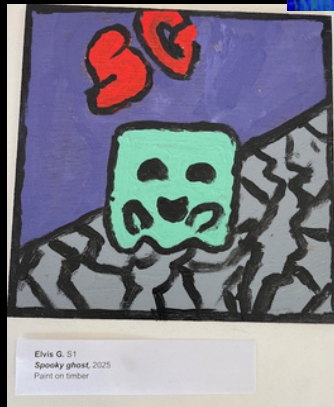
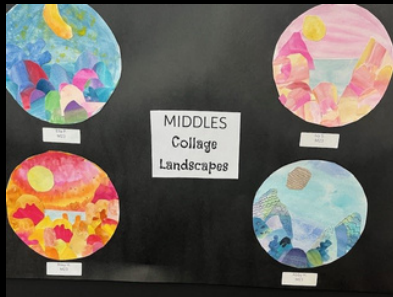
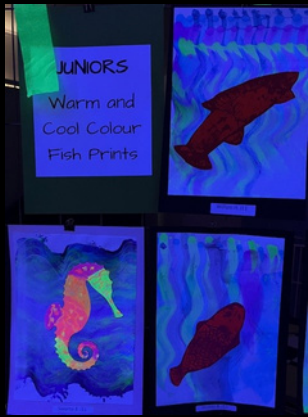
PORTRAITS OF US
GRADE 2 END OF BER

ART SHOW 2025



A snapshot of some of our fabulous Kingsley Kid talent - please visit the Art Show this week!

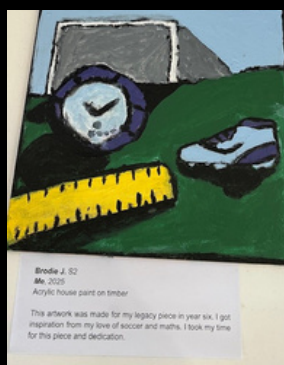
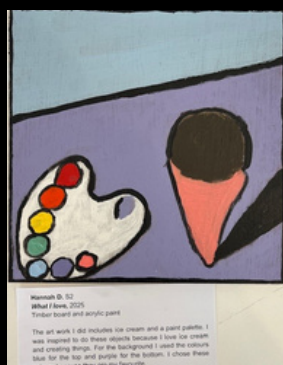
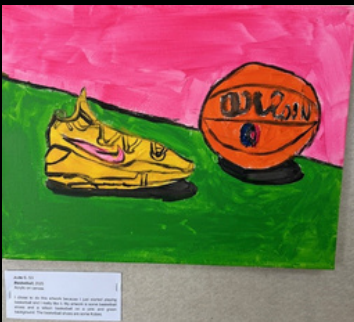


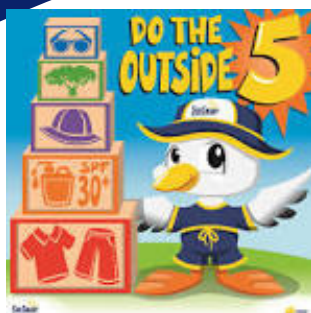


ART
SHOW

2025

NOW
OPEN





**Term 4 Curriculum Days
(Remaining)**

Friday 19th December

Thursday 18th December will be the final day of school for 2025.
Children will be dismissed at 2:30pm

FRIDAY CONNECTIONS & ASSEMBLIES

Friday 7th Nov - Whole School Assembly

Friday 14th Nov - Friday Kids Connections (No assembly)

Friday 21 Nov - Module assemblies

Friday 28th Nov - Whole School Assembly

Friday 5th Dec - Open afternoon for parents to come into classrooms to view student work and learning goals from 2.30pm.

Friday 12th Dec - Module assemblies

Wednesday 17th Dec

Final assembly for the year and Christmas sing-along starting at 2.15pm

November December

Tuesday 2nd December

Prep 2026 Transition 9.00-10.30

Friday 5th December

Open afternoon for parents to come into classrooms to view student work and learning goals from 2.30pm.

Tuesday 9th December

Statewide Transition Day
(Year 6 students to secondary schools)
Prep 2026 & Whole School Transition
9.00-10.30

Thursday 11th December

Big Goose Excursion (Preps)

Friday 12th December

Year 6 Market Day
Module Assemblies

Monday 15th December

Year 6 Activity Day

Tuesday 16th December

Year 6 Graduation Lunch & evening
(more details to follow)

Wednesday 17th December

Final Assembly for 2025
Year 6 Farewell
Christmas Sing-a-long



Thursday 18th December
Last day of school for 2025
Early dismissal 2:30pm



**2026 is
approaching
fast!**

Time to Plan Ahead! I respect that it is scary to think about 2026, but we are beginning to look at our enrolment numbers, staffing and whole school structure.

If you have any intentions to unfortunately leave KPPS and not be with us in 2026, please let the school office know ASAP. Your decision does not need to be confirmed and does not mean your child loses their spot if you change your mind but giving us a heads up is very helpful.

This information is vital for the school to budget and plan for staffing in 2026. We do not want any children to be stuck in classes that are too big or only have a few kids, but this relies on us knowing who will be here. If you suspect you may be moving house or school, please communicate this to the school office as soon as possible.

Thursday 6th November

Mad About Science (Incursion - Year 1)

Friday 7th November

Whole School Assembly
Mad About Science (Incursion - Year 2)

Monday 10th November

Police Proactive Unit (Seniors Incursion)

Tuesday 11th November

Prep 2026 Transition 9.00-10.30

Friday 14th November

Friday Connect Program

Tuesday 18th November

Prep 2026 Transition 9.00-10.30

Wednesday 19th November

Frankston Youth Services (Year 6)

Friday 21st November

Module Assemblies

November 24th to 26th

Year 4 Portsea Camp

Tuesday 25th November

Prep 2026 Transition 9.00-10.30

Wednesday 26th November

RSPCA (Prep Incursion)
Children's University Graduation Night
at Swinburne University

Friday 28th November

Whole School Assembly



VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

**20
26**

Information regarding the 2026 Voluntary Contribution was distributed via Sentral last week. These contributions help fulfil the standard curriculum requirements and, through ongoing financial support, allow us to further enhance learning opportunities beyond the mandated curriculum. If you wish to make a contribution, EFT payments are available at the school office, alternatively, payments can be made anytime conveniently via the QKR App.

A payment plan arrangement can also be put in place should a family wish to make a contribution this way.

Any queries can be discussed with our Business Manager, Janine Coe.

Janine is available by phone on 97890077 or email to

janine.coe@education.vic.gov.au

Early payments are gratefully accepted.



SPORTING SENIORS



GEMMA - MY HIGHLIGHT FROM DIVISION SOFTBALL WAS WHEN I CAUGHT A LONG BALL ON SECOND BASE AND GOT SOMEONE OUT.



DIVISION SOFTBALL

WELL DONE TO OUR DIVISION SOFTBALL PLAYERS WHO ALL PROUDLY REPRESENTED OUR SCHOOL WITH TEAMWORK, DETERMINATION AND SPORTSMANSHIP. THE TEAM FINISHED 3RD OVERALL WITH TWO CLOSE LOSSES AND A WIN.



KAYLEE - MY HIGHLIGHT FROM DIVISION SOFTBALL WAS IN THE SECOND GAME WHEN I GOT HOME IN NEARLY EVERY INNINGS AND I DID MY BEST HITS.



DULCIE - MY HIGHLIGHT FROM DIVISION SOFTBALL WAS TRYING AND HAVING FUN. IT WAS AN AMAZING EXPERIENCE THAT WAS A BLAST!



DIVISION VOLLEYBALL

WELL DONE TO OUR DIVISION VOLLEYBALL PLAYERS WHO ALL PROUDLY REPRESENTED OUR SCHOOL WITH BIG SMILES AND A "HAVE A GO" ATTITUDE. DESPITE THEIR LOSSES, THE TEAM TRIED THEIR BEST AND CAME BACK SMILING FROM THEIR DAY. WE'RE SO PROUD OF OUR KINGSLEY KIDS!



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR SENIOR STUDENTS WHO REPRESENTED KINGSLEY PARK AT REGIONAL ATHLETICS. HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR VERY OWN HARVEY HOUSE CAPTAIN, ZARA, WHO CAME 2ND IN HIGH JUMP AND IS OFF TO COMPETE AT STATE LEVEL! GOOD LUCK ZARA!

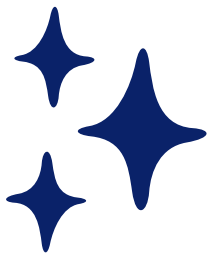


SPORTING SENIORS

OPAL LITTLE SAINTS CUP

ON FRIDAY 24TH OCTOBER, YEAR 5 & 6 GIRLS ATTENDED THE OPAL LITTLE SAINTS CUP. THIS IS AN INITIATIVE RUN BY ST KILDA AFLW TO SUPPORT GIRLS HAVING OPPORTUNITIES TO PLAY FOOTY IN A FUN AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT. TWO KINGSLEY TEAMS EACH PLAYED 8 GAMES ACROSS THE DAY. 3 OF OUR GIRLS WERE LUCKY ENOUGH TO WIN SIGNED ST KILDA AFLW JERSEYS! THERE WERE SOME AMAZING PLAYS ON THE DAY, LOTS OF FANTASTIC TACKLES AND HEAPS OF LAUGHS! WE EVEN HAD CARTWHEELS, DANCING AND THE WORM! A HIGHLIGHT WAS MR KENNY'S CARTWHEELS WHENEVER WE WON A GAME! THE GIRLS ALL SHOWED AMAZING DETERMINATION, RESILIENCE, AND TERRIFIC SPORTSPERSONSHIP, WE COULDN'T BE MORE PROUD OF OUR SUPER SENIORS!





STUDENT AWARDS

WEEK 3 – TERM 4

**Logan H (P16)**

For striving to be the best writer you can be by listening for the sounds and not giving up on tricky words. I'm so proud of you!

Keo M (P17)

For his great start at Kingsley Park! It has been fantastic to see how well you have settled in and I loved watching your dance moves at Pevan and Sarah!

Crystal T (P18)

For being a resilient Kingsley Kid and bouncing back from challenges with a positive and reflective attitude.

Curtis D (J8)

For showing active listening, great concentration, and fantastic improvement in handwriting—well done! Your effort and focus are really shining through.

Acey ST (J9)

For coming to school with a big smile and a readiness to learn. You are a thoughtful and kind member of J9 and we are lucky to have you!

Fletcher B (J10)

For working hard at your phonics and reading. You deserve the progress you have made. Well done.

Ariki M (J11)

For settling into J11 fabulously and displaying an excellent attitude towards his classmates, teachers and learning.

Zoe G (J12)

For striving to do her best work in creating 'Sizzling Starts' for a Narrative. Well done Superstar!

Wyatt P (J13)

For being an awesome Kingsley Kid this week! You have shown great listening skills and given your best effort in all tasks. Well done!

Charlie M (M5)

For trying extra hard with showing fractions on a numberline and being super proud when she could do it.

Mina C (M6)

For going out of her way to make her friend feel better and have a great day at school. Well done!

Maddie S (M20)

For showing fantastic improvement in focus during our mini lessons, especially when learning fractions. Well done, Maddie, I'm super proud of you!

Issy B (M22)

For her creativity and imaginative flare in crafting her choose your own adventure story. Well done Issy!

Cooper P (M23)

For making a fantastic effort this week to begin tasks independently and stay focused. You've shown determination and produced wonderful work. I'm so proud of your efforts, Cooper!

Alex C (S2)

For always putting 100% into your learning. You never back away from a challenge and are so dedicated to always doing your best. Keep up the great work Alex.

Xavier N (S3)

For working hard during our reading sessions. You are doing a great job taking notes and summarising your reading. Well done!

Kassidy Mc (S4)

For consistently showing respectful listening, looking after our classroom art resources and focussing carefully with the detail in her art works including stylised drawings, paintings and collage. Awesome Kassidy!

Specialist Awards - Week 3

Performing Arts - Michaela C (M6)

For working hard to learn all the movements for the Thriller dance.

Performing Arts - Talulah B (M6)

For working hard to learn all the movements for the Thriller dance.

Performing Arts - April C (S3)

For performing her Step movements with confidence and great timing.

Visual Arts - Ilah-Rose K (J8)

For making a positive start to Term 4 in the art room by being a focused and curious learner.

STEM - Billie J (J12)

For your great work in STEM deciding whether an object had a slide, roll or bounce movement. You're a superstar!

RITCHIES IGA + LIQUOR 

NOMINATE US TODAY

AS PART OF THE RITCHIES COMMUNITY BENEFIT PROGRAM

and help us generate extra funds.

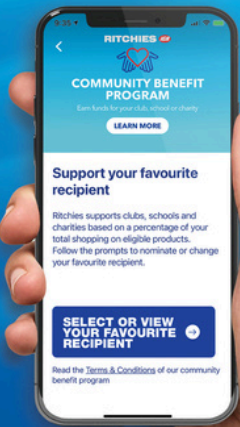
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FRANKSTON YCW JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

SEEKING PLAYERS FOR 2026

UNDER 8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16 BOYS
UNDER 8,10,12,16,18 GIRLS



SCAN QR CODE AND FOLLOW FACEBOOK PAGE FOR REGISTRATION DATES




BRUCE PARK NETBALL CLUB

SPRING SEASON REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

OCT 11 - DEC 13

NETTAS - OPEN DIVISION

ALL BOYS & GIRLS WELCOME

& ANY SKILL LEVEL

GAMES ON SATURDAYS AT

JUBILEE PARK

 [bruceparknetballclub](https://www.instagram.com/bruceparknetballclub)



Music Bus lessons at Kingsley Park PS



The Music Bus has opened their term 4 enrolments and are inviting new students to apply. Classes offered are:

- Keyboard (Prep-y6)
- Ukulele (Prep-y6)
- Drums (y1-y6)
- Guitar (Y2-y6)
- Singing (Prep -y6)

Lessons are:

- * 30 minute duration - once per week
- * held in the hi tech music classroom on wheels on our site
- * cost \$22 per week (\$24 drums) payable by the term on commencement.

If you wish to take part please complete this expression of interest form.

[Click here to register your interest!](#)

**SEAFORD & SURROUNDS TERM 4
AUSKICK & SUPERKICK** **AFL PLAY**

An intro to Australian Football and invaluable life skills. With game-based activities kids love!

nab AFL Auskick
4 - 6 year olds

ALL GIRLS GROUPS AVAILABLE

We want girls to feel comfortable and safe playing Auskick & Superkick! All-Girls options are available!

NAB AFL Superkick is a modified version of AFL that focuses on skill development for 7 to 12-year-olds.

AFL Superkick
7-12 year olds

MONDAYS 4:30pm-5:30pm

KANANOOK RESERVE STARTING NOV 10TH

VISIT PLAY.AFL

Auskick Group (4-6 years old): [CLICK HERE](#)

Superkick Group (7-12 years old): [CLICK HERE](#)

GET ACTIVE VICTORIA

Get Active Victoria is home to the Get Active Kids Voucher Program, which is helping families afford the cost of organised sport and recreation for their kids. You don't need to join Get Active Victoria to apply for a voucher, but there are eligibility requirements. Find out more about how and when to apply for a voucher.

Round 9 of this program opens at 10am on Wednesday 15th October 2025

<https://www.getactive.vic.gov.au/vouchers/>

<https://www.getactive.vic.gov.au/vouchers/apply-for-vouchers/>

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Everyone has the right to be safe and be protected from abuse. No one should behave in a way that makes you feel unsafe or afraid, including anyone in your family, anyone at school or anywhere else in the community. Tell a teacher or any adult at your school if you feel unsafe.



It's everyone's responsibility. Adults at school must listen and respond to concerns about child abuse. If you suspect abuse of any child or young person, you have a responsibility to report it, even if you are not sure.

Further information & resources
www.education.vic.gov.au/protect



The Show
THE WAIT IS OVER!

Don't miss out your favourite characters on stage with the original production! Broadway's monster smash-hit production **SHREK THE MUSICAL** is headed to Australia in January 2026.

Based on the The Academy Award-winning animated film Shrek, the hilarious story of everyone's favourite ogre will be brought to life on stage at Arts Centre Melbourne, Frankston Arts Centre, Bendigo Liblanka Theatre and Sydney Galleries Theatre. This laugh-out-loud musical is part romance, part fairy tale and all-in-all a fun that brings all the beloved characters you know from the film to life on stage and proves there's more to the story than meets the eye.

In a fantasy kingdom turned upside down, things get ugly when an unwelcome ogre (not a handsome prince) shows up to rescue a bratty princess. There's a talking donkey who won't shut up, a bad guy with a short temper, a castle with attitude, and even a dragon. Other things to watch, and you've got the kind of movie that calls for a real local landing, there's one to save the day... and his name is Shrek!

SHREK THE MUSICAL has been enjoyed by audiences around the world since 2008, having toured the UK, US, Asia, Canada, South America, Middle East & New Zealand among others. Now it's your turn to Shrek!

SHREK THE MUSICAL is produced in by Showcase Entertainment Group, the same producer who has brought On Stage's The Girl in the Hat to life on stage as well as produced the regional tour of Midsommer Theatre Musical, in association with Music Theatre International (Australia) Ltd.

"Our version of **SHREK THE MUSICAL** features a talented professional cast & crew of 60! Producer Lynne Miller says, "The set alone is worth over \$2 million and was used on both the UK and American tours, it comes with a design that has its own 3D best shopping cart when I believe me everyone who comes will be blown away!"

SHREK THE MUSICAL

The Details

Showcase Entertainment Group is producing the TMA (Theatre for Younger Audiences) version of the show, with a running time of approximately 2 hours in 2 acts.

The show is written and directed to be accessible and fun for the whole family with show time options of 3.30pm, 5.30pm & 8.30pm. Ticket prices start at only \$50 to maximum being for your back!

TOUR DATES 2026

Geelong Arts Centre December 31 - January 3
Arts Centre Melbourne January 6-10
Frankston Arts Centre January 13-15
Bendigo Liblanka Theatre January 16-17
Sydney Coliseum Theatre January 21-23

For media enquiries, contact:
Scott Broome - Black Stacey PR
scott@blackstacey.com.au

www.shrekthemusical.com.au

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DREAMWORKS

SHREK THE MUSICAL

SUMMER HOLIDAY FUN!

FRANKSTON ARTS CENTRE
JANUARY 12-14

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Auction for an Auction

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Bid at our charity auction (Seaford Park PS) for the chance to sell your property with zero commission and free marketing through Ray White Frankston. Here's how it works:

- You bid to win the prize at our Charity Auction
- The winning bid is donated directly to local schools.
- When you're ready to sell, we'll sell your home for free - no commission, no marketing costs.

For example, if you win the Charity Auction with a \$5,000 bid, you'd donate that to the school.

Then when you sell your property, that would normally mean in excess of \$15,000 in sales commission plus about \$5,000 in marketing for a total of \$20,000 - so you'd be \$15,000 better off when you sell.

A win for you. A win for local schools.

If you are considering selling over the next 12 months, this is an incredible opportunity.



Seaford Park Primary School

Join us for our annual
Christmas Community Night

FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER
3:30 PM - 6:30PM

Enjoy market stalls, food trucks, our annual student Art Show, student musical performances—and a surprise special guest!



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Primary School



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Our next Sushi Day is Friday 21st
November. Orders will open soon via
the QKR App!



Orders must be placed by 10am on
Thursday 20th November to meet
supplier cut off.

Kingsley Park Primary School

Friday 21st November

Sushi Day!

Order fresh, healthy and delicious sushi
handrolls and rice paper rolls for lunch!

Choose From:

- Sushi Handrolls -

Avocado V VG GF DF EF

Crispy Chicken DF EF

Tuna GF DF

Vegetable V VG GF DF EF

California DF

- Rice Paper Rolls -

Chicken GF DF EF

Vegetable V VG GF DF EF

DON'T MISS OUT!

All orders must be placed with the Canteen on Qkr!
by 10am Thursday 20th November.

sushi@school
www.sushi.net.au



PREP 2026 Transition

Kingsley Park Primary School



Getting to know my new school!

This year we are running two fun getting to know you sessions. These sessions will be in our school gym with activities for students and are accompanied by some of our wonderful Year 5 students who become buddies. We invite parents to stay for a coffee and chat while our newest Kingsley Kids join in with some fun activities.

These sessions will be held on Tuesday 21st October and 28th October.

You will be allocated a session time; 9:00-9:40 OR 9:50-10:30

Official Transition Program for 2026 Preps

At Kingsley Park Primary School, we offer a transition program to help your child feel comfortable and confident in our school environment. Sessions provide children with a fun, caring, play-based environment whilst also implementing some of the routines and structure of school. Each session consists of song and story times, indoor and outdoor activities and whole group experiences. During this time teachers will have an opportunity to get to know your child with a particular focus on their interests, group participation, social interaction, fine-motor skills; such as tracing, cutting, craft, language and listening skills, name and number recognition and turn-taking. These observations provide us with valuable insight which assists a positive start to school and allows us to best cater for your child when they begin Prep with us. During this time, teachers begin to assess the relationships between students and trial grade groups.

OCT 21 & 28	Getting to know my school sessions. 9:00-9:40 or 9:50-10:30
Nov 5	No student session this week due to Melbourne Cup Day. Prep Information Night for all parents Wednesday 5th November, 5-6pm
Nov 11	Transition Session 1: 9:00am until 10:30am
Nov 18	Transition Session 2 : 9:00am until 10:30am
Nov 25	Transition Session 3 : 9:00am until 10:30am
Dec 2	Transition Session 4 : 9:00am until 10:30am
Dec 9	Transition Session 5: 9:00am until 10:30am Official Meeting of 2026 teacher and class

Sessions for 'Getting to know my new school' will be held in the hall. For these sessions, please come straight to the hall with your child **at your given session time**. Parents are asked to remain at these two sessions. Further details will be sent regarding 'Transition Sessions', commencing 11th November, with groups for the day and where to meet for a 9am start.

Students are asked to bring a hat, fruit snack and water bottle to the transition sessions.

Students are invited to all transition sessions however, they are not mandatory.