

# Kingston Heath

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Ready, Prep, Go!

Transition to School program for  
pre-school children and their families

We want you to feel that you have made the best choice for your child's schooling. To help you make the decision, we invite you into the school for fourteen transition sessions and an orientation morning. As a parent you can see for yourself how teaching and learning occur in the classroom setting. You will be reassured by seeing our staff deal with children in the program and you will have all your questions answered as they occur to you – even those questions you think are silly!

Your child will benefit, too. They will be involved in activities that are stimulating and fun; they will get a feel for the school grounds, meet their Year 6 Buddies and be with old friends as well as meeting new friends. They will be supported in a caring environment by professional and passionate teaching staff. By the time the school commences in the following year, they will be very ready.

The Ready, Prep, Go! Program is comprehensive and purposeful. It allows the staff to get to know your child and to have an understanding of their needs. It allows you to see first hand how the school operates and to develop trust and confidence in us.



Program begins on Friday 21st July, 2017



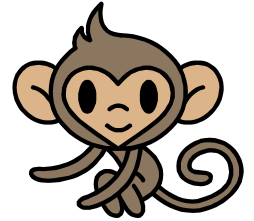
## Transition Program 2017

### Term 3

**Friday 21st July: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### **Story and Activity Session**

Children are invited to join the Prep teachers for a story and activity in the Prep classroom. Meet the 'Ten Little Monkeys' and make a monkey mask, too.



**Friday 4th August: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### **Letterland Session**

Children will explore the Letterland Program with the Prep teachers. Say hello to 'Annie Apple' and learn her sound.



**Friday 18th August: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### **Story and Activity Session**

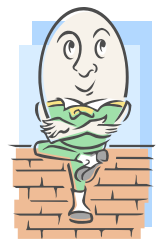
Children will hear the story of the 'Green Sheep' and will then use a range of craft materials to create their very own sheep .



**Friday 1st September: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### **Interactive Whiteboard and Craft Session**

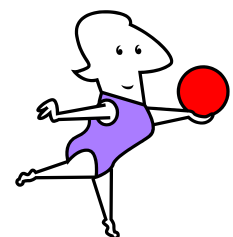
Children will be introduced to the Interactive Whiteboards with the Prep teachers. Say hello to Humpty Dumpty, too.



**Friday 15th September: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### **P.M.P. Session (Perceptual Motor Program)**

Children are invited to join in a PMP session. They will be introduced to the program and will be able to enjoy a variety of activities that enhance their co-ordination and motor skills. Can you balance on the balance beam?





## Transition Program 2017

### Term 4

Remember to bring a hat as children will explore a different part of the school each week.

**Friday 13th October: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### Developmental Play

The children are invited to join the Prep teachers in various Developmental Play Activities. What can you make and create? They will also meet the Gingerbread Man. 'Run, run, as fast as you can, you can't catch me, I'm the Gingerbread Man!'



**Friday 20th October: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### Story and Activity Session

The children will hear the story of 'Scrub-a-dub fun' where they will count how many pink flamingos fit in the bath tub! They will then create their very own flamingo.



**Friday 27th October: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### Measurement and Maths

Children will be involved in hands-on measuring tasks. Meet Alexander the Duck and guess how many cups will fill the bowl to help him escape.



**Friday 3th November: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### Melbourne Cup Celebration

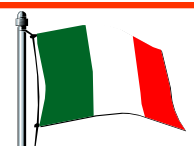
Children are invited to 'gallop' into the Prep classrooms for a fun story and activity relating to the Melbourne Cup. Gee up, Neddy!



**Friday 10th November 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

#### Italian Session

Children will be introduced to some of the words and songs they will learn in our Italian program.





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**Friday 17th November: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

### **Art Session**

Children will visit the Art Room and let the creativity flow in a fun art activity.



**Friday 24th November: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

### **Library Session**

Children will visit our library where they can read one of the fabulous Picture Story Books from our wide selection. Welcome to a world of facts and fantasy!



**Friday 1st December: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

### **Meet Your Buddy**

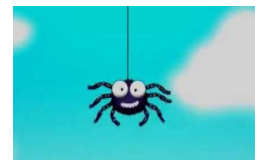
Children will meet their Year 6 buddies!



**Friday 8th December: 2.30pm – 3.30pm**

### **Story Session**

Let's look at Nursery Rhymes, find words we know and create some drama with Eensy Weensy spider.



**Tuesday 12th December**

### **Orientation Day: 9.00am - 1.00pm**

Children are invited to come to school at 9.00am and stay until 1.00pm. We will have a Sausage Sizzle lunch with you and the children's buddies at 12.00pm.



**Tuesday 12th December**

### **Parent Information Session: 6.00pm**

A Parent Information session will be held at 6.00pm in the Prep room where you will meet the School Council President, a representative from Primary School Wear, Camp Australia and teachers from the current Prep year.