Term 1, 2016 - Prep

A BIG welcome to all our gorgeous new Preps and families!

During Term 1, we will be setting up the daily routines and procedures, and ensuring that the children have a positive and happy start to their schooling.

Morning Routine 😊
Please establish a confident morning routine with your child and work towards encouraging them to be independent by carrying their school bag, calmly coming into class and unpacking their bag.

Picking up your child at the end of the day 😊
For Prep U and Prep F students, please wait at the bottom the deck.
For Prep C students, please wait opposite the deck, near the main building.

The decks can get very congested, so we will bring your child safely down to you 😊
All Preps will be encouraged to carry their own school bags.

School Hats 😊
Please make sure your child has a hat every day, making sure it is clearly named. We follow a ‘No Hat, No Play’ policy and we know that all students are keen to go and play in the playground. It would be a shame for them to miss out.

Buddies 😊
We look forward to establishing our buddy friendships with several of the Year 4/3 classes. Big buddies are wonderful helpers especially in the first few weeks of school.

In English: students will be learning the letters of the Alphabet, letter sounds and how books work. They will be practising to write their names, letters and simple words.

In Maths: students will be doing lots of hands on activities, practising their counting, sorting, making patterns and identifying two-dimensional shapes (circles, triangles, squares and rectangles).

Our Inquiry Studies will begin with exploring our Identity: Me and my school. Students will explore their feelings and actions, gain strategies around safe practices and better understand themselves as learners. Sharing their learning at school and at home.

We are looking forward to seeing our Prep students settle in and become interested learners, who are excited to come to school each day! We look forward to developing a strong and trusting connection between home and school this year. We know that the transition from Kinder to Prep is ‘a BIG step’ for the whole family 😊

Thankyou for your support, Ms. Fisher, Miss. Cockerill & Miss. Upton