

# **Heathcote East Public School**

# Kindergarten Transition 2019

Heathcote East Public School has a reputation for providing an exceptional educational experience for all students in a nurturing, supportive environment. We achieve excellence through the provision of stimulating, innovative teaching programs delivered by dedicated, inspiring and caring teachers.

You are invited to attend all of our Transition events to see our great school in action. I look forward to meeting you and personally welcoming you to our wonderful school community.

Kathy Hartigan- Principal





Do you have a child starting 'Big School' next year? Heathcote East PS is a small, nurturing school on the edge of the Royal National Park. Join us for the range of exciting activities we have planned to prepare your child for school in 2019.

#### **School Tours**

### Tuesday 27 March & Thursday 10 May: 9.30am-11.00am

See our fabulous school in action. Embark on a 'Magical Mystery Tour' of Heathcote East with your child as they collect tokens for their 'Explorer's Passport'. Visit classrooms, join in activities with the Kindergarten children, find treasure in the sandpit, climb on the playground and gymnastics equipment, use I-pads, meet school staff, talk to our friendly students and watch performances by our talented children. For more information, please call 9520 9034 or email <a href="heathcotee-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au">heathcotee-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au</a>. Meetings with the Principal and personal tours of the school are also available at a time that suits you. Please call or email organise a time.

# Kindergarten/Readiness for School Information Night Tuesday 15 May 6.30pm

Our Information Night is a chance for parents to find out about the exciting learning and extracurricular programs on offer at Heathcote East: Kindergarten reading and writing based on the successful L3 program; Count Me in Too hands-on Mathematics; Being Excited About Reading parent tutor program; Digital learning; CARE Wellbeing Initiative; Leadership programs; Performing Arts and Sport opportunities.

Presentations also on how to start preparing your child for 'Big School'.

## 'Come and Play' Sessions

### Wednesday 6 June and Thursday 2 July: 9.30am-11.00am

Join us in the hall with your child for playgroup sessions hosted by the school's Kindergarten teacher and some of our current Year 5 students. You will have the opportunity to meet other parents and share in morning tea while your child plays with other children starting school in 2018.

#### **Transition Sessions**

Wednesday 24 October, 31 October and 7 November 9.30am-11.00am

All Kindergarten students joining us in 2018 are invited to spend the morning over three weeks participating in a range of play, art, music, literacy and number activities. Parent information workshops will run simultaneously on all aspects of starting school and

Discover the wonderful opportunities a nurturing, small school with high expectations for learning can offer your child.