



Illaroo Road Public School

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Dear Parents and Carers

I would like to take this time to congratulate your child's efforts in their learning throughout 2021. Despite the impact of the global pandemic that is COVID-19 on students, families and staff, it has been a wonderful year with many challenges, experiences and opportunities to grow and develop here at Illaroo Road Public School. Your child's teacher has taken considerable time to evaluate and report your child's progress. Please share this information with your child and celebrate their learning.

2022

Class Formation

All students in mainstream Years 1-6 2022 will return to school on Tuesday 1st February. Those students who are offered a place in the Opportunity Class will also begin on Tuesday 1st February.

On the first day, all students will return to their 2021 classes. We will form classes as soon as possible once final enrolment numbers are determined. At this stage I am anticipating this will be some time on the first day due to being well into a 19 class structure on confirmed enrolments.

This year I have published the names of teachers I anticipate will be on each stage in 2022 in the school bulletin dated 7th December 2021. Please note that this may change over the holiday period and is a guide only. Children will find out their class and who their teacher is next year. I am publishing this list to support families in transitioning students who may be anxious leading into a new school year.

Requirements

On the back of this letter you will find the requested start up items for your child, based on their year level. Once your child is in their new class, there may be additional resources requested by your child's teacher. We attach this initial list as we recognise that families like to be prepared for the start of the school year.

Thank you all for your ongoing support of your child's learning, particularly in what has proved to be a challenging year in education. We are hoping that in 2022 we get back to having our families in the school and seeing you face to face on a more regular basis. On behalf of the staff at Illaroo Road, I would like to wish you all a wonderful Christmas and hope everyone has a relaxing break.

Kind Regards
Clare Brooks
Relieving Principal

2022 – K-2 Classroom Requirements

KINDERGARTEN

- Hat – school uniform hat only (with IRPS logo)
- Painting shirt
- IRPS reader/library bag (available from the uniform shop)
- 1 pack of wind-up crayons
- 4 large glue sticks - white glue, Bostik brand
- 4 Whiteboard markers
- 1 box of tissues for shared classroom use
- Set of over-ear headphones (labelled for individual use)

YEAR 1 and 2

- Hat – school uniform hat only (with IRPS logo)
- 2 box tissues for shared classroom use
- Painting shirt
- IRPS reader/library bag (available from the uniform shop)
- 1 packets whiteboard markers
- Small pencil case with 2 lead pencils, 2 glue sticks, textas, 2 rubbers, sharpener

2022 – 3-6 Classroom Requirements

YEAR 3 - 6

- Hat – school uniform hat only (with IRPS logo)
- HB pencils (regular supply throughout the year)
- Blue biros (not Year 3)
- Red biros (not Year 3)
- Black biros (not Year 3)
(no single multi-pens or click pens)
- Coloured pencils
- Eraser
- Pencil case
- 30cm ruler - with millimetres starting at 0 - *(no flexible or metal rulers)*
- Highlighters
- Glue sticks
 - Whiteboard markers
- Pencil sharpener with **catcher**
- Compass (Year 5 and 6)
- Protractor (Year 5 and 6)
- Scissors with rounded ends
- Paint shirt
- Homework book (**not a folder**)
- Library bag
- Book covering materials - *(all books must be suitably covered)*
- 2 boxes tissues for shared classroom use
- Textas

Individual class requests – teachers will issue any specific class requests when classes are finalised.
All belongings should be clearly marked with your child's name.