Welcome Letter 2014

KP & KC

Welcome to 2014.
Classes are as follows;
Your child’s teacher is highlighted.

- KP Mrs Mardi Porter
- KC Miss Jaimie Christensen
- Ms Tanja Vogt Early Stage One Supervisor

**Homework**
- Students will be provided with their own homework book.
Homework will **not** be sent home in the first term, weekly homework will begin in Term 2.
Home readers will be starting later on in this term.

**Literacy**
L3 program is a Literacy Program which will be run each morning, where reading and writing are the focus. Children will be participating in independent activities while the teacher is working with a small group of children. Kindergarten will be participating in Literacy Groups on a daily basis throughout the morning session.

We are looking for any mums, dads, grandparents, aunts or uncles who would like to hear individual children read in the classroom and work with small groups. Please fill in the slip below if you can help. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

**Maths**
Each day children will be doing Numeracy activities in class between 11.30 and 12.30
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Please fill in the slip below if you can help. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.
**Library Day**
KP & KC will be attending Library on Thursday, with Mrs Caldwell. Students will need to bring a library bag each Thursday. Students can be provided with a library bag if needed.

**Computer Day**
KP & KC will be attending Computers on Thursday with Mr Taylor.

**Science and HSIE**
Early Stage 1 topics for this term are: ‘Our Environment’ and ‘School Days’.

**Fruit break**
All students will need a piece of fruit daily. It is preferable that students have fruit cut up into bite size pieces, as it is quicker for them to eat it. We would like to stick strictly to the 10 minute break.

**Banking**
Commonwealth Bank of Australia will collect student bank books once a week on a Wednesday. There are information packs in the Office.

**Sport**
Sport day is Wednesday. All children will participate in skills based tabloids each week. School sports uniform must be worn. Black shorts and t-shirt and appropriate footwear.

**School Days**
All students will need the following:
- Art Smock- Children need a paint shirt. An old t-shirt will suffice
- Library Bag

Please ensure your child’s name is written on their items.
The school will supply all exercise books needed for in class work. It would be appreciated if children did not bring toys or pencil cases to class, as it may cause disruption.

**Reminders**
- Labels on all clothes and property
- *Water only* in class drink bottles
- School Hat (NB: No caps allowed in the playground)

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**EDEN PUBLIC SCHOOL BULLYING – NO WAY!**

**Respect**  **Responsibility**  **Resilience**
Information Night
On Tuesday 18th February at 5:15, we will be holding a Parent-Teacher information evening. More information will be sent home closer to the time.

We look forward to meeting with you and having a fun and successful year with your child.

Tanja Vogt, Jaimie Christensen and Mardi Porter.
The Early Stage 1 Teachers

Parent Helpers for Class ___________ Student ____________________________

_________________________is able to help with Literacy/Numeracy
(Please print name)
on _____________________________.
(Day)

_________________________
(Signature)