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St Bernadette's Primary School, Lalor Park

November 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians

School commences for Kindergarten children on Wednesday 2nd February 2022

Once again it is my pleasure to welcome you and your child to St Bernadette's Kindergarten Class for 2022.

On Wednesday 2nd February 2022 classes will commence for Kindergarten at the special time of 9:30am. At this stage parents are required to drop off their children via the gate in front of the Parish Hall. The gate will open just prior to 9:30am.

Current COVID-19 restrictions mean that only students may enter the school site in the morning. Whilst waiting parents are asked to adhere to COVID-19 social distancing requirements. The children will finish classes at 3:15pm and be taken to the top playground where parents will be able to wait for them. If your child will be using any of the other dismissal options on the first day including: Kiss and Drop, walkers, buses or OOSH please advise the office.

From Thursday morning onwards your child can line up with the other students in the playground at 8:55am when the first bell goes. Our school gate opens at 8:30am and there is supervision on the playground until the first bell goes. Students will go into class at 9:00am. The dismissal bell will go at 3.15pm each day.

Parents are asked to ensure that children bring the following items along to school with them on their first day:

Labelled Items:

- A spare set of underwear and shorts in a plastic bag (kept in school bag) labelled with name
- 1 x set of headphones in a small pencil case for storage
- School hat with name labelled on it
- Library bag
- A school lunch box and a plastic water bottle (not metal) with name
- A painting shirt (eg: old large T-shirt labelled with name).

Without Labels:

- 1 x large box of tissues
- triangular coloured pencils
- 2 x **triangular** pencil grips
- 4 x 21g glue sticks
- A pencil case
- 1 x pencil sharpener inbuilt within container
- 4 x triangular lead pencils
- 2 x 100 sheet packets of baby wipes
- 4 x Bullet tip whiteboard markers

Please ensure your <u>child's name is on ITEMS</u> including all school clothing, lunch boxes, drink bottles and school bags, etc

On behalf of all of us at St Bernadette's I wish you and your family a Blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours sincerely

Mr Phill Kapitanow, Principal