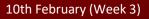
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Lansvale Public School



Welcome back!

It has been so lovely to welcome all of our families back to Lansvale Public School. I would like to formally welcome all of our new families to our amazing school. We know you will love being part of the Lansvale community.



Principal Position

At the end of 2021 Mr Mark Diamond relinquished his position as Principal at Lansvale Public School. This was a very big decision for Mr Diamond as Lansvale PS is a school that he loves dearly. Mr Diamond will be continuing his leadership in the Department of Education working in the Rural and Remote Education Strategy, supporting leaders and schools across NSW.



I want to take this opportunity to personally thank Mr Diamond on behalf of the Lansvale PS community for his remarkable and outstanding leadership of Lansvale PS over the last 12 years.

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We are hoping to organise a suitable farewell for Mr Diamond later in Term 1 pending COVID guidelines. We will communicate more details regarding this farewell later in the term.

Mrs Lisa Porter – Fairfield Director, Educational Leadership will be working with the Lansvale PS community in the coming weeks to finalise the new substantive Principal position.

Happy Lunar New Year

Last Tuesday 1st February we celebrated the Lunar New Year at Lansvale Public School. We hope everyone enjoyed wonderful celebrations with their family.





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Principal's Message...continued

<u>Staff</u>

We are thrilled to have the following new staff join our amazing community this year.





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School Executive

I would like to introduce to you the 2022 school executive team. All of our executive members are available to support students and families. Please contact the office if you would like to speak to anyone on our executive team.

R/Principal – Mrs Laura Karam R/Deputy Principal – Mrs Brooke Hutchinson R/Deputy Principal – Mrs Mary Chau



Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction – Mrs Mai Lu Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction – Mrs Sanja Mallios

Preschool Assistant Principal – Mrs Lien Chai Kindergarten Assistant Principal – Miss Lisa Ng Stage 1 Assistant Principal – Ms Vicky Lee Year 3 R/Assistant Principal – Mrs Amanda Micallef (M-W) and Mrs Kristy Pham (Th-F) Year 4 R/Assistant Principal – Olivia Vasilevska Year 5 R/Assistant Principal – Julie Nghe Year 6 R/Assistant Principal – Fergie Tu Assistant Principal Attendance – Mrs Melissa Fereday (Th-F)

SACC (School as Community Coordinator) – Mrs Rose Raslan

Communication – working together

Parent-teacher communication is essential in building positive school partnerships which support and enhance children's learning experiences at school. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher. In most cases the



classroom teachers are able to provide the most accurate information and/ or advice. They will happily make a time to discuss items if they are unavailable to meet at the time of your initial discussion. If you are unable to come to the school, please call the front office and the administrative staff will make an appointment for you. In the case of questions or concerns around whole school information, policies, processes and/or sensitive issues, Mrs Hutchinson, Mrs Chau and I are more than happy to meet with parents and carers.

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School Community Charter

In this edition of the newsletter I have included the School Community Charter. The School Community Charter outlines the responsibilities of parents, carers, educators and school staff in NSW public schools to ensure our learning environments are collaborative, supportive and cohesive.







We communicate in a positive and constructive manner.

COVID - Smart

Last week, our most updated COVID guidelines were published via the School App and on Seesaw. Our cohorting measures and staggered pick up arrangements remain in place for the beginning of Term 1. We are regularly revising our procedures and will keep you updated via Seesaw and the School App.



2022 Classes

Our classes for 2022 are now set. We initially communicated to families that our classes are temporary until our final student numbers had been counted. We are now able to communicate to all families that your child will stay in their current class for 2022.



Meet the teacher

We are in the process of organising our Meet the Teacher evening. More than likely this will occur in Week 6 and will be held via Zoom or through phone calls. We will provide more information very soon.



Marvellous Moments with Mrs Karam

Every fortnight I will visit at least 2 classes in our school. During my visit I will work with children, teamteach or observe fabulous learning. Each fortnight I will share my photos and experiences with our community in the newsletter. I have already visited every class in our school last week and I look forward to visiting again

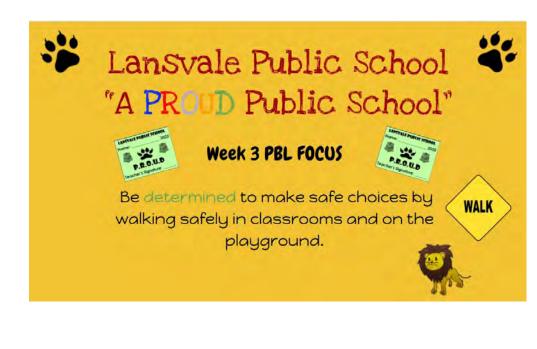


as part of my 'Marvellous Moments with Mrs Karam' initiative starting in Week 6.

Have a great fortnight,

Mrs Laura Karam R/Principal





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School Community **Charter**

Sollaborative. Respectful. Communication.

The following School Community Charter outlines the responsibilities of parents, carers, educators and school staff in NSW public schools to ensure our learning environments are collaborative, supportive and cohesive.

We treat each other with **respect**

What our schools provide

NSW public schools work to create positive environments for students, staff and the entire school community that support student learning. We strive to ensure that every student is known, valued and cared for.

The best education happens when parents and schools work together.

The School Community Charter aligns with the NSW Department of Education Strategic Plan 2018 – 2022.



Positive environments

It is important that our NSW public schools are positive environments and that parents and carers are kept informed of students' progress and school announcements.

Parents and carers can expect:

- To be welcomed into our schools to work in partnership to promote student learning.
- Communication from school staff will be timely, polite and informative.
- Professional relationships with school staff are based on transparency, honesty and mutual respect.
- To be treated fairly. Tolerance and understanding are promoted as we respect diversity.

We prioritise the wellbeing of all students and staff

> Unsafe behaviour is not acceptable in our schools

We work together with the school

Ensuring respectful learning environments for all members of NSW Public Schools communities.

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We all play

our part

We work **in partnership** to promote student learning

Communicating with our schools

Our staff will find a time to talk to you when they can give you their full attention. Please remember that while our staff are in class or dealing with other matters, they may not be available to answer your questions immediately.

Our schools and communities will make sure that written communication is appropriate, fair and easy to read. We encourage you to use email and social media appropriately to connect with your school and stay up-to-date with up-coming events in the school community.

Our guide for parents, carers and students provides useful information about the complaints process:

education.nsw.gov.au/about-us/rights-and-accountability/complaints-complimentsand-suggestions/guide-for-parents-carers-and-students_

Respectful communication is a right

In all workplaces people have the right to feel respected. Unacceptable and offensive behaviour has no place in our school communities.

To ensure the wellbeing of students, staff and the community in our schools, steps will be taken to address unacceptable behaviour. This may include restricting contact with the school community or, in more serious cases, referral to NSW Police.

Unacceptable behaviour may include but is not limited to:

- · Aggressive or intimidating actions, such as violence, threatening gestures or physical proximity.
- Aggressive or intimidating language, including the use of obscenities, making sexist, racist or derogatory comments or using a rude tone.
- Treating members of the school community differently due to aspects such as their religion or disability.
- Inappropriate and time wasting communication.



Collaborative. Respectful. Communication.

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Preschool Newsletter

We would like to give a big welcome to all our preschool families for 2022! We have really appreciated the time you took to meet with our preschool educators and value the input you have given to support your child's learning. We have loved hearing about their interests and your dreams and aspirations for your child. We look forward to working with you to plan and implement authentic experiences to ensure we achieve the goals that you have set for your child.

It has been a great start to the preschool year. The children are learning routine and expectations while building new friendships with their classmates. Our staggered start time ensures that every child is known, valued and cared for. Although the children have just begun, they are already enjoying lots of rich learning experiences.

The children have been engaged in activities that help strengthen their fine motor skills which will help them develop their pencil grip for writing. There are also many fun activities for the children to recognise their names as well as learning the names of their new classmates. During outdoor play the children have been exploring with all their senses as they discover new plants, flowers and insects in their play. As the children interact with each other and form friendships, they are learning important life skills such as sharing, negotiating, turn taking and collaborating.



A few friendly reminders

- In week 4, the children will begin attending full days at preschool. Drop off will be at the Lansdowne Rd gate. The teachers will sign the children in, parents will not be allowed to enter the preschool premises. Pick up will be from 2:30 at the Lansdowne Rd gate and staff will walk the children down to you.
- Please remember to bring a lunchbox, a hat, water bottle and a change of clothes
- Children are allowed water and white milk only
- Please bring your child's medical action plan and their medication if they have health needs.
- Connect to your child's seesaw

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to message your child's teacher through seesaw or you may call the preschool on 97245252.

Warm regards,

Preschool Staff

<u>Useful Links.</u>

- Please visit the Munch and Move website for more information on healthy eating and active play
- https://healthykids.nsw.gov.au/munch-move-resources/family-information-session-package/https://healthylunchbox.com.au/

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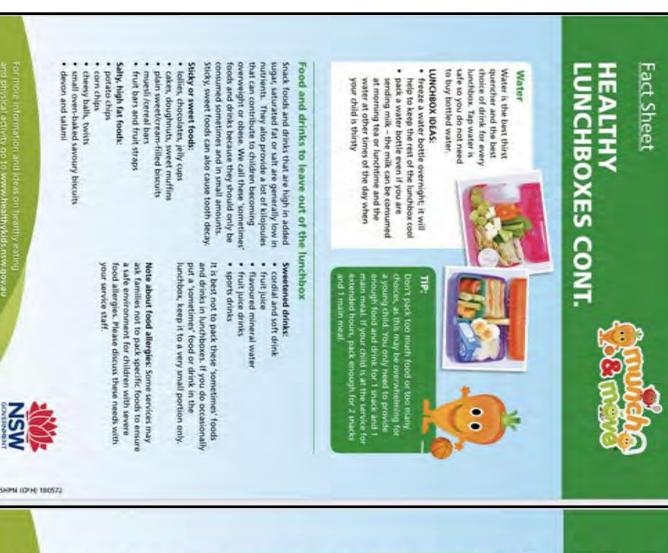


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Fact Sheet

HEALTHY LUNCHBOXES



There are many foods that can be used to pack a healthy lunchbox

dietary fibre minerals and vitamins, source of good daily Fruit and vegetables will provide a

Fruit & Vegetables

lunchbox, making them quick and easy to eat. packed into small containers for the vegetables can be easily All chopped fruit and

LUNCHBOX IDEAS:

- cucumber, carrot and celery sticks (steam) children), corn cob, snow peas, green carrot and celery until tender for younger
- fresh fruit eg apple, pear, kivn fruit, strawberries, orange, grapes and bananas beans, cherry tomatoes, capsicum strips
- dried fruit occasionally eg mini box tub of diced fruit in natural juice
- of sultanas or a few dried apricots or apple rings
- salad filling in a sandwich, wrap or roll (eg lettuce, grated carrot, avocado, cucumber)

Breads & Cereals

busy, growing children. Wholegrain or Bread, grains and cereal foods provide important nutrients and energy for

wholemeal varieties are the best choices

LUNCHBOX IDEAS:

sandwiches, rolls, wraps, pita bread

- fruit bread, scone, pikelets
- · crackers, corn and rice cakes, breadsticks

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- tice, noodles, pasta

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Meat & other protein foods

Meat and other protein foods provide saturated fat and salt. devon and salami) as they are high in and processed luncheon/deli meats (eg protein and iron. Limit the use of sausages

LUNCHBOX IDEAS:

- cold roast beef, lamb, pork, chicken, tuna or salmon as a filling in sandwiches, rolls and wraps or added to salad
- or for a snack hardboiled egg in salad, sandwiches
- baked beans, lentil patty

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Dairy Food

for most children over 2 years of age. dairy foods (approx. 2% fat) are suitable protein and calcium. Reduced fat milk and and cheese are an important source of Dairy foods, such as milk, yoghurt, custard

LUNCHBOX IDEAS:

- cheese slice, cheese stick or cubes of and cherry tomatoes cheese as a snack with cucumber slices
- cheese in sandwiches, rolls and wraps or
- yoghurt or custard (small tub or pouch) on crackers or rice cakes
- plain milk (small UHT poppers of plain milk are easy to add to lunchboxes)
- calcium-enriched soy alternatives (soy milk, soy yoghurt)

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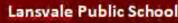
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Playgroups

We are currently taking enrolments for Playgroups 2021. If you have children aged 0 to 5 years old and would like to participate in our supported playgroups please come and see Rose Raslan, Theresa Ngo and Lee Ly every Monday & Tuesday at the front office or you can call on 9724 5252. To ensure safety for students, parents and staff we follow Covid Safety Measures.





Play2Learn is more than a playgroup! Play2Learn is a fun time for you to share with your child. Play2Lean gives your child the chance to learn, grow and prepare for school.

Friday 9.15-11.15am

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Community First Step Playgroups

Join us in our playgroups for a new bonding experience with your children. Make new friends and support your children through enriched learning.

*Bookings are essential. Please contact the Playgroup Office prior to attending playgroup session. Supported Playgroups create new

opportunities for children to learn and become more actively engaged through creative play. Children become more confident and foster a positive learning environment through their involvement in supported playgroups. In 2022 we will be focus on early intervention

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Parenting Workshops

We are aware that parenting is a journey, filled with happiness and challenges. That is why it is important for parents to attend parenting workshops to learn and be able to navigate everyday situations involving your children.

Parenting is the most important job in the world. To achieve successful outcomes we need to be prepared to handle any issues that may arise in our changing world.

That is why attending parenting classes and workshops is one of the most effective ways of preparing for parenting and handling difficult parenting moments.

Out parenting workshops help parents, learn what to expect at each developmental stage of their child. They help parents stay informed of the latest research in child development, child psychology and developmental neuroscience.

The workshops also encourage parents to learn new parenting skills and practice positive parenting.

Please keep your eyes out for the next Parent Workshop in 2022.

If you would like more information please contact the SaCC Rose Raslan via the office on 9724 5252.

P&C Meeting

P&C helps inform parents about school activities and policy, also gives parents opportunities to meet other parents and teachers. Research shows that children perform better at school when their parents are involved in the school community.

Come along and stay up to date with what is happening at Lansvale Public School at the next P&C Meeting, our Annual General Meeting is coming up this term. Keep your eyes out for the pink flyer! (*Changes may be made subject to covid safety measures)

If you would like more information please contact Rose, Theresa and Lee via the office on 9724 5252.

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Parent Education





how much does this class cost?

Fee Free for eligible participants.

who can participate?*

- · aged 16 years or older
- · have left school
- · live or work in New South Wales
- are an Australian citizen, permanent resident,
- humanitarian visa holder or New Zealand citizen
- *other eligibility may apply

delivery

- 2nd & 9th March 9.30am 2.30pm (2 sessions)
- Lansvale Public School
- · 37 Chancery St, Canley Vale, 2166

CECC contact

call us 9387 7400 visit www.cec.edu.au email enrol@cec.edu.au





(HLTAID009) Perform CPR

First Aid Training

(HLTAID011) Provide First Aid

Gain the confidence to respond in an emergency situation by developing your basic first aid skills. You will be equipped with the skills and knowledge required to provide first aid response, life support and management of casualty(s) at the incident until emergency qualified help arrives at the scene.

Provide First Aid, is a nationally accredited course providing participants with the qualification to be a First Aid representative in many workplaces and other required situations. The skills are also suitable for those who want to gain the skills for use in the community and home

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CORE contact

who to call Rose Raslan Community Centre Facilitator Lansvale Public School 9724 5252 / 0433 155 654 www.corecs.org.au



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how much does this class cost?

Fee Free for eligible participants.

who can participate?

- · Youth Aged 16 24 (and not at school) or
- Jobseeker, Unemployed or
- · Expecting to become unemployed or
- If you have been employed less than 6 onthis or
- If you do not hold a Certificate III or above.

delivery

- · 2 Days Eridays 18th & 25th February, 2022
- 9.30am 4.30pm
- The Hub, CORE Miller
- 38 Woodward Crescent, Miller, NSW, 2168 Ph. 8582 4110

Food Safety Supervisor

units

- SITXFSA001 Use hygienic practices for food safety
- SITXFSA002 Participate in safe food handling practices

Do you take Food Hygiene seriously? This course is designed to ensure you fully understand the requirements around handling food and safety in the kitchen and that strict procedures are in place so that all food served is safe to eat.

Ideal training for all people who work with food including employees, community volunteers, students and parents of sporting groups and canteens.

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CORE contact

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who to call

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Newsletter

A message from your Coordinator

Hello OSHC Families and School Communities,

We would like to give everybody a great big welcome back!

It was great seeing many of our families back and the school community again. I feel a positive vibe about this year so far.

For any new families wishing to join OSHC here's a few helpful information: The service at Lansvale Public is run by Camp Australia.

My name is Zehra Dostel and I coordinate this service.

If you need care, you must first register with Camp Australia online: www.campaustralia.com.au

Make sure you have a Centrelink account so you may access the rebate and then make a booking online for your child/ren to attend OSHC.

We are located at the hall which is near the Kindergarten Quad area or the school's canteen.

Our service hours are from: 7:00 am - 9: 00am. Then in the afternoon from: 2:45 pm - 6:00 pm.

The service number is: 0450 776 519 and there is also a Customer Care Number: 1300 105 343. I look forward to meeting you.

It's free to register

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campaustralia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.

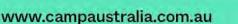


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Activities coming up

- **Making Tiger Paws**
- **Playing Four Seasons** Game
- Making Chinese Red & Yellow Latter's

What's on the menu

- Making wontons
- Making stir fry vegetables
- **Banana Fritter**

Visit our blog

New articles are added each week for parents and cover various topics to help families.

Visit our blog



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Virtual Information Sessions

Join us for a free virtual information session to find out how Outside School Hours Care can help yourfamily, and how Camp Australia can guide your child's growth.

These virtual, informative, and interactive sessions will provide insight into how OSHC at Camp Australia operates. The team presenting will discuss programs that are offered, registration and booking process, billing, Child Care Subsidy and more.

Sessions

Thursday 17 February at 12:30pm AEDT

Thursday 17 February at 7:00pm AEDT

Tuesday 22 February at 1:00pm AEDT

Tuesday 22 February at 7:30pm AEDT

To register free for a Virtual Info Session, visit www.campaustralia.com.au/virtual-info-sessions

If you would like more information regarding Camp Australia's services but cannot attend any of the above sessions, please feel free to visit your service and speak with your friendly Coordinator; or you can send us an email at <u>oshc@campaustralia.com.au</u>.





Once registered, you'll be able to easily make and manage your bookings online via our Parent Portal.

Register now free



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