### INALA STATE SCHOOL



#### 03 February 2023



School Hours
Class starts 8:45am
School ends 2:45pm



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#### PRINCIPAL'S OUTLOOK

#### Welcome to 2023

What a wonderful start we have had to our school year. It has been absolutely lovely to see our students return to school, smiling, happy and ready for learning. A very warm welcome to our new students, in particular our Prep students. Our Prep students have had a lovely start to their schooling, it is wonderful to see our Preppies so keen to learn and make friends.

#### Our school vision:

Engaged learners who have aspirations for a future filled with real choices, opportunities, equipped with skills for life-long learning.

Our vision was collaboratively written last year, our goal this year is to live and breathe our vision. We want our learners engaged - focused and happy while they are learning. Forming strong partnerships with families is an important part of this. On Tuesday 7 February we are holding a Meet the Teacher afternoon in your child's classroom. Come along to this afternoon, enjoy afternoon tea and meet your child's teacher. Knowing your child's teacher will assist with their learning. If you have any concerns (or celebrations) feel free to share these with your child's teacher. Looking forward to seeing as many families as possible at this afternoon.

This year will be an EPIC year - our focus for the year is: English, Pedagogy, Inclusion through our Curriculum. At the end of last year, our student's English results improved dramatically and we are looking to extend on this so our students achieve the best results they can. We acknowledge our families can support our learners, here are some ways you can help to promote learning:

- Encourage your children to read every day either on their own or by reading with them,
- When your child arrives home from school, ask them what the best part of the day was? What
  the funniest thing that happened was? Who they played with? What the most interesting thing
  they did today? These questions will promote further discussions rather than What did you do
  today?
- Play a game with your child e.g. cards, board game, etc
- Take them to the park to run around
- · Play in the backyard with your child, go exploring in the back yard

This year, we have had an increase in our expected Prep numbers, this has meant that we have had to create another Prep class and change our structure of our Year 1 and 2 classes to a 1/2 composite. Thank you to everyone for understanding and supporting their child to change class as was required.





#### **Attendance**

Every day counts! Every moment of every day counts! It is important that all of our children are at school every day (unless they are sick). Every day a child is away is time lost - not only from learning, but also from making friends and connections with their classmates. If you have any concerns, please speak to your child's teacher.



#### Senior Shirts

Have up you seen our new Senior Shirts? They look fantastic. Jane Dooley, our First Nations teacher, is the artist who created the design of this shirt specifically for our school. Thank you Jane, it is really special to have this design specific for our school. The Senior Shirts are available for sale through our Uniform Shop. Orders can be placed through Qkr!







#### P&C

Our P&C needs members or we will not be able to operate. Our AGM is on Wednesday 15 March at 3pm in the Community Hub. The P&C is an important part of our school community.

All positions on the P&C will be vacant and we will vote on a new executive. The positions are:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer

If we are unable to fill these positions, the P&C will not be able to operate.

This would be unfortunate as we value the support of the P&C. If you are interested in any of these positions, please notify the office and we will be in touch to discuss further. Please support our P&C.





NAB AFL AUSKICK IS NOW BACK AT

# FOREST LAKE DRAGONS



## DETAILS START: TUESDAY 28th

TIME: 4:45PM -5:45PM VENUE: CJ GREENFIELD COMPLEX LENGTH - 8 WEEKS COST - \$90





# TO COME & TRY SCAN HERE



#### FAQ'S

 FIRST SESSION IS A FREE COME & TRY SESSION
 PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE A BENEFITS PACK WITH A FOOTBALL
 CHILDREN MUST BE TURNING 5 IN 2023

CONTACT DAN EDWARDS FOR MORE INFORMATION - 0447 510 193







#### Dear Parent | Guardian

The Blue Fin Fishing Club will be conducting a "Lifestyle Kids' Fishing Day" on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March starting at 8am (Please arrive at Blue Fin @7.45am) and finishing at 2 o'clock at Paradise Point, Hope Island.

A consent form is attached. Please read carefully. If you wish your child/children to participate, sign and return this form to Reception as soon as possible.

During the day, we intend to cover

- Bag limits and rules for freshwater fishing
- · Fishing with soft plastics
- Knot tying
- Rigging lines and casting
- Bait and rigs for freshwater fishing
- · Practical fishing session

The day is fully sponsored by the club, so there is no cost to you or your child. Morning tea, lunch and all fishing equipment will be provided. We ask that appropriate sun protection (broad-brimmed hat, long sleeved shirt, sun glasses and sunscreen) and closed in footwear are worn by all participants.

Parents and guardians are welcome to attend as observers throughout the day and at the BBQ, but will not receive any gifts or giveaways.

If you require any further information, please see Reception for contact details.

### Qld Amateur Fishing Club Inc. CONSENT & REGISTRATION FORM

"Lifestyle Kids' Fishing Day"
I, (name of parent/guardian)
of (address)
would like to take part in the activities "Lifestyle Kids' Fishing Day"
I will bring my child to The Blue Fin Fishing Club at <b>7.45 am</b> and be at Blue Fin at <b>3.00 pm</b> to collect them afterwards.
I have been informed that my child should come with closed in shoes and dressed with due regard to our sunny climate (Slip, Slop, Slap).
I am aware that my child needs to be logged in with the location supervisor on arrival and logged off when leaving the area.
I assert that I have the necessary authority to grant such permission and I have read the promotional material. I indemnify the organisers against any harm or damage that may arise from this event or associated activities, except for any harm or damage due to the negligence of the organisers.
Medication needed (if any)
Name Signed
Dated this day of 2023.
I give my consent for any photos from the "Lifestyle Kids' Fishing Day" to be used in any promotional material or in the media.
Signed Date



