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Welcome to K-2H

Welcome back to the new school year. For those that I have not met yet, I would like to introduce myself - Ms Emily Hurst and I will be the classroom teacher.

The School Learning Support Officer assisting the class is Paula Mehrtens each Monday and Debbie Jenkins, Tuesday- Friday.

Below is information that will explain organisation for the year and items that we request to be supplied.

Equipment:

- o 2 boxes of tissues
- 1 paint shirt (an old t-shirt is fine)
- Library bag

Home Reading Scheme

The home reading scheme will begin in the coming weeks. When your child reads to you or with you each night, make sure that you sign the box provided on the Home Reading card as students receive awards each time they read another 25 nights. Those who have read 100 nights or more by the end of the year, have a morning of special activities.

Library:

Library is every Friday with Mrs. Walton. The children need to bring a bag to protect their library books.

Technology:

K-2H students access the computers and iPads in the classroom. Technology lessons include learning about computers, their functions and how to access and use various computer applications. We access the classroom interactive whiteboard each day to supplement learning activities.

Integration:

All children in K-2H are integrated into the mainstream as far as possible- for breaks, sport, assembly, excursions and other Early Stage 1 and Stage 1 activities throughout the year. Individual integration may occur as the year progresses. Parents will be informed as need be.

Personalised Learning and Support Plans, PLaSP

At Wyoming Public School, we ensure that individual student need is catered for through the development of an individual Personalised Learning and Support Plan, (PLaSP) for every child enrolled in a support class. This plan is designed by the teacher in consultation with parents and will establish both short and long term learning and social goals. After the PLaSP meetings the goals are sent home. We aim to conduct these meetings at school and will communicate the date with you shortly.

Crunch'n'Sip

Wyoming School has a quick fruit break everyday at 10am. Please ensure that your student has a piece of fruit or some fresh vegies and a bottle of water. There are rewards and incentives for those children who consistently bring fruit or vegies to eat at this time.

Sport:

Sport will be held on Fridays. Students will be integrated into this mainstream activity as appropriate.

Term One Unit of Work:

This term K-2H will be completing a Science unit of work called Living Things. The children will also be involved in mainstream excursions during the year where appropriate.

Absences:

It is a Departmental requirement that parents provide a letter or verbal message explaining a child's absence from school. The free Wyoming Public School app has an option to message the school regarding absences, or you can send a note. Any leave (short or long term or partial i.e part of a day) must have the approval of the Principal. Please provide a letter informing the school of your child's upcoming leave prior to the period of absence.

Communication:

It has been requested that all communications and queries this year please take place via school email wyoming-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au or via school phone on 4325 2181, this will ensure that your message is passed onto the correct staff member in a timely manner.

School Website:

This year action shots of students learning will only be uploaded to the school's website, class pages. These will be updated regularly.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me via school phone or email.

Kind regards,

Emily Hurst K-2H CLASS TEACHER Rebecca Wild **PRINCIPA**L

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