



# Wyoming Public School

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## **2-6L CLASSROOM INFORMATION FOR 2023**

Dear 2-6L families,

Welcome to the 2023 school year. My name is Demi Looney and I am very excited to be the teacher of your child this year. Our class is called 2-6L and our classroom is in A Block near the canteen. Mrs Wastell is the School Learning Support Officer for our class.

Here are some details to assist you in preparing your child for the daily routines of our class.

### **EQUIPMENT**

- Students require a folder or scrapbook in which to keep their homework sheets.
- 2 boxes of tissues
- library bag (for Wednesday library lessons)
- school hat (with name written inside)
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt is fine)

### **HOMEWORK**

Homework is distributed every Monday and collected for marking each Friday. The activities included consolidate and extend our class program. Please stress to your child the importance of completing weekly homework.

Commencing in Week 3, weekly homework includes:

- Home Reading- please sign after each reading
- Spelling worksheets- please keep in homework folder /book.

### **PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT, HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

PE - Tuesday

PDH- Monday

Sport – Friday

The NSWPSA (Primary Schools Sports Association) encourages all students with disabilities to participate in sporting programs. If your child has a physical, vision, hearing or intellectual impairment, please see me if interested in the PSSA competitive sports pathway for your child.

### **LIBRARY**

Students may take library books home providing they have their library bag at school on library day. Loans are for one week. The students may change or renew their book any day of the week. Our **library booking** is for **Wednesdays** at **11:15am** with Mrs Surinda Walton.

### **RFF**

Students will be taught by Mrs Melissa Sturgess on Wednesday mornings from 9:40am until 11:15am for science lessons in Term 1.

### **Personalised Learning and Support Plans:**

At Wyoming Public School, student learning is catered for through the development of a Personalised Learning and Support Plan (PLaSP). This plan is designed by the class teacher in consultation with parents and will establish both learning and social goals. PLaSP meetings will be held later in Term 1, with further information to be sent home shortly.

### **CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT**

Our class has a system of rules and consequences to assist with a safe and productive learning environment for all.

#### **2-6L CLASS RULES**

- Raise your hand
- Listen when others are speaking
- Work quietly
- Do your best
- Follow Directions
- Hands and feet to yourself
- Be kind
- Show respect

Positive behaviours result in rewards such as praise, ClassDojo points (pending future approval), house points, class awards, stickers, and special privileges.

Negative behaviours result in consequences such as warnings, time out, buddy class and detentions.

### **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. For any leave (short or long term or partial i.e. part of a day), please provide a letter informing the school of your child's upcoming leave prior to period of absence. Late arrivals and early departures need to see office staff to be signed in/out.

### **MEDICATION**

Asthma medication should be kept in the student's schoolbag. Please provide the office and class teachers with a copy of the student's asthma management plan. All other medication **MUST** be kept at the office. Parents are required to complete a medical indemnity form giving details of doses and times of medication. If your child has any allergies or medical conditions that may require urgent treatment our school needs an action plan. Please contact us to provide more details about medical conditions affecting your child.

The children are all very excited and are looking forward to the busy and interesting year ahead. Your child's well-being and education are paramount. If you have any questions and concerns regarding your child's progress or the learning program, please contact the class teacher to arrange an interview. Take the time to visit our school website (caring for students→special needs support tabs) for links to helpful information.

We look forward to working in partnership with you and your child.

Demi Loaney  
**2-6L CLASS TEACHER**  
16 February 2023

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**PRINCIPAL**