




EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL

SCHOOL INFORMATION





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Edgeworth Heights Public School **Information Booklet**

Welcome to EHPS

Edgeworth Heights Public School is committed to nurturing and providing a quality education in environments that ensure children can achieve their highest potential.

"Every child is unique, known, valued and cared for "

We recognise that to be successful in school, children need support from both home and school. We believe strong partnerships between school and home will make a significant difference in a child's education and wellbeing.

In partnership with you and other members of our community, we provide children with quality education that engages and challenges them. We aim to equip our students with the knowledge, skills and attributes for future success and lifelong learning.

The strength in our professional and highly motivated staff inspires and encourages

- love of learning
- high expectations
- care and respect for self and others
- pursuit of excellence
- being active citizens of Australia and the world
- appreciating Australia's history and multicultural society

My name is
Echo!
I am a gecko
and I am the
EHPS school
mascot.



School Details

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Bell Times

Morning: 8:30am - 8:55am

Session 1: 8:55am - 10:55am

1st Lunch: 10:55am - 11:20am

2nd Lunch: 11:20am - 11:45am

Session 2: 11:45am - 1.15pm

Recess: 1.15pm - 1.40pm

Session 3: 1.40pm - 2.55pm

Afternoon Dismissal: 2:55pm

Communication At EHPS

At EHPS we use a number of methods to communicate with our parents and families.



Audiri is our main source of communication for parents about school. We provide reminders, updates, and copies of notes etc. It is free to download for Apple or Android users.

The Facebook logo, consisting of the word "facebook" in white lowercase letters on a blue rectangular background.

Our School Facebook page is used to provide reminders, flyers, advertise events within the school and is where we share photos of our events and activities.

Our P&C also have a Facebook page.

The School Bytes logo features a circular icon with a stylized book or document inside, followed by the text "School Bytes" in a white, sans-serif font on a dark blue background.

Our school uses School Bytes as our method for permission and payments for school activities. Communication is sent to families through email, so it's important that your email details are always up to date. When an activity occurs, families will receive an email that provides information about the activity, parents permission is signed digitally and payment can be made directly through the link on the email. Paper copies can be provided upon request.

The Seesaw logo features a colorful, stylized icon of a seesaw or a bow, followed by the word "Seesaw" in a blue, cursive font.

Seesaw is an online communication platform. Classroom teachers use it to showcase student work and achievements. This is not a two-way communication system.

School Map

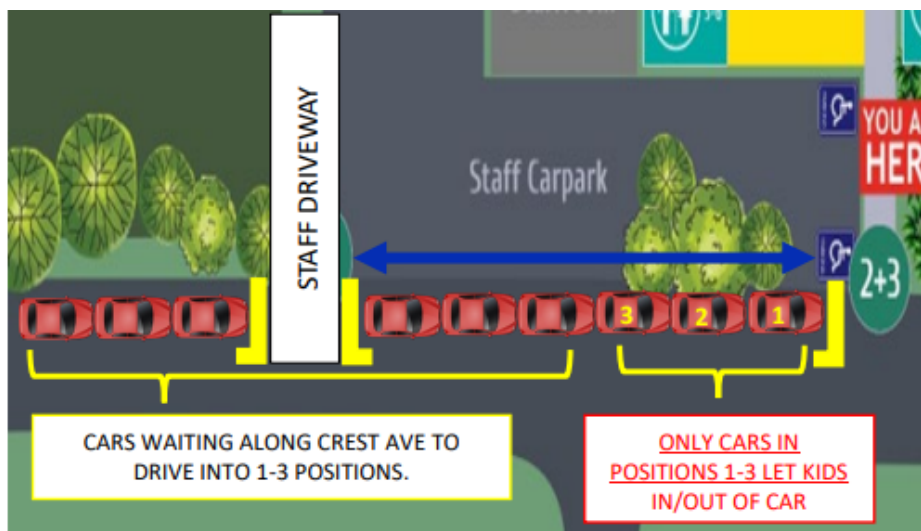


Kiss & Ride and Bus Zone

Edgeworth Heights Public School's Kiss and Ride Zone has been re-designed for your convenience and for your child's safety. Designed for quick entry and exit, the zone minimises congestion and risk when used properly by all parents and carers.

The zone operates under the same conditions as no parking zones:

- You may stop to drop off or pick up your children for a maximum of 2 minutes.
- You are required to remain in, or within 3 metres of your vehicle.
- The zone operates as a Kiss and Drop Zone between 8:00-9:30am and 2:30-4:00pm. It is unrestricted parking out of these times.



Cars 1 - 3 drive away once children are safely in the car or dropped off at school.
Drop off and pick up zones will be marked by school witches' hats.

If there are no car spots available in the Kiss and Ride Zone you **MUST** drive around the block and try again.

To register for a Kiss and Ride name card please contact our school office. The school will provide you with a family name card to clearly display on your front windscreen or visor when collecting students in the afternoon.

Morning Drop Off Procedure:

- Parent/carer drives into Kiss and Ride Zone and moves to the most forward position.
- Student takes off seatbelt and exits the car using the door closest to the curb.
- Student walks to the school gate independently.
- Parent drives from Kiss and Ride Zone safely.
- Please DO NOT queue over staff driveway.

Afternoon Pick Up Procedure:

- Staff member to walk students to Kiss and Ride Zone.
- Family Kiss and Ride name card clearly displayed on windscreen or visor.
- Parent drives to the most forward position. Parent to stay in car. Child MUST enter from the door closest to the curb.
- Cars exit Kiss and Ride in the order of arrival. i.e., No car leaves before the car in the first position exits the Kiss and Ride area. This is for the safety of our students crossing at the crossing.



Bus Zone:

The bus zone is strictly No Parking. Please keep this area clear so that staff members can ensure all students are moved safely to their designated buses.

Administration

Morning Supervision

Teachers on duty begin supervision at 8:30am. Students are not to arrive before 8:30am.

Late Arrivals or Early Leavers

If your child is late to school (after 9:00am) or needs to be picked up early (before 2.55pm) you will need to proceed to the office to notify the office that your child is late or leaving. If your child is leaving early, please contact the office to ensure your child and their bag is in the foyer waiting.

Sick at School

If your child is sick or injured at school, they will be sent to the sick bay in the office. Our First Aid Officer will decide if the student requires first aid, monitoring or if their parent/carer is to be contacted.

Contact Details

Please ensure that your emergency contact details are up to date with the office. If they change throughout the year, please inform the office staff.





PBL Expectations and Awards

EXPECTED BEHAVIOURS ALL SETTINGS

RESPECT

- Speak respectfully
- Co-operate
- Allow others to learn, play and teach
- Care for property and the environment

RESPONSIBILITY

- Follow instructions
- Own your actions
- Right place, right time, right tone
- Be safe and keep everyone else safe

STRIVE

- Engage in all activities
- Problem solve
- Make positive choices
- Aim for your personal best



Everyone | Everywhere | Every Time

MERIT AWARDS

Teachers hand out 3 (K-2) or 4 (3-6) Merit Awards each week at our school recognition assembly for students showcasing our PBL expectations.

Once a student receives 2 awards they can take them to the office to receive 1 Mini Echo to go towards their 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 Echo Awards.



PRINCIPAL AWARDS

The principal can give out principal awards at any time during the Term.

Students can show 2x Principal Awards at the office to receive 1 Mini Echo.

Students can show 1x Principal Award + 1x Merit Award at the office to receive 1 Mini Echo to go towards their 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 Echo Awards.



SALTIES

Salties are handed out each day during play times and in class to students showing PBL expectations.

The whole school will receive a reward day when we fill our Salties barrel.

5 students at random will be drawn from the Salties barrel once a week to receive a \$1 Canteen voucher.



ECHOES

Teachers hand out Mini Echoes each week in class to students consistently showing our PBL expectations.

Students put their Mini Echoes into their PBL Awards Booklet in their classroom.

When students complete their 10, 20, 30, 40 & 50 pages they will be presented with their Echo certificate during our Friday Week 9 Celebration Assembly.



10 ECHOES = CERTIFICATE AT ASSEMBLY

10x

NAME: _____	RESPECT	<input type="checkbox"/>
TEACHER: _____	RESPONSIBILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STRIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>

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20 ECHOES = CERTIFICATE AT ASSEMBLY + SPECIAL AFTERNOON

20x

NAME: _____	RESPECT	<input type="checkbox"/>
TEACHER: _____	RESPONSIBILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STRIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>

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30 ECHOES = CERTIFICATE AT ASSEMBLY + PRINCIPAL AFTERNOON TEA

30x

NAME: _____	RESPECT	<input type="checkbox"/>
TEACHER: _____	RESPONSIBILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STRIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>

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40 ECHOES = CERTIFICATE AT ASSEMBLY + MEDAL

40x

NAME: _____	RESPECT	<input type="checkbox"/>
TEACHER: _____	RESPONSIBILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STRIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>

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50 ECHOES = CERTIFICATE AT ASSEMBLY + REWARDS DAY

50x

NAME: _____	RESPECT	<input type="checkbox"/>
TEACHER: _____	RESPONSIBILITY	<input type="checkbox"/>
	STRIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>

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EHPS Reading Gems

Reading Gems are a whole school home reading program. It allows students to build fluency, comprehension, word-solving and a love of reading in a supportive environment.

Students log 25 nights reading or being read to at home. Every 25 nights that are logged students are acknowledged with an award, gem sticker (goes onto the class bag) and students 'level up' to the next gem.

They can read as many books in one night but only the one night is logged.

EHPS Home Reading Gems

Join the quest...
collect the gems and
be rewarded along
the way.

This quest belongs to:



Library and Technology

At EHPS students engage with future focused learning outcomes in a supportive environment that utilises progressive teaching techniques to engage every student. Students visit the library weekly to explore and engage in hands on activities that support knowledge construction. Technology is incorporated to enhance all student's learning experiences and equip them with necessary skills as a 21st Century learner. A variety of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) activities add to students authentically utilising technology in the classroom and in connecting to real word learning.



Library Borrowing

Each week students will have the opportunity to browse our library collection and borrow. Students are able to borrow up to 4 books weekly. A library bag is required to borrow. The Library is open during some of the breaks during the week for students to borrow books or engage with technology.

Aboriginal and Multicultural Education

At EHPS the Aboriginal Education Team, strive to share and immerse all of our students into the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures. We are supported by knowledgeable and inspiring staff to deliver Cultural Education Programs.

Some of the initiatives that our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children can be involved in are:

- Girls/Boys Groups
- Yadaki (Didge) Groups
- Cultural Inclusive Sporting Programs
- Cultural Cooking Programs



Multicultural Education and inclusivity is encompassed within the school through programs and events that celebrate the cultures represented within our school.

Some of these initiatives include:

- Harmony Club
- Harmony Week
- In class support for students who identify as English and Language Dialect
- Newsletter Highlights

Canteen

Our canteen operates on a Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in 2024 and is always looking for volunteers to help. Please contact the school if you are interested



EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL

FRUIT, VEG & BREAKFAST (AVAILABLE ALL DAY)	
2 SLICES OF TOAST WITH TOPPING	\$2.50
CUP OF CEREAL & MILK (RAINBOW RINGS/MILO DUO)	\$1.50
PINEAPPLE RING	\$0.60
CUCUMBER STICKS (6)	\$0.60
CARROT STICKS (6)	\$0.60
APPLE (RED OR GREEN)	\$1.20
WATERMELON	\$1.20
GRAPES	\$1.50
YOGURT & MUESLI CUP	\$2.50
VEGI BOWL & DIP (CARROT, CUCUMBER, CHERRY)	\$6.50

DRINKS (AVAILABLE ALL DAY)	
PLAIN MILK	\$1.20
MILO (HOT OR COLD)	\$1.50
WATER (STILL OR SPARKLING) 600ML	\$2.00
APPLE JUICE/TROPICAL JUICE POPPER	\$2.50
OAK CHOCOLATE OR OAK STRAWBERRY MILK	\$3.00
CHILL J 99% SPARKLING JUICE (APPLE COOLA, GRAPE)	\$3.00

SANDWICHES/WRAP/SALADS (ORDER ONLY)	
BUILD YOUR OWN SANDWICH	\$2.00
BUILD YOUR OWN WRAP	\$2.00
BUILD YOUR OWN SALAD TUB	\$0.50
ADD ONS \$0.50 – VEGEMITE, JAM, HONEY	
ADD ONS \$0.60 - LETTUCE, TOMATO, CUCUMBER,	
ADD ONS \$0.80 – CHEESE	
ADD ONS \$1.50 - COLD CHICKEN, HAM, EGG, AVOCADO	
CHICKEN CRACKLES \$1.00 (EA)	
PLAIN OR SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN TENDERS \$2.20 (EA)	

HOT FOOD (ORDER ONLY)	
SPRING ROLLS (EA)	\$0.60
CHICKEN CRACKLES OR MINI CHICKEN NIBBLES (EA)	\$1.00
PLAIN OR SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN TENDERS (EA)	\$2.20
GARLIC BREAD (5)	\$3.00
NOODLE CUP (CHICKEN OR BEEF)	\$3.00
LEAN SAUSAGE ROLL (TOMATO OR BBQ SAUCE - 60C)	\$4.00
LEAN LARGE PIE (TOMATO OR BBQ SAUCE – 60C EA)	\$5.00
PIZZA CHEESE	\$3.50
ADD CHICKEN/HAM/PEPPERONI (EA)	\$1.50
ADD PINEAPPLE/ONION/TOMATO (EA)	\$0.60

HOT FOOD CONT (ORDER ONLY)	
FISH & CHIPS (CUTLERY INCLUDED)	\$5.50
CHICKEN BURGER (STARTING PRICE ONLY)	\$5.00
ADD LETTUCE, TOMATO, CUCUMBER, CARROT	\$0.60E
ADD CHEESE	\$0.80
ADD AVOCADO	\$1.50

HOT FOOD CONT (ORDER ONLY)	
FRIED RICE (RICE, VEGATABLES, SOY SAUCE,)	\$5.50
ADD SPRING ROLLS 60C EA – ADD MINI CHICKEN	
BUTTER CHICKEN & RICE W/PAPPADUM	\$6.50
SPAGHETTI BOLOGNESE (ADD CHEESE 80C)	\$6.50
NACHO BOWL	\$6.90
ADD SALADS OR CORN 60C EA	
ADD GUACAMOLE OR BEANS \$1.50EA	



COUNTER SNACKS	
RICE CAKES (CHEESE) (EA)	\$0.20
MILO/FRUITY RING BITES (1 SCOOP)	\$0.30
MILO BALLS (CANTEEN MADE)	\$0.60
ANZAC BISCUIT	\$0.60
POPCORN	\$1.00
JELLY/CUSTARD CUPS	\$1.20
GRAINWAVES SOUR CREAM & CHIVES	\$1.50
SEA SALT CHIPS	\$1.50

FROZEN TREATS	
FROZEN JELLY WOBBLE (SWEET & SOUR)	\$0.30
FROZEN ANIMAL POP (ASSORTED)	\$0.60
ZOOPER DOOPER (ZERO SUGAR)	\$0.80
SNAPSTIX (ASSORTED)	\$1.20
VANILLA ICE CREAM CUP	\$1.20
TNT ICE MONY (ASSORTED)	\$1.40
SORBET (STRAWBERRY OR WATERMELON)	\$1.50
PADDLE POP (CHOCOLATE, RAINBOW OR	\$2.00

VOLUNTEERS
VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED
MUM, DAD, AUNT, UNCLE, GRANDPARENT
EVERYONE IS WELCOME
WEEKLY, FORTNIGHTLY, MONTHLY OR
TERMLY, ALL HELP IS GREATLY APPRECIATED
IF YOU CAN SPARE SOME TIME THROUGHOUT
THE YEAR, PLEASE GET IN CONTACT

BIRTHDAY BUCKETS 4 DAYS NOTICE
QUELCH ICE BLOCK \$1.00 PER CHILD
POPCORN \$1.00 PER CHILD
VANILLA CUPCAKE (PINK OR BLUE ICING) \$1.50
BIRTHDAY BUCKET INCLUDES A BIRTHDAY
ADD A GOODIE BAG \$5.00
FOR BIRTHDAY CHILD ONLY



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Uniform Shop



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SHOPPING CART
0 Item(s) - \$0.00



EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS SKORTS

\$30.00

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EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS SPORTS SHORTS

\$23.00

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EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS POLO

\$35.00

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EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS JACKET

\$56.00

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EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS HAT

\$22.00

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EHPS MICROFIBRE TRACKPANTS

\$34.00

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EDGEWORTH HEIGHTS HOODIE

\$51.00

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Opening Hours

Wednesday 2:30pm to 4:00pm

Thursday 3:30pm to 4:30pm

Orders can be made online by visiting www.countryfeelinguniforms.com.au

- Go to the Edgeworth Heights Public School website
- Click on "Shop" - Edgeworth Heights Public School
- Click on your required items
- Choose sizes and quantities and add to cart
- Continue through to payment page and pay via paypal or debit/credit card

Please note: Hats are available for purchase at the School office **CASH ONLY**



The Edgeworth Heights P&C Association is a not-for-profit organisation which was established to promote the interests of the school. The P&C is an important parent voice that supports school decisions and directions. Parents, citizens and teaching staff come together to plan how the P&C can assist the school and students through fundraising or decision making. In partnership with the P&C we promote the learning and wellbeing of the students at our school.

Membership

Membership of the EHPS P&C is open to all parents and carers of students attending the school and to all citizens connected to the school. The P&C is always eager to welcome new members.

Annual membership is \$1.00 which entitles you to be involved in the decision making of the P&C Association. You are still welcome to attend meetings without becoming a member and membership is not required for you to volunteer in the canteen or at fundraising events.

Meetings

Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month @ 6pm – usually in the school library.

Active OOSH Cameron Park Service Information



Why Active OOSH?

Since 2011, Active OOSH has been providing exceptional care for children in Cameron Park and the wider Newcastle area. We pride ourselves on building strong, genuine connections with our community by supporting local initiatives, partnering with local businesses and providing opportunities for families to be actively involved in our service.

Active OOSH excel in providing an extensive array of engaging experiences for children of all ages and abilities to enjoy on a daily basis. Our experienced and passionate team develop programs based on the interests and needs of the children and their families while creating a space in which all children feel welcome, safe, valued and cared for. For our littlest OOSHies, we run a specialised Kindergarten Transition Program which slowly introduces children to the routines and expectations of Big School in the comfort of a preschool style environment.



Hours + Fees

Before your
Child Care Subsidy is applied

Before School Care:

6:30am - 9:30am | \$24

After School Care:

1:30pm - 6:30pm | \$29

Vacation Care:

6:30am - 6pm | \$85

What's included?

Healthy Menu

Nutritious breakfast and afternoon tea is provided each day.

Specialised Programs

We program a range of engaging opportunities each session including cooking; science; core values; cultural education; sustainability; sport; health and safety; imaginative play; dance; building and construction; creative arts; loose parts play and a targeted preschool program.

Transport

Reliable, safe and efficient transport between the Active OOSH service, local schools and Vacation Care excursions.

Homework Club

Tailored, small group learning experiences run daily by our qualified educators.

Schools

Barnsley PS
Black Hill PS
Edgeworth PS
Edgeworth PS Preschool
Edgeworth Heights PS
Elmore Vale PS
Glendale East PS
Holy Cross Glendale
Macquarie College
St Benedict's Edgeworth
Wallsend South PS



Enquiries

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Visit our website: **activeooshnsw.com**

Find us on Facebook: **Active OOSH Cameron Park**

FAIR PLAY OOSH EDGEWORTH



WHAT MAKES US UNIQUE

Vehicle Transport from
Edgeworth Heights Public School & St Benedicts
Primary to the service in under 10 minutes
Walking distance from Edgeworth Public School via
the school footpath link

CONTACT US OR DROP IN FOR A WALK THROUGH OF OUR
AMAZING SPACE



ENROL
NOW... ONLINE

Space

Large open space for children to freely play in all weather.

OOSH Pets

Rodger the Rabbit

& our loved Rooster & Hens who provide free range eggs for the community and assist with sustainability.

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