KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT INFORMATION 2015

Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome to Eglinton Public School. Enclosed is the Eglinton Public School Information Booklet together with some valuable information about your child’s enrolment at this school including forms and requirements that we would like you to complete and return before your child starts school.

Application to enrol in a NSW Government school
Please read thoroughly, being careful to complete all sections of the form. This will help to ensure details are processed accurately and to ensure a smooth enrolment process for your child. If necessary information is omitted from the enrolment application form, it will be returned to you for further attention.

Birth Certificate
Similarly, it is imperative that a copy of your child’s Birth Certificate be provided and accompanies the application for enrolment. Again, failure to provide a Birth Certificate will result in a delay in your child’s enrolment. Information on how to apply for a Birth Certificate is enclosed.

Immunisation History Statement
A complete NSW Department of Health Immunisation History Statement must also be provided at enrolment (available from Medicare or phone 1800 653 809). Alternatively, the school must be advised in writing if you have chosen not to have your child immunised. Although it is not mandatory to have your child immunised, you must be made aware that your child will need to be excluded from school in the event of an outbreak of one of the common childhood illnesses. Pages from your child’s Immunisation “Blue Book” are not acceptable.

Proof of Residency
It is NSW Department of Education policy for prospective enrolments at any NSW government school to provide proof of residency (e.g. original notice of council rate, residential lease agreement, electricity accounts, etc.)

General Consent Note/School Contribution
This note should be completed and payment returned with your other forms.
**Kindergarten Orientation Letter**

Also enclosed is a letter explaining the steps required to enrol your child in our Kindergarten Orientation 2015 Program.

**Clothing Pool/Uniform shop order form**

All school uniforms can be purchased from our Clothing Pool which is open during school terms on Monday afternoons from 3.15 to 4pm. Additional order forms are available at the front office. A special Kindergarten 2015 order form is also enclosed. Please note each new kindergarten enrolment receives a free school hat as a gift from our P&C.

The Clothing Pool will also be open each afternoon on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday in the 4th week of orientation (8th to 10th September) from 2:30pm to 3:30pm.

**Bus Pass Application**

Should you wish for your child to catch a bus to and from school, these forms are available at the front office. Bathurst Buslines will produce a bus pass which will be mailed to your home address. For students on country bus runs, an application is still required but no bus pass will be produced.

Thank you for choosing Eglinton School. In partnership with you we plan to provide a broad and comprehensive curriculum that inspires your child to achieve their best. As Principal of Eglinton, I welcome you to our school. Please do not hesitate to contact us to discuss any issues that may help us achieve a happy and safe start to school life for your child.

Yours sincerely

Graham Small
Principal