

Why is Larnook right for you?

- Smaller class sizes insure your child gets the attention they need.
- We celebrate great achievement and effort.
- Strong literacy and numeracy programs.
- Peer programs that develop confidence and leadership.
- Performing arts programs.
- Family friendly attitude that encourage and welcome parent involvement.
- A part of the Big Scrub Learning Community providing countless educational and social communities with our sister schools.
- Programs that foster good health and a care and understanding for our environment.
- Well resourced computer lab.



We would love to meet you and your child, please come and join us at our kindy orientation days.

Thursday - 7/11/13

Thursday - 14/11/13

Thursday - 21/11/13

Thursday - 28/11/13



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Larnook Public School

Starting Kindy



A day in our kindy room....

- Our first bus picks up from Lismore at 8:00 and arrives at 8:30 and students are supervised until school starts at 9:10.
- We sit down for crunch n sip followed by physical activity till 9:30. Friday mornings we have an assembly which the Stage 3 children run.
- In our classroom, we have morning literacy. On Tuesdays and Fridays, parents come and help with groups, which includes spelling, reading, writing and computers.
- Recess begins at 11:10 to 11:30.
- Our middle session is dedicated to numeracy which we do in groups and use the TEN (Teaching Early Numeracy) program.
- We use many forms of media to support your child's literacy and numeracy skills including hands on, web based and group activities.
- Lunch is 1:00 to 1:45.
- Afternoons are our creative time with programs including choir, visual arts, performing arts, library and sport.
- Our day finishes at 3:10.
- Friday afternoons students stay back and participate in "active After Schools" and catch the high school bus home.
- Our classmates from in town are supervised till 3:45 when the bus arrives to take them back to Lismore NORCO by 4:30.

"We are lucky to have a bus route from Lismore to Cawongla and Billen Cliffs. I love that my children can have a small school experience while living in town."

What to expect at your first kindy Orientation...

Your child will be given a chance to experience a regular day in our classroom and will be involved in all aspects of our daily routine. Kindy "O" children will participate in our literacy groups and numeracy groups, along with a creative arts project in the afternoon. Your child will be able to interact with all grades during recess and lunch and will be well supported by our older students. You will also be looked after and will be welcome to stay for the day and join in the activities or drop them off and pick them up that afternoon.

Children will bring home with them work samples from their first day at big school along with their enrolment packages and resources to help you settle in.

What to pack for your Kindy "O"...

- A piece of fruit for Crunch n Sip
- Morning tea and lunch
- Drink bottle
- Hat
- Closed in shoes
- Change of clothes



Preparing your child for school

- Introduce school routine to your child's day so they are accustomed to them before they begin.
- Ensure your child has a bed time appropriate for their age.
- Read and count with your child.
- Teach your child basic hygiene.
- Help your child learn to write their name and tie their shoelaces (Velcro is great!)
- Be enthusiastic about learning, your child will be too!