



# DUTTON PARK STATE SCHOOL

## Prep Information

### ABOUT OUR PREP TRANSITION

Many children wonder what starting school will be like. It is a big change for your child and family. At Dutton Park, we believe that a positive start to school will help your child develop a lifelong love of learning. We see the importance in establishing effective relationships with children and trusting partnerships with families to ensure everyone feels part of the 'Dutton Park *family*'. That's why at Dutton Park, we offer a variety of events for parents and children as part of our prep transition.

### PREP INFORMATION SESSION

**TUESDAY 27<sup>th</sup> August**

**4:00pm in the Prep Classroom, followed by a Sausage Sizzle at 5:30pm.**

Parents will meet teachers and staff and hear about what happens on a typical Prep day. There will be time for questions. Following this session, parents are invited to stay for a sausage sizzle where they will meet and mingle with other pre-prep families.

### PREP INTERVIEWS

**MONDAY 28<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER – FRIDAY 1<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER**

We will hold a 20 minute interview with a prep teacher, parent/s and your child. This meeting allows us to get to know your child and family. The office will call to arrange an appointment.

### PREP ORIENTATION MORNINGS

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 9:00 – 10:00am;  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 9:00 – 10:00am; and  
Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 9:00 – 10:00am.**

Our Prep orientation mornings allow your child to experience first-hand of being in a Prep classroom. While your child is engaged in a variety of activities, parents will attend information sessions on various topics related to Prep or starting school. We encourage all future Prep children and their parents to come along to all three sessions.

## Enrolment Procedure

- **Visit our website**  
<https://duttonparkss.eq.edu.au>
- **Click on Enrolments – Enrolling at our school**
- **Click on Student Enrolment form (under Related links) and complete form**
- **Email/bring completed form to School Office along with original Australian birth certificate or passport**

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