

BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 - Week 4 - 2021

February

Tuesday 16 Swimming Carnival

March

Wednesday 3 School Photo Day

Thursday 25 Kindergarten Eye Sight Screening

Friday 26 Kindergarten Eye Sight Screening

April

Thursday 1 LAST DAY OF TERM 1

Tuesday 20 FIRST DAY OF TERM 2

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Message from the Principal

Dear BPS Community,

I have been amazed at just how quickly the students have settled into their routines. Teaching and learning is almost at full throttle – an extraordinary result for so early in the year. Your children and the staff at BPS should be congratulated!

Our wonderful parents and carers have been helping to make student arrivals and departures smooth and safe. To all of you understanding parents and carers who have been waiting patiently on the footpath closest to the road a BIG thank you!

A word of advice to those parents double parking or parking next to the yellow lines that run along some gutters: last year on one afternoon alone our parents and carers were fined a total of \$20,000. Also, these practices are unsafe and put others at risk of injury.

Despite my advice, many parents and carers have not put their child's name on their hat, jacket, lunch bag, drink bottle, etc. This of course makes these things extremely difficult to find when they become lost. It is a simple process of leaving your child's hat and jacket at the Admin Office on a Friday morning and we will embroider their initials on these items of clothing for FREE.

When our students are in the correct school uniform it is a lovely sight to behold! School uniforms are crucial in helping students take pride in their school and their school work. The only people who can ensure our students wear the correct school uniform are YOU the parents and carers. It only takes one student to wear the wrong piece of clothing and very quickly this spreads like a disease. Please note that the two pieces of clothing that cause the most trouble are hats and shoes. Should any student wear any hat other that the school's blue bucket hat, they will be asked to put it in their bag. These students will be allowed to borrow a hat from the Admin Office for the day. Shoes at BPS should be all black (either black runners or black leather school shoes — the safest option). I know that runners that are all black are sometimes hard to find. As long as your child's shoes are mostly black, that will do.

These are difficult economic times. We face an unknown future. A child's education has never been more important. Every child is like a blank canvas; we simply do not know where they will be or what they will be doing in 20 years' time. One thing I have learnt is that we should never limit a child's future by failing to see their potential. The best way to reveal that potential is to have them attend school EVERY SCHOOL DAY and ON TIME.

Mr B. Moseley Principal

Hindu Scripture

Volunteers needed

We are looking for some parent volunteers to run our Hindu scripture classes every Friday from 1.10 to 1.40pm. If you are interested, you will be connected to the Hindu organisation who will provide some training for you. Please contact the school and speak to Miss Kinder so she can organise for the Hindu organisation to contact you. Thank you





Phone: 9605 2459

Email: bardia-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Website: www.bardia-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

No more paper notes will be sent home

By now all parents should have access to School Stream.

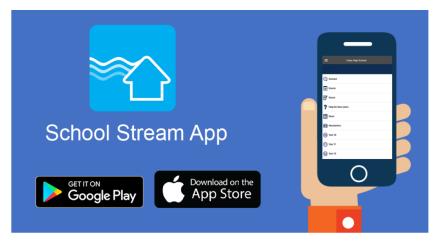
If you have downloaded the app and do not have access it is because your details do not match the details given on your child's enrolment. Mrs Zeeman sent an email to these parents today attaching a change of details form. Once received we will update our computer records and you will receive access automatically.

If you have not downloaded the app do so immediately. You will be missing out on vital information and notes. Detailed instructions on how to download the app are in the last few issues of the newsletter which is emailed to parents who have given their email address. Alternatively the newsletter can be found on our website **https://bardia-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/** (tab top right).

One-to-one messaging between parents and teachers is still a couple of weeks away. We have been in negotiations with School Stream and will advise you as soon as it is available. In the meantime you can send a message to the school's email address bardia-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au (please put the teacher's name in the subject line) and the office staff will forward to your child's teacher.

School Stream in your preferred language is a wonderful feature. You can set your preferred language so all communication will be received in the language of your choice. When you send a message or complete details in your preferred language it will appear to us as English! Details on how to set up this feature are in the instructions as noted above.

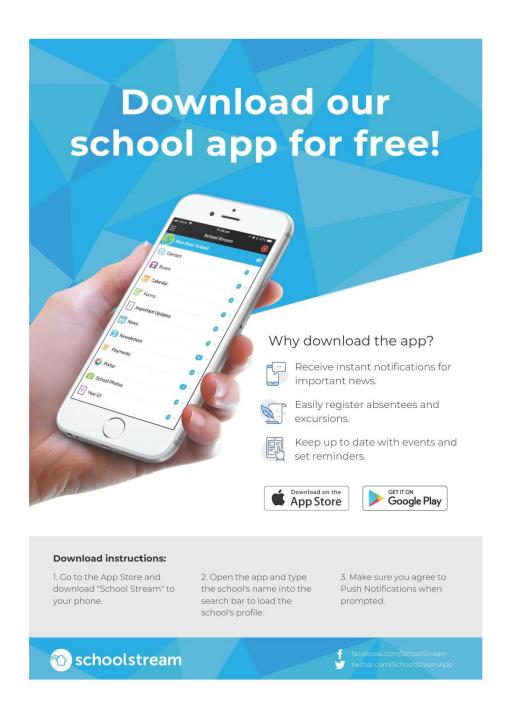
Happy Streaming



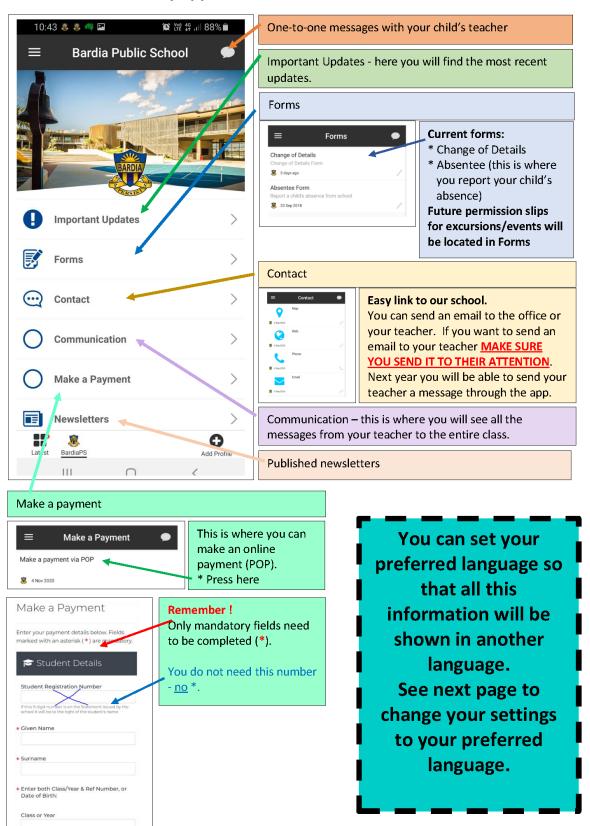


COMING SOON

This is how the school communications with you. One-to-one messages to the teacher, whole-school communications, forms, permission slips, newsletters etc. Easy school contact details and you can set your preferred language

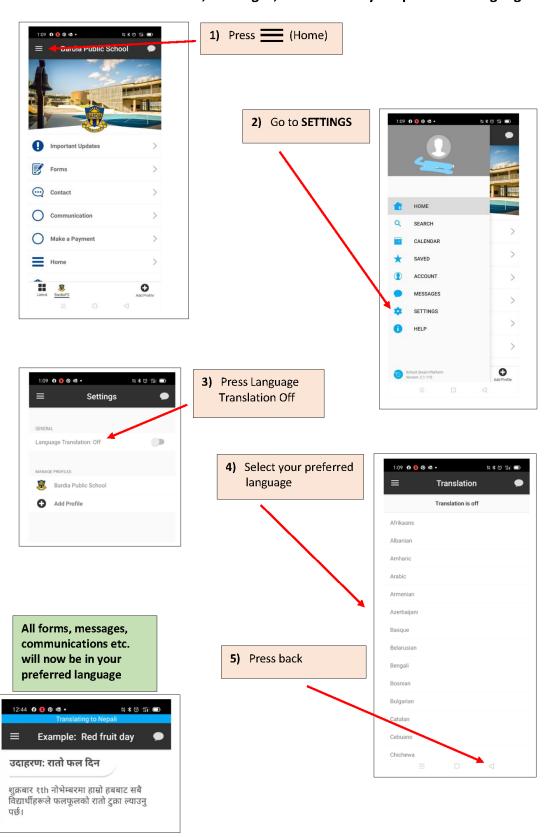


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HOW TO SET YOUR PREFERRED LANGUAGE

See all communications, messages, forms etc. in your preferred language



Your OSHC.

Tailored before and after school experiences that children love.



Dear Families,

We are excited to be partnering with your school to provide our *Your OSHC* service.

Your OSHC is Camp Australia's brand for our tailored experiences - Before School, After School and on Pupil Free Days - that aim to inspire your child and help them grow.

Our Your OSHC program is tailored to your child, driving curiosity and wonder, whilst creating a unique place where children can practice real-life skills in a fun, exciting environment that challenges them to succeed. Every program is varied, with experiences centred around STEM, Outdoor Play, Sports, Group Games and Imaginative Play – no two programs are the same!

Download the Parent Portal app











Experience Your OSHC

To attend Your OSHC, you first need to register your child and book. Even if you don't plan on experiencing Your OSHC right away, we recommend that all families register for free, so that if you ever need us, we have all the information and documentation we need to best care for your child.

To register and start booking, click the link below or download our Parent Portal app – available on the App Store and through Google Play.

Register free and book



Virtual Info Sessions

To make the process easier for you, and to answer any questions you may have about Outside School Hours Care, we are also hosting free virtual parent information sessions.

These virtual, informative, and interactive sessions will provide insight into how OSHC at Camp Australia operates. The team presenting will discuss programs that are offered, registration and booking process, billing, Child Care Subsidy and more.

More information



Session 1

Tuesday 16 February 12:30pm – 1:00pm

Register



Session 2

Thursday 18 February 8:00pm - 8:30pm

Register



Enriching programs

As we start Term 1, we also want to ensure you that we're here to help you and your children settle into school. Our teams have been busy designing the perfect program to kick off the new year, focused on welcoming children into service, strengthening friendships and building confidence for the year ahead.







If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact our friendly Customer Care Team on 1300 105 343 who are available 5am – 9pm, 7 days a week - except National Public Holidays.

We look forward to seeing you at Your OSHC soon!

Kind Regards, The Camp Australia Team





EVERYONE IS BORROWING!

Written by Mrs. Kathy Wyber

All students have had the opportunity to borrow this week and enjoy their first library lessons. As always reading to our goldfish has been a highlight, along with Dharma the Llama masks in Kindergarten. So that your child can borrow please encourage them to bring a bag for their library books.

What do they do in library lessons?

Students attend the library with their hub teachers to enjoy books, borrow and learn about how to find books and resources in the library. As well as this they participate in literacy activities and develop their research skills. In Term 1 we concentrate on library procedures for borrowing and practicing silent reading skills.

Books borrowed from the library are meant to be enjoyed with an adult and are not for the purpose of learning to read.

HUB LIBRARY DAYS ARE:

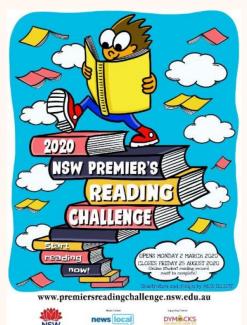
Monday- Waratah, Casuarina, Desert Flame & Banksia

Tuesday- Lilly Pilly, Wattle, Wallabies, Goannas & Dingoes

Wednesday- Grevillea, Bilbies, Possums, Koalas & Wombats

Thursday- Echidnas, Kookaburras & Kangaroos

Friday- Potoroos, Cockatoos & Emus



Premier's Reading Challenge

At Bardia PS we encourage all students to participate in the Premier's Reading Challenge. The challenge begins in February and finishes in late August and requires the children at different age groups to read a certain number of books from the list provided. All children will be participating during library and class time. The children in the K-2 classes will have the books read to them by their class teachers and recorded as a whole group. The 3-6 children will keep their own records during library time. The students will be starting their challenge before the end of the term.

For more information about the challenge please see:

www.schools.nsw.edu.au/premiersreadingc hallenge/index

Library Bags

Exciting news concerning library bags!

We are purchasing school library bags that will be available at the office and the uniform shop. We will notify you as soon as they are ready for sale.





Goldie is back from holidays too!

Everyday ELLA ideas

for reading

When you read with your child often, good things happen. You are close together, looking at the same thing. Your child will hear many new words and phrases. You can ask each other questions about the book and talk about what is happening in the story. That is not all ...

Books can surprise us.

Books can help us learn about other cultures and experiences.

Books can help us to understand others.

Books can change the way we see ourselves.

Books can help us learn to include others.

Some questions for you

Who wrote the book?

What is the author's (and the illustrator's) culture and background? Does the author have experience of what and who they are writing about?

Are the characters believable?

Does the story show real emotions? Can your child relate to the characters? Is the story interesting?

Do you want to keep reading the book? Is your child interested? Are the pictures engaging?

Is the story appropriate for the age of your child?

Does your child understand the story? Do you feel comfortable talking about the story? What is the book's message? Does the book show respect for all people?

When was the book written? Are the words and pictures used suitable? Do the messages about

society seem to be biased, or are they factual?

Will this book help your child to show respect for people from of a range of cultures and backgrounds?

Find a cosy spot and enjoy a book together.

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We kindly ask to send tissues which are urgently needed

FROM THE OFFICE



LOST PROPERTY

We have a quite a number of uniform items in lost property with no names. If your child has lost clothing that does not have their name on it but you feel you would recognise it, please go through the lost property (located in front of the office)

Our Eftpos service is available between 8:30am – 12:00pm



UNIFORM INFORMATION



Don't forget to bring your child's hat and jacket purchases to the office for embroidery with their unique initials. We retain a register of all records so we can return any lost items to the students.

Embroidery service is on FRIDAY MORNINGS only



We kindly ask to send tissues which are **urgently** needed



CANTEEN







Keep an eye out on the Brooke's Canteen Facebook page for photographs of just some of the healthy counter items that are made daily!



3 Chicken Nuggets H	\$2.00	Lasagne H	\$4.00
6 Chicken Nuggets H	\$4.00	Chicken Penne Napolitana H HM	\$4.00
Spaghetti Bolognese <mark>HM</mark>	\$4.00	Butter Chicken & Rice H HM	\$5.00
Penne Napolitana H V HM	\$4.00	Hash Brown V	\$1.00
Beef Burrito HM	\$5.00	Sausage Roll H	\$3.50
Beef Pie H	\$4.00	Macaroni & Cheese H V	\$4.00
Beef Burger HM	\$4.00	Beef or Chicken Noodles H	\$3.50
Crumbed Chicken Burger H HM	\$4.00	Bruschetta Roll V HM	\$4.50
Beef Cheeseburger HM	\$4.00	Vegetarian Curry Rice V HM	\$4.00
Beef Nachos HM	\$5.00	Ham & Cheese Toastie HM	\$4.00

Sandwiches And Wraps

\$1.50
\$2.00
\$2.50
\$3.50
\$3.50
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\$4.00
\$5.00
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Salad Boxes 4 Cold Food

Garden Salad Box GF V H HM	\$3.50
Fruit Salad Box GF V H HM	\$4.00
Vermicelli Noodle Salad Box V H HM	\$5.00
Greek Salad V HM	\$4.50
Teriyaki Chicken Rice Paper Rolls HM	\$5.00
Vegetarian Noodle Rice Paper Rolls HN	√1 \$5.00
Teriyaki Chicken Salad HM	\$5.00
Ham or Tuna Salad Box HM	\$5.00
Moroccan Chicken Salad Box HM	\$5.00
Chicken Caesar Salad Bowl HM	\$5.00
Yoghurt Fruit & Muesli Bowl V HM	\$5.00

Pizzas 4 avesadillas

Garlic Bread H V HM	\$2.00
Cheese Pizza Roll H V HM	\$2.50
Cheese & Diced Ham Roll HM	\$2.50
Vegetarian Pizza Roll H V HM	\$3.50
Hawaiian Pizza Roll HM	\$3.50
BBQ Chicken Pizza Roll HM	\$3.50
Cheese & Tomato Quesadilla V HM	\$4.00
Spinach & Feta Quesadilla H V HM	\$4.00
Ham & Cheese Quesadilla HM	\$4.50
BBQ Chicken Quesadilla H HM	\$4.50
Vegetarian Quesadilla H V HM	\$4.50
BBQ Chicken Pîzza H	\$5.00
Cheese Pizza H V	\$5.00



Snack Food



Γ	Frozen Pineapple Ring GF V H HM	50c	Milo Cereal Cup V	\$1.00
	Piece of Fruit GF V	\$1.00	Nutrigrain Cereal Cup V	\$1.00
	Carrot or Cucumber Sticks GF V HM	\$1.00	2 x Vegemite Saos V HM	\$1.00
	Yoghurt Tub V	\$2.00	2 x Cheese & Tomato Saos V HM	\$2.50
	Frozen Grapes GF V H	\$2.00	Popcorn GF V H HM	\$1.00
	Corn Cobette GF V H HM	\$1.50	Koala Popcorn – BBQ, Chicken + Sweet Chilli	\$2.00
	Custard Cup V	\$2.00	Grain Waves Sour Cream & Chives 28g	\$2.00
	Watermelon Cup GF V HM	\$2.00		
	Honey & Yoghurt Cup V	\$2.50	Red Rock Deli Crisps Sea Salt 28g	\$2.00
	Orange Wedges GF V H	\$2.00	Mamee Noodle Snacks	\$2.00
	Fruit Kebab GF H V HM	\$2.50	Mamee Rice Sticks GF	\$2.00
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Thirst Quenchers

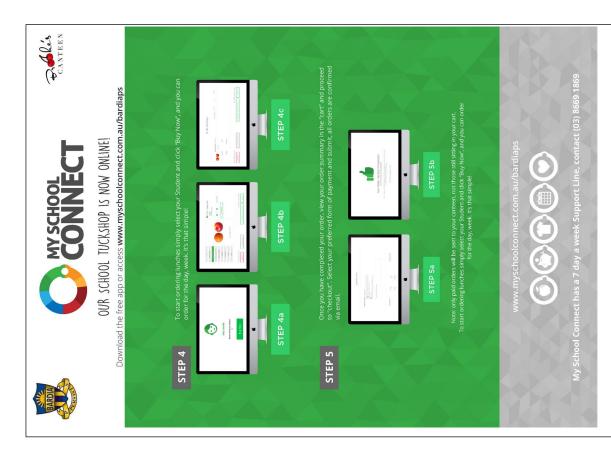
Meat Pizza H

Water 600ml	\$2.00
Fruit Infused Water	\$2.50
Oak Milk Lite	\$2.50
Juice Bomb Cans	\$2.50
Juice Poppers	\$1.50

Frozen Treats

Ice Mony Triangle	\$1.00
Juicies Ice Treat	\$1.00
Quelch Stick	\$1.00
Frozen Juice Cup	\$1.00
Moosies	\$2.00
Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.50

To order online please go to www.myschoolconnect.com.au. All online orders must be placed by 8am. If you miss this cut off time orders can be placed at the canteen by 9:00am. We accept cash & EFTPOS payments also. Sauces + Salad dressings are available for 50c each. Sandwiches can be toasted for an extra 50c and can also be changed to a wrap or bread roll for \$1. You can add cheese and other extras for 50c each. Extra spoons and forks are 10c each. All ice blocks, watermelon cups, yoghurt cups, noodle cups and custard cups need to be collected from the canteen by the student as these will not be sent to their classroom to avoid any spillage. Healthy over the counter items are available daily and range from 50c to \$2.50, these will be displayed on the counter at lunch and recess.

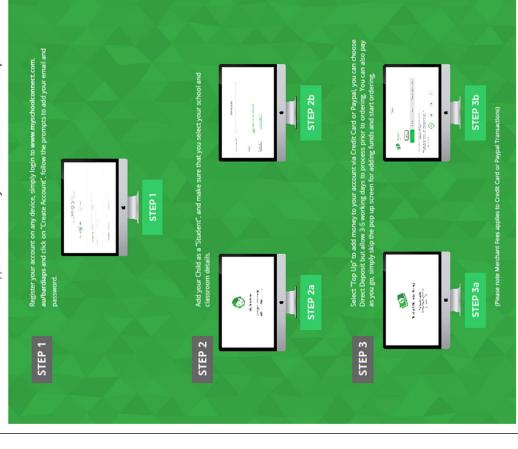






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Phone: 9829-1027

Email: skooluniforms168@gmail.com

Prices effective 1/1/2021 inclusive of GST.

GIRLS UNIFORM	SIZES	PRICE
Dress	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14	\$62.00
Polo Shirt with Logo	5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$31.00
Jazz Pants	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$27.00
Skort	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$25.00
Navy Tights	4 to 6, 6 to 8, 8 to 10, 10 to 12, Ladies 2 to 8	\$11.00
BOYS UNIFORM		
Polo Shirt with Logo	5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$31.00
Microfibre Shorts	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$22.00
UNISEX UNIFORM		
Polar Fleecy Jumper with Logo	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, M and L	\$36.00
Bomber Jacket with Logo	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$46.00
Fleecy T/Pants with Cuffs	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$24.00
Bucket Hat with Logo	XS (53cm), S (55cm), M (57cm), L (59cm)	\$15.00
Sport Socks	S (9 to 2), M (2 to 7), L (7 to 12)	\$11.00
White Socks	9 to 12, 13 to 3, 2 to 8	\$4.00
PAYMENT BY CASH, EFTPOS, CREDIT CARD (VISA / MASTERCARD) AND INTERNET (EFT) AVAILABLE.		
Account name : Skool Uniforms	BSB : 012318 Account number : 498172378	
Reference is BPS plus childs name and surname.		

Shop opening hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm, Saturday 10am to 2pm. In the January peak period our opening hours will be extended to Monday to Friday 8.30am to 6pm and Saturday and Sunday 9am to 5pm from 5/1/2021 till the end of February, 2021.

<u>Dear Parents</u> - given the new normal with Covid 19 and the <u>required social distancing</u> we can <u>only</u> accommodate 3 customers in the shop at any time. We recommend for the 2021 back to school period that you plan your purchases earlier in January to avoid the likely long queues in late January, 2021 and throughout February 2021.



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Alternatively, you can send us an email at <u>oshc@campaustralia.com.au</u> and one of our friendly Customer Care representatives can answer your questions.





Session 1 Tue, 16 Feb.

9.30am (AWST) 11.00am (ACST) 11.30am (AEST) 12.00pm (ACDT) 12.30pm (AEDT)

Register

Session 2 Thu, 18 Feb.

5.00pm (AWST) 6.30pm (ACST) 7.00pm (AEST) 7.30pm (ACDT) 8.00pm (AEDT)

Register



To register free for a Virtual Info Session, visit www.campaustralia.com.au/virtual-info-sessions



Register for OSHC

Once registered, you'll be able to easily make and manage your bookings online via our Parent Portal.

Register now free



Visit our blog

New articles are added each week for parents and cover various topics to help families.

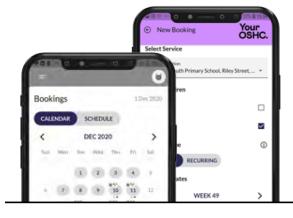
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- Track your spend.
- Manage your and your child's details.



Download the state-of-the-art Parent Portal app today and take control of your account with ease.





Updates coming in 2021

- Refer-a-friend loyalty rewards
- Offers and discounts
- 1n-service photo gallery

