

*Our Best since 1897*

Pre-primary - 2025



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## Introduction

Welcome parents and children to Pre-primary at Subiaco Primary School. This booklet is for your information to inform you about the Pre-primary year of schooling. During this year, we will provide your child with the opportunity to develop the skills and knowledge that they will build on throughout their future education. Our role as early childhood educators, is to provide your child with the best possible start to their education.

The Pre-primary Program features a holistic, integrated approach where child-centred activities, play, open-ended tasks, explicit teaching and targeted, structured activities contribute to a balanced curriculum. We believe that every student is an individual and we strive to plan and support each student to work at their individual developmental level – that includes catering for children’s cognitive, social, behavioural, emotional and physical needs.

We recognise that play is particularly important in childhood learning. Play provides children with opportunities to practise skills, communicate with others, take on challenges and solve real life problems in fun and enjoyable ways. Play-based learning aligned with explicit teaching is an integral and central part of our Pre-Primary program.

Your child and family are very important members of our school community.

### National Quality Standard

The Australian Government has recognised the importance of increasing the focus on the early years to ensure the well-being of children throughout their lives and to lift the productivity of our nation. The drive for change is based on clear evidence that the early years are very important for present and future health, development and well-being. A National Quality Framework for Early Childhood Education and Care has been developed. This sets the National Quality Standard (NQS) that all early childhood programs, including schools from Years K to 2, must meet. There are 7 quality areas: educational program and practice, physical environment, children’s health & safety, relationships, collaborative partnerships with families and communities, staffing and leadership.

## BEGINNING PRE-PRIMARY

### Avoiding the last minute rush

**All Pre-primary sessions commence at 8.50am.  
Doors open at 8.30am.**

Parents are encouraged to stand with their children outside of their classroom whilst they wait for the doors to open. The playground will be closed at this time and students are not permitted to play on the outdoor equipment before school. We foster independence and encourage our students to place their water bottles in the allocated places and bring in their folders and/or news items. All children must be delivered by a parent/guardian to the care of a staff member and under no circumstances, are to be left to enter the Pre-Primary classroom alone. We encourage you to develop a good routine of leaving home early enough to allow for plenty of time for your child to get settled before the school day starts. Punctuality is one of the most important character traits that we can instil in our children. At school, arriving 5 minutes late is not only disruptive for the whole class, but can mean missing out on a major teaching point.

### Saying Goodbye

Once you have assisted your child to unpack their water bottle and completed their morning routines, encourage your child to greet their teacher upon entering their classroom before finding a table activity which they would like to participate in. Parents are welcome to sit and interact with their child during this time.

The classroom teacher will ring a bell signalling the start of their teaching sessions. Please take the time to say goodbye to your child and to remind them of who will be collecting them at the end of their day. Teachers and Education Assistants will be on hand to help reassure and to comfort students who may need some support during this separation period.

### Picking Up Children

**The Pre-primary session concludes at 3:10pm.**

All students are to be collected from their classrooms by an authorised adult. Parents are asked to wait outside the classroom door until your child is released by a member of staff. This is important to ensure that all students are accounted for and are safely collected. If there are changes to your pick up arrangements or you are running late to collect your child, please contact the front office so that your child and their teacher can be informed. Students who are not collected by 3.20pm will need to be collected from the front office in accordance with our school policy.



## Healthy Eating

Recess, Lunch and Crunch and Sip are important parts of our daily routines and provide your child with the opportunity to re-fuel whilst engaging in social opportunities and interactions with their teachers and their peers. Our school is a Healthy Eating School and we encourage packing fruit, vegetables and healthy lunch items for your child. At recess, students are required to bring an individual healthy snack, such as fruit. They may also bring healthy alternatives such as dried fruits, cheese, rice crackers or vegetable sticks. Your child will also need to bring a packed lunch in a labelled container. Ensure that your child can manage food wrappings and open containers, lunch boxes and drink bottles independently. Please distinguish between lunch, recess and crunch & sip with your child.

## Birthdays

We are very happy to celebrate birthday's in Pre-primary and you are welcome to bring individual cup cakes to share on your child's birthday. When catering for the class, remember there will be up to 27 serves required and check with staff if there are any allergies or cultural needs to be considered. Please keep portions small.

## Looking after belongings

Children should not bring in any toys or personal, precious items to school unless they have been requested for a particular reason (e.g. news telling). Please check with the class teacher if you are unsure. Precious items from home can be accidentally damaged, broken or lost which can be very distressing to the child concerned and staff can not take responsibility for lost or damaged items. Please label all of your child's belongings and show them where these labels have been placed. In the event of lost property, please check with the class teacher.



## Making friends

Your child will make lots of new friends at school. As they go from one year to the next, they are likely to have different children in their classes.

Making friends is one of the most important social skills children learn at school. You can encourage this by:

- chatting with your child about how they talk with other children
- getting your child to share
- teaching your child to listen to others
- teaching your child to say 'please' and 'thank you'.

Often children have so much fun at school that they want to have more fun after school. They may ask to have a play date. This is a great way for you to get to know your child's friends and their parents. Meet at a park or play at each other's homes.



## PRACTICAL MATTERS

### Communication between home and school

Pre-Primary teachers use the SeeSaw app to communicate with parents about upcoming classroom events, as well as to share photos and/or videos of your students engaged in their learning throughout the day. At the beginning of the year, you will be provided with a SeeSaw consent form to complete which is to be returned to your class teacher. Upon receiving this you will be sent an invitation with instructions for logging in and connecting with your child's learning. Please note that only parents/guardians will have access to and can see their own child's digital portfolio. Notices will also be displayed outside your child's classroom. Parents of separated families are encouraged to agree on methods of communication between home and school so that everyone can be included.

Compass is a communication tool that facilitates interaction between the school and parents. For further information on Compass please read Page 14.

### What to bring to Pre-primary

All Pre-primary students are required to bring a Subiaco Primary School bag to school each day which contains sunscreen, a change of clothes and a packet of wet wipes inside of a large zip lock bag, in case of any accidents at school. Your child is also asked to bring a clearly labelled water bottle (no drinks other than water) with them to school each day. Please inform your child's teacher if you forget to bring this so an alternative option can be provided for them.

On the first day of Pre-Primary, stationery items, as listed on the 2025 Personal Items got Student List, are to be bought to school and handed to your child's teacher. Please note that items such as scrapbooks, clipboards, whiteboards, document wallets and display books need to be clearly labelled with your child's name.

### 2025 TERM DATES

TERM 1 : Wed 5 Feb - Fri 11 Apr

TERM 2 : Mon 28 April - Fri 4 July

TERM 3 : Mon 21 July - Fri 26 Sept

TERM 4 : Mon 13 Oct - Thurs 18 Dec

### SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

**Students do not attend school**

Monday, 3 February 2025

Tuesday, 4 February 2025

Friday, 30 May 2025

Monday, 21 July 2025

Monday, 13 October 2025

### Attendance

**Pre-primary is compulsory full-time schooling.**

Once enrolled in Pre-primary, it is important that children develop regular attendance habits.

Teachers plan learning programs sequentially, so when children don't attend school regularly, they miss out on important information, learning and skills. Children who are regularly absent risk missing out on the basic building blocks in core learning areas.

If your child is absent from school, please notify the school via Compass, our website, by phone, or email - [subiaco.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:subiaco.ps@education.wa.edu.au). If your child is absent from school without parental notification, we will contact you to ascertain the reason.

Please make allied health appointments outside of school hours.

## Travelling to and from school

Students are encouraged to ride scooters and bicycles to school with parents but are not permitted to ride them within the school boundaries. All students are required to dismount and walk their bike/ scooter through the school grounds and secure it at the bike/scooter racks during school hours.

The school is not responsible for the safe keeping of bikes/scooters; an appropriate locking device is recommended.

## Excursions

Students may be taken on excursions throughout the year. A notification will be sent via Compass to caregivers prior to the excursion with an online permission form for you to complete. This form must be completed prior to the excursion, otherwise arrangements will be made for your child to remain at school.

Children leaving the Pre-Primary centre will always be accompanied by the appropriate number of adults as specified in the Department of Education's Excursion Policy. Parents may also be asked to attend excursions to help with the supervision of children.

Please refer to the information provided on Compass regarding what students will be required to take with them. All Pre-Primary students will be expected to wear their Subiaco Pre-primary uniform when leaving the school grounds.

## Contact details

The safety of all students and staff is paramount. In case of an emergency, it is important that the school has your current contact details. Details can be updated via Compass or email the school [subiaco.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:subiaco.ps@education.wa.edu.au)

## Uniforms

**The School Board endorses the wearing of the school uniform.**

All students are also to bring a broad brimmed hat which is to be worn during all outdoor based activities, including recess, lunch and Physical Education sessions. Our school is an accredited SunSmart school and we strive to ensure that all students, staff, parents and visitors are made aware of the risks of sun damage and are provided with the opportunity to protect themselves at all appropriate times.

In line with the recommendations from the Cancer Council of WA, our school has adopted the 'no hat-play in the shade' policy.

### Swimming Lessons

- Location - Subiaco Primary School Pool
- Date - Late Term 1
- Towel
- Sunscreen
- Bag for wet clothes
- Goggles
- Thongs, crocs or sandals to wear to and from the pool.
- A swimming top or Rashie (not uniform) to wear to pool and return.
- Parents to apply sunscreen before school





## Support for students

Government schools are for all children. Diversity among students and their families is recognised and welcomed. All school staff and teachers are committed to working with you to provide every possible assistance and support for the wellbeing of your child.

Subiaco Primary School engages the experience of the 'School Health Services' each year for all Pre-primary students.

School Health Service's role is to work with children, caregivers and classroom teachers for the early detection of physical and psychosocial health and development issues which may impede health, wellbeing and school achievement. Care provided to individual children and their families may entail an assessment, brief intervention, health information, referral, monitoring and support.

If you would like any further information regarding support services, ask your Pre-primary teacher for advice.

## On-Entry Testing

In Term One, your child will be participating in the state-wide On Entry Assessment Program. During this time, your child's teacher will spend one-on-one time with each child in their class to find out about the literacy and numeracy skills and understandings their students start school with. The teacher will use this information to plan and target teaching programs to suit each child's learning needs. It is important that your child continues to build on necessary skills developed at home to progress through school. Your child's results will be provided to you during a parent/teacher interview at the end of Term One.



## Voluntary contributions

The Subiaco Primary School Board endorses the schedule of Contributions and Charges each year. The schedule allows you to calculate all costs that may be incurred throughout the year. The cost outlined is the maximum that the school will not exceed.

The P&C also ask that you support the school by paying their annual voluntary contribution. The Subiaco Primary School community are involved in a number of fundraising activities which require your ongoing support.

## Outside School Hours Care

TheirCare OSHC offers before and after school care on school grounds. They are highly focused on child well-being and development, and on delivering the best quality care for our community.

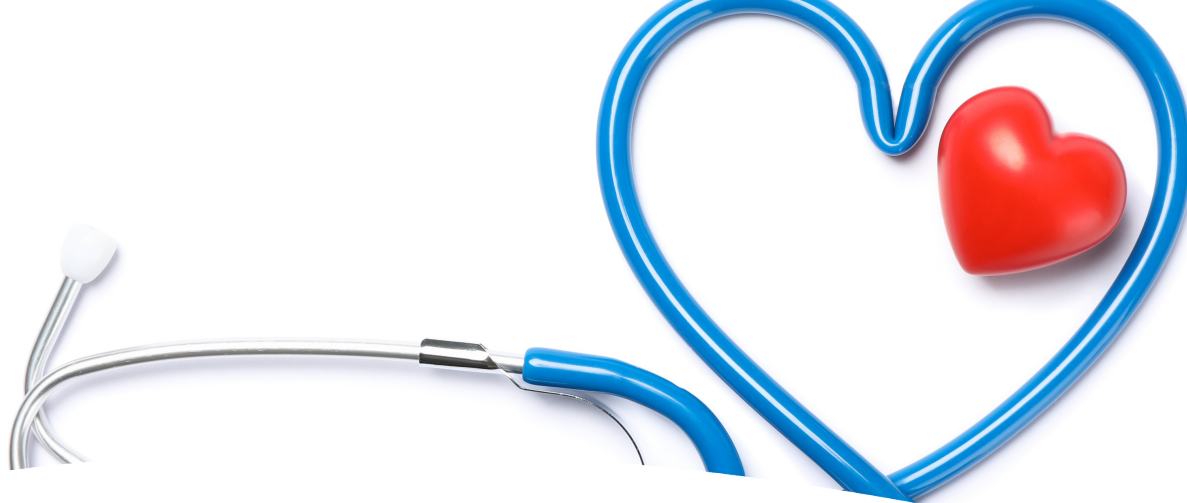
Contact TheirCare OSHC on [theircare.com.au](http://theircare.com.au) or 1300 072 410.

You are welcome to explore other providers for after-school programs for your child.

Gowrie Early Learning - Nedlands  
Camp Australia - Loftus Recreation Centre,  
Leederville

Both of these centres collect/drop off children at Subiaco Primary School





## HEALTH AND MEDICAL INFORMATION

### If your child is sick at school

Children who are ill must not attend Pre-Primary. A child who is not well can become very distressed when in a group situation. If your child is unwell or you think they are becoming unwell, please err on the side of caution and keep them at home, as we have other children and teaching staff who can subsequently become ill. If your child becomes ill or is injured at school, we will contact you and administer first aid if required. You will be asked to collect your child if they are too sick to remain in class. For this reason, it is important to keep your contact details current.

Please refer to your G.P for advice on when to return to school or you can access further information on the WA Department of Health's website <http://healthywa.wa.gov.au>

### Immunisation

Children enrolling in Pre-primary must be up to date with all the scheduled immunisations for their age to be able to attend school. You are required on enrolment to show your child's Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) Immunisation History Statement as proof of immunisation.

From Pre-primary onwards, if an outbreak of an infectious disease occurs at the school, parents of children who do not have an up to date immunisation status will be asked to keep them at home, until the danger has passed. You can check your child's immunisation status online:

[www.medicareaustralia.gov.au/public/online-services/](http://www.medicareaustralia.gov.au/public/online-services/)



## Allergies and Medical conditions

If your child has a medical condition (allergies, asthma, epilepsy, diabetes etc) please inform the teacher and the Principal.

All children with a significant medical condition or illness will have a Medical Action Plan which provides staff with directions which can be easily followed, based on the medical advice provided from your child's doctor. This plan will be updated each year or as the need arises. Staff need to be made aware of all levels of allergic conditions including food, grass, animals etc.

If your child has an allergy, you must advise the school and provide them with a copy of your child's Allergy Action Plan, which has been developed by your doctor. All allergy medication and EpiPens are required to be clearly labelled with your child's name and not be expired.

## Medication

We understand that at times your child may need to have medication during the day and whilst it is preferable for parents to administer them, we are able to do so when you have given us adequate information and signed an Administration of Medication Request Form. The medication should be handed to the teacher or front office and not left in student backpacks.





## BEING INVOLVED

Children love to see their parents and carers at their school. Research shows that students perform better at school when their caregivers take an active interest in their schooling. Your contribution to the school is needed and valued.

Rosters are displayed on our notice boards and we encourage you to be involved. The children get a great deal of pleasure and pride when you come to a Pre-primary session and it is a valuable opportunity for you to see how your child is developing and growing in a school setting.

From time to time you may be asked to help in the form of taking laundry home (tea towels, aprons, dress ups) to wash.

Ways you might like to get involved:

### Volunteers

- help in the classroom
- assist with washing laundry as needed
- listen to children read
- help with school excursions
- volunteer to be the Class Liaison Parent (CLP)





## P&C

The Parents & Citizens Association is a group of parent and carer volunteers who work closely with the school to **enhance the school community** and **assist in the provision of resources** for the benefit of children at the school.

P&C meetings are usually held on the Monday of Weeks 4 and 9 of every term in the School Library at 7:00pm.

## School Board

Subiaco Primary School is an Independent Public School. Independent Public Schools set their own strategic directions, have authority for day-to-day decision making and are in an ideal position to make decisions that best cater for their students. Parents and community members have an important and enhanced role in this initiative through the School Board.

The School Board meets twice a term. Details of our current Board members are available on the school website. Notice of the upcoming elections to the School Board will be indicated in the school newsletter and on the school website.



# NEWS

## COMMUNICATION

At Subiaco Primary School we endeavour to communicate with you regularly regarding your child's progress and to inform you of upcoming events. Please email your class teacher on matters concerning your child or to arrange a meeting time to discuss further. Parent-teacher interviews offer a formal opportunity to speak with your child's teacher about your child's progress. If you still feel you need further assistance, please contact the school office and request an appointment to speak with a member of the school executive team. Teachers can be contacted either through Compass or by their email addresses. If there are any changes to your normal home routine, please let the teacher know briefly at drop off time (e.g. late night, Fly in Fly out parents leaving/returning, family worries etc). As previously mentioned, please also make it a habit to check notices displayed outside your child's classroom and on the See-Saw app.

### Curriculum Letter

At the beginning of each term, a curriculum letter will be distributed to parents via Compass outlining our teaching focusses. Special dates and events are also listed on this letter and it is a good idea to display this in a safe place in your home to refer to as needed.

## COMPASS App

You can download the Compass App on iOS and Android devices, simply search for Compass School Manager in the store

Using the app you can:

- Monitor your child's attendance, and enter an explanation for absence or lateness
- Communicate with your teachers
- Update your family contact details
- View school and class news feed
- View the school calendar and school documentation
- Download and view your child's school reports
- Provide consent and payment for excursions ('Event')
- Pay contribution and other activity charges
- Book parent-teacher conference

## School newsletters

The school newsletter is produced fortnightly and is published on Compass and school website. The newsletter contains important information and dates relevant to our school.



## Parent - Teacher interviews

Parent- teacher interviews offer a formal opportunity to speak with your child's teacher about your child's progress.

If you have questions about your child at school at any time, please speak to your child's teacher as soon as possible. You can contact the teacher through Compass or email for an appointment.

## Parent concerns

If you have any concerns about your child's education, you should raise them in the first instance with your child's teacher. If you still feel you need further assistance, contact the school office and request an appointment to speak with a member of the school executive.

## Annual Report

Our school provides a concise annual summary of its achievements and progress towards improving student learning, engagement and wellbeing, as well as information on students pathways and transitions on to further education.

Reports are placed online on the Subiaco Primary School website and the Schools Online website.



## HANDWRITING STYLE



### NSW Foundation Handwriting Print

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J K L M N O P Q R

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## USEFUL WEBSITES

### Subiaco Primary School

Phone: (08) 9207 7900

<https://subiacops.wa.edu.au/>

### WA Department of Education and Training

Phone: (08) 9264 4111

[www.education.wa.edu.au/](http://www.education.wa.edu.au/)

### Schools Online

[www.det.wa.edu.au/schoolsonline/](http://www.det.wa.edu.au/schoolsonline/)

### Western Australian Curriculum

<https://k10outline.scsa.wa.edu.au>

### Starting Kindergarten & Pre-Primary

<http://det.wa.edu.au/schoolsandyou>

### Healthy body, healthy mind

<http://nutritionaustralia.org/>

[www.waschoolcanteens.org.au/](http://www.waschoolcanteens.org.au/)

<http://heartfoundation.com.au/>

<http://beactive.wa.gov.au/>

<http://www.natureplaywa.org.au/>

### Communicable Diseases

[http://www.public.health.wa.gov.au/3/281/2/notification\\_of\\_communicable\\_diseases.pm](http://www.public.health.wa.gov.au/3/281/2/notification_of_communicable_diseases.pm)

### Anti-bullying and safety online

[www.bullyingnoway.com.au](http://www.bullyingnoway.com.au)

[www.cybersmart.gov.au](http://www.cybersmart.gov.au)

### Gifted and talented education

<http://www.det.wa.edu.au/curriculumsupport/giftedandtalented/detcms/portal/>

### Allergies

[www.allergyfacts.org.au](http://www.allergyfacts.org.au)

### Lifesaving WA

<http://lifesavingwa.com.au/>



### TheirCare OSHC

[theircare.com.au](http://theircare.com.au) or 1300 072 410

### Child Care Benefit

<http://www.humanservices.gov.au/>

### Best Beginnings

<http://www.dcp.wa.gov.au/>

[SupportingIndividualsAndFamilies/Pages/BestBeginnings.aspx](http://www.dcp.wa.gov.au/SupportingIndividualsAndFamilies/Pages/BestBeginnings.aspx)

### Child and Adolescent Health Services

<http://www.pmh.health.wa.gov.au/>

### Raising Children Network

<http://raisingchildren.net.au/>

### State Library of Western Australia

<http://www.slwa.wa.gov.au/>

### Playgroup WA

<http://playgroupwa.com.au/>

### Storyline Online

<http://www.storylineonline.net/>



## MY DAY AT PRE-PRIMARY (EXAMPLE)

Time	Activities
8.30-8.50am	<p><b><u>Family Time</u></b>            Carry out daily routines such as putting bag on outside bag racks and water bottle in the classroom. Answer Question of the Day.            Greet Teacher and Education Assistant.            Parents engage with the children in tabletop activities planned by the teacher. This often includes fine-motor activities, name writing, puzzles and games.</p>
8.50-9.00am	<p><b><u>Say Goodbye to Families</u></b>            Whole class mat session- roll call, songs and poems, daily <u>calendar</u> and routines such as a <i>Helper for the Day</i>.</p>
9.00am	<p><b><u>Literacy Mat Session Learning</u></b>            Intentional teaching incorporating phonics and play-based whole class and group work.</p>
10.40am	<p><b><u>Morning Tea</u></b>            Children sit in small groups to eat morning tea (<u>e.g.</u> fruit and crackers) provided from home in a separate container.</p>
11.00am	<p><b><u>Outdoor Play and Exploration</u></b>            A range of experiences and skills are carefully planned to ensure children are challenged and motivated. Creative, social, <u>cognitive</u> and physical development are all considered in our outdoor plan.</p>
11.30am	<p><b><u>Numeracy Learning</u></b>            Intentional teaching incorporating daily reviews, play-based whole <u>class</u> and group work.</p>
12.55pm	<p><b><u>Lunch</u></b>            Children sit in small groups to eat lunch provided from home.</p>
1.10pm	<p><b><u>Outdoor Play and Exploration</u></b>            A range of experiences and skills are carefully planned to ensure children are challenged and motivated. Creative, social, <u>cognitive</u> and physical development are all considered in our outdoor plan.</p>
2.00pm	<p><b><u>Integrated Learning Program</u></b>            News telling, oral language, mindfulness, <u>music</u> and other whole class experiences.</p>
3.00pm	<p><b><u>Home Time</u></b></p>

# SCHOOL CREED

This is our school

In these rooms and on the playing fields

We will fit ourselves for the future

Let us not throw away these precious years

But gain from them all we can

Let us always remember

That a school is not a building

But a gathering of minds and hearts

And a place of friendly guidance and help

This is our school







## What is the Subiaco Primary P&C?

The Subiaco Primary Parents & Citizens Association (P&C) is a group of parent & carer volunteers who work closely with the school to **enhance the school community** and **assist in the provision of resources** for the benefit of children at the school.

**Subiaco Primary has a wonderful school community and we encourage you to be a part of it!**

### How is the P&C Funded?

- Voluntary Contributions
- Fundraising
- Grants (where available & submitted by P&C volunteers)

*Your Voluntary Contributions make up around 70% of our revenue so you can make a huge difference by paying them!*

### What services does the P&C provide?

- **Community Pool** (in conjunction with the City of Subiaco) - we make the school pool available to pass holders after school, on weekends and during Christmas holidays with supervision by qualified lifeguards from Royal Life Saving W.A.
- **Uniform Shop** - conveniently open on-site Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:30 - 10:30 during term

### What events & initiatives does the P&C run?

Events change from year to year but include:

- Family Welcome Picnic
- Colour Run
- Swimming & Athletics Carnival food / cake stalls
- Mum's Afternoon Tea
- Dawn of the Dads / Dad's Breakfast
- Parents Night
- Sausage Sizzles
- Tea towels, cards & totes with kid's artwork

### Where do P&C funds go?

Over the last 3 years, the P&C has paid or committed **over \$210,000** towards experiences and facilities for the benefit of our children at Subiaco Primary School:

- **New playground equipment** (near the year 1 classrooms)
- **Replacement of our Senior Playground**
- **125th school anniversary mural**
- **New kiln housing** - to house a \$20,000 donated kiln, allowing children to make art clay projects
- **Interactive class display panels**
- **Art equipment**
- **Basketball & netball hoops**
- **Before school swimming coaching** & lane hire
- **MiniLit & EALD literacy support material** - allowing more students to benefit from additional literacy support
- **Kindy playground soft fall**
- **Drama workshops** - for years 1-6
- **New pool covers** - to keep the pool warm
- **New Year 1 class mats** - for whole class mat sessions
- **Year 6 Leavers' Book**



## How can I contribute & get involved?

Getting involved is the best way for you and your child to get the most out of their time at Subiaco Primary School.



### ... no time at all?

- By simply **paying your Voluntary P&C Contributions** and **coming to our events**, you are helping to contribute and make our events successful



### ... an hour?

- So many ways!
- **Volunteer at your year's allocated P&C event** – whether it's baking treats for our food stalls or volunteering to bbq some sausages, to name just a few



### ... a few hours or days?

- **Become a Class Liaison Parent** organising class get togethers and welcoming new families
- Join the **Events Committee** to help organise our events and decide what we should run
- Join the **Pool Committee** to help keep providing this amazing facility for our pool and local community
- If you have a **special skill** in graphic design, social media, communications, photography or grant writing we would love to hear from you
- Join the **Healthy Hub Committee** to help promote healthy eating and lifestyles to our children



### ... or more?

- Come and join us on a sub-committee or nominate for a position! You don't need experience to join, all you need is enthusiasm!

## How do I join the P&C?

- **Come to the AGM!** The AGM is held early in Term 1. You will need to complete a membership form and bring a \$1 coin which can be done on the night.
- Or, email the P&C Secretary at [secretary@subiprimarypc.com.au](mailto:secretary@subiprimarypc.com.au)

## What are the P&C Voluntary contributions?

2025 P&C Voluntary Contributions:

- Kindy - \$50
- Pre-Primary – Year 6 - \$100

PLUS:

- Infrastructure & Grounds - \$50

## How can I pay my P&C Voluntary Contributions?

- **Pay through Campion when you place your Personal Items (Booklist) order.** Campion don't charge for this so we receive your contribution in full.
- **From Term 1 2025 – through Compass** – at any time so you can pay or part pay whenever it suits your family budget. Access 'Course Confirmation / Payments' via 'Organisation' tab on the top navigation where you will see your P&C Voluntary Contributions to pay.



## Enjoy our beautiful school pool! OPEN November to March

*Open to passholders and for private party hire*

### Wondering what to do with kids on a hot Perth summer's day?

Subiaco Primary School is very fortunate to have a beautiful pool on the school grounds.

Thanks to the Subiaco Primary School Parents & Citizens Association (P&C), school families and general community members are also able to enjoy this wonderful facility outside of school hours!

An amazing team of P&C parent & carer volunteers operates this service and the P&C funds this from your P&C Voluntary Contributions, the sale of pool passes and the generous sponsorship of the **City of Subiaco**.

The pool is open every day after school, on weekends and over the summer holidays during pool operating hours from **November to March** (apart from public holidays) – almost 4 months of summer fun!

It is the perfect place to cool down with the kids over the hot summer months with shaded lawn and gardens, BBQ facilities and a **Royal Lifesaving Guard on duty at all times**.

### BBQ Facilities Available

Passholders can take advantage of the BBQ facilities at any time during pool opening hours. Just ask the Lifeguard for assistance to get the BBQ set up.

### Private Party Hire

Enjoy exclusive use of the pool and BBQ facilities!

The pool can be booked for pool parties on Saturdays, Sundays and during the school holidays between 9:00am to 1:00pm for either a 2-hour period for \$350 or a 3-hour period for extended fun for \$450.



More information and availability via the QR Code above.

### How to buy a Pool Pass

Purchase a Family Season Pass or a 10 Visit Pack online or at the School Uniform Shop, link via QR code below.



*Online orders will take up to 3 business days to process and can be collected from the Lifeguard at the pool. Lifeguards are not able to grant entry to the pool without a physical membership card or pass.*

To avoid disappointment, please allow ample time for your membership card or pass to be processed by our volunteers.

### Opening Hours

#### After School

Monday to Thursday 3:30pm to 6:00pm  
Friday 3:30-6:30pm

#### Christmas School Holidays

Monday to Thursday 1:00pm to 6:00pm  
Friday 1:00pm to 6:30pm\*  
All Saturdays 2:00pm to 6:30pm\*  
All Sundays 1:00pm to 6:00pm

*\*From 1 March the pool will close at 6:00pm on Fridays and Saturdays*

#### Closed public holidays

### Volunteers

We need you! The pool is managed by volunteers and we would love your help. It's so easy and rewarding so c'mon, get involved!

Get in touch via [pool@subiprimarypc.com.au](mailto:pool@subiprimarypc.com.au) if you have any questions about anything to do with the pool.

### Brought to you by the Subiaco Primary School Parents' & Citizens Association

Email: [pool@subiprimarypc.com.au](mailto:pool@subiprimarypc.com.au)

Call: 0481 382 922

