



BEAUMARIS PRIMARY SCHOOL

0-4 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM 2009/2010

(www.beaumarisps.wa.edu.au)

“How can I help my child at Home?”

The school is again offering special 0-4 Programs aimed at promoting development of: Language Skills; Fine Motor Skills; Social Skills and Transition to Kindergarten. Programs are run by Mrs Janet Gillespie, who is both interested and trained in this area. Those who attended last year speak highly of her skills, knowledge and support. Places will be limited. Interested parents need to return the expression of interest as soon as possible to the School. Acceptances will be taken as they are received, until all positions are filled.

About the Program:



- A. 8 Week program commencing Term 1 2009, from 12:30 – 2pm on a Friday. Places are only available to those children who have enrolled into our 2009 Kindergarten Program.
- B. 8 Week program will be held in Term 2 & 3 for pre-kindy children – open to all interested parties.
- C. Transition Program commences in Term 4 and will be offered to all children enrolled for our 2010 Kindy Program – Places are only available to those children who have enrolled at this School.

A minimal fee of \$20 is charged to allay program costs.

Topics covered include:

- Development of fine motor skills required for writing and school based activities including: pencil grip; cutting skills; motor planning; and fine motor strength.
- Developing literacy and pre reading skills – topics include: creating opportunities for children to communicate; tips for sharing books; does my child need speech therapy and where do I go for help; stages of language development; developing phonemic awareness; adult/child forms of interaction; asking and answering questions; following directions; phonology and articulation; development of descriptive language; and retelling experiences and information.
- Social skills required for cooperative learning topics include: greeting others; social language skills; coping with separation anxiety; sharing experiences with others; and making the most of school/kindy.

(Further information will be forwarded to parents who submit an expression of interest to be part of the program Please complete and return the form below to the office as soon as possible. Applications will be accepted until positions are filled.)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST ENROLMENT APPLICATION 0-4 DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

I am interested in being part of **Program A(Term 1)** OR **Program B(Term 2)** OR **Program B(Term 3)**
(Circle only one). Please forward any further information prior to its commencement.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____

Signed: _____ (Program Fee: \$20)

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