



## Transition at Bethanga Primary School

Starting school is an exciting time in a child's life. However, with this excitement can come feelings of uncertainty and nervousness. To ensure these feelings are minimised, we endeavour to make your child feel a part of our school before they start! This makes for a smooth transition and a great start in 2022!

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2021

**Story time 9:30-11:30am**

Family Book Week Excursion to Bethanga Primary School  
(All kindy students, not just those going to Bethanga)

*THE FOLLOWING TRANSITION ACTIVITIES ARE FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED TO COMMENCE SCHOOL AT BETHANGA PRIMARY IN 2022 (Enrolment forms will be available at kindy, please complete ASAP)*

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021

**Bellbridge Early Years Centre visit 10:30-11:30am**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2021

**Bethanga Primary School 10-11am**

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021

**Bethanga Primary School 9am-11:30am**

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021

**Bethanga Primary School 12:30-3:30pm**

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2021

STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY

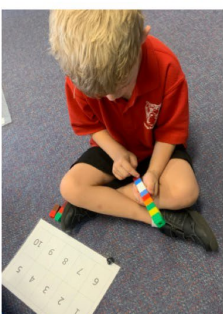
**Bethanga Primary School 9-3:30pm**

FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT THESE EVENTS CAN BE FOUND ON THE REVERSE

Follow us on Facebook

to see what we are up to and what is coming up -  
please feel free to join us for any whole school events.

Do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or queries  
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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING TRANSITION EVENTS:

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> August 2021 **Story time 9:30-11:30am**

This year for Book Week, we would love to invite all Bellbridge Early Years Centre families (including parents and siblings) to attend a session in our library. Our bus will pick you up from kindy, we'll enjoy story time and craft session before morning tea and a bus ride back to kindy.

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021 **Bellbridge Early Years Centre 10:30-11:30am**

Mrs Saunders will bring some students to your kindy so you can show us around! Share a book, play some games - a chance to get to know each other in a familiar space.

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2021 **Bethanga Primary School 10-11am**

Come and visit us! Spend some time in Mudgee (which means 'Nest in the Hills' and is our F-2 classroom), get to know your classmates and get familiar with the space. Join in with a fun take-home literacy activity.

### Notes for parents:

- This session will align with a parent information session

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 **Bethanga Primary School 9am-11:30am**

Spend the morning with us! Time in the classroom with your friends, joining in with activities, songs and games! Stay for a snack and a play.

### Notes for parents:

- Bring a water bottle, piece of fresh fruit and a snack (a school hat will be given to our F2022 students on this day)
- Please speak to Mrs Saunders if you child will catch the bus home 30/11

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021 **Bethanga Primary School 12:30-3:30pm**

Join us for lunch followed by playtime with friends. After the break, join in with an EQ (Emotional Intelligence) games session. At the end of the day, catch the bus home with Mrs Saunders.

### Notes for parents:

- Bring a water bottle, lunch and school hat

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2021 STATEWIDE TRANSITION DAY

**Bethanga Primary School 9-3:30pm**

You're a big kid now... Join us for a full day! Experience a session in the art room, literacy, numeracy and sport!

### Notes for parents:

- Bring a water bottle, a piece of fresh fruit, a snack, lunch and hat.
- Students will be provided with a transition pack full of activities to get them excited about starting school in 2022. You'll also find some useful parent tip sheets inside



### School Values

## RAPPORT

**R**espect  
**A**cceptance  
**P**ersistence  
**P**ride  
**O**ptimism  
**R**esilience  
**T**ruth



Our Purpose We provide all students from Bethanga, Bellbridge and beyond with an inspiring and responsive curriculum to promote thinking and encourage curiosity. We nurture individual talents and needs in our setting underpinned by high expectations, quality opportunities and caring personalized attention in order for our children to reach their full academic and social potential.