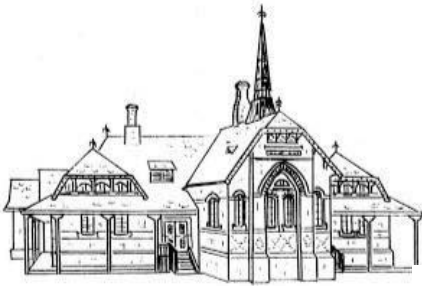


Head Start Program



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Please contact the school if your child will be attending California Gully Primary School in 2018. We are planning our Head Start Program and are asking parents to register their interest with the school.



California Gully
Primary School

When does the Head Start Program take place?

This year, the Head Start Program will take place in **Term 2,3 & 4**. The program consists of weekly sessions, led by one of our teachers and an integration aide.

Each session is held from **2.15-3.15pm in the Investigation Time room**.

Children beginning Prep in 2018, are invited to attend the program. Days and dates are yet to be decided.

What will the children do in the Head Start program?

The program consists of weekly sessions, led by our experienced Early Years teachers. In these sessions, the children participate in a variety of activities, including craft, fine motor skills, oral language, computing, early numeracy, pre - reading, social skills, and pre -writing activities.

How will the Head Start program benefit my child?

Participation in the Head Start program will assist your child as they make the transition to school. The program will:

Ease children into an unfamiliar environment, making it a familiar and friendly place.

- Enable children to get to know their new classmates, school surrounds & school routines.
- Introduce children to some of the teachers, classrooms, toilets, playground areas, office and shed.
- Boost children's confidence and make them feel comfortable about starting school.
- Foster a positive attitude towards school.
- Ease separation from parents.

If you would like more information, please contact **Kathryn Hinton** or **Jason Lee** at school on **5446 8393**.

NOTE: Please register your interest by calling **Nicole Cooper** on **5446 8393**. More information regarding these sessions will be provided soon.