

Brighton Primary School OSHC

Brighton Primary School OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

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September/October 2024 Vacation Care

Welcome to Brighton Primary School Vacation Care. We aim to provide a safe, fun, friendly environment where children can enjoy their holidays. Students will be able to experience a variety of excursions, art and craft activities, sports, cooking and lots more.

The program will run from Monday 30th of September to October 14th.

Vacation Care times/fee
Open: 7:00am Close 6:30pm
Vacation care fee: \$75

We will accept bookings from Tuesday the 4th of September.
Bookings will be confirmed Via text.

WE WILL NOT ACCEPT BOOKINGS AFTER Friday on the 20th of September.
BOOKINGS WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED WITH A RETURNED COMPLETED BOOKING SHEET Via email or dropping into OSHC.
Bookings over the phone will not be accepted.

Vacation Care Bookings

To confirm your booking **please complete, sign & return the booking form.** REMEMBER SPACES ARE LIMITED: once we fill those places, we **do not** accept additional bookings. Waiting lists will be available during Vacation Care but are not guaranteed.

Child Care Subsidy

For CCS reductions please make sure that you are registered for approved childcare with Centrelink (13 61 50) and refresh your details on **MyGov** if 8 weeks have lapsed. *Please ensure that you supply us with the best possible emergency contact number each day of your child's attendance and be familiar with the times and requirements for each day that your child attends.*

ACCOUNTS & CANCELLATIONS

All bookings will be charged to your account weekly. **All accounts must be paid prior to vacation care bookings being accepted.**

Please see the director if you require any further information.

To cancel a vacation care booking at no charge the service must be notified **a week before** the booking.

Full day fees will apply to cancellations with less than a week's notice. Bookings can be cancelled at no charge with a doctor's certificate.

ARRIVING TO OSHC

Children must arrive at the service by 9:00am on excursion dates, unless stated earlier. Failure to do so will mean your child will risk missing out on the excursion.

Signing your child in and out

An approved person must sign in children on arrival and departure using our electronic attendance system. The family assistance office who provides the childcare subsidy requires that all attendances be properly recorded in order to validate Childcare Assessment Claims. It is also a safety requirement that all children be signed in and out of OSHC so staff can accurately account for all children in the event of an emergency.

COVID-19

Due to COVID-19 excursions and incursions can change at any time to make sure we are keeping in the guidelines and the restrictions.

Weather

Excursions and incursions can change at any time due to extreme weather.
If the temperature is forecasted at 36 degrees or over outdoor excursions will be cancelled.

Lunch

Lunchtime is between 12:00pm and 1:00pm. **Children are required to bring their brain food, recess, and lunch daily unless specified on the program.** The center provides healthy afternoon snack. However, it is always best to supply an extra snack in your child's lunchbox. Water is always available throughout the center-based days. Should your child have any specific dietary requirements please inform the center prior to arriving.

Vegetarian, Halal, and gluten free options are available for those with allergies or cultural requirements.

Children who do not bring lunch will be supplied with a sandwich and a piece of fruit. If this is provided, the cost of \$5.00 will be added to your account to cover the cost.

We provide a recreational based program, and we encourage healthy food options that will provide energy and nutrition for your child throughout the day.

WHAT TO BRING

Please provide brain food, recess, lunch, and water in a drink bottle for your child, unless stated otherwise. Your child will also need a sun smart hat.

WHAT TO WEAR

Children need to be wearing **ENCLOSED shoes** (thongs and sandals are not acceptable).

Clothing with sleeves (no singlets or thin straps.)

Children may be sent home if these guidelines are not met due to safety reasons.

The service recommends children pack clothing for hot weather sun smart clothing to protect from heat/UV rays

Guideline to Nut and Other Allergies:

- A dietary register of students with allergies is kept in the OSHC records.
- Staff encourage children to be aware of the no nut policy and encourage them to be pro-active in not bringing nut products when attending OSHC.
- On excursions, discussions are held with venues regarding food that can be of a potential risk. (Children will be guided in purchasing food respectfully and ensure any food that is purchased follows the allergies guidelines).
- Children will be encouraged to let us know if they have a nut product in their lunch box.

We do have children with serious allergies to certain foods so in line with the school's policy please pack your child's lunch boxes thoughtfully.

Devices

Children are **not** permitted to bring any form of device with them to Vacation Care. The service has a range of computers, iPads & devices that children will have the opportunity to use throughout the program at Square Eyes Hour.

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Consent Form

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I give permission for my child/ren _____ to attend the following incursions/excursions. I am aware of arrival and departure times, modes of transport, child/staff ratios, risk assessments, cancellation policies, policies and what my child/ren will need each day.

Parent Name: _____ **Signature:** _____
Date: _____

I have read and understood the centre's policies on bookings, cancellations, payment, sun safety, water, nutrition, spending money, footwear, electronics, and extreme weather. **YES / NO**

I understand that if I have outstanding fees of over 21 days my bookings will not be accepted until payment is made in full. **YES / NO**

My child has an allergy to sunscreen. **YES / NO (If yes, sunscreen will need to be provided)**

I give permission for my child/ren to use sunscreen supplied by OSHC, if no sunscreen has been provided. **YES / NO**

I give permission for OSHC staff to administer first aid and in cases of emergencies, I give permission to call an ambulance. **YES / NO**

I have read and agree to 'Vacation Care Important Information' form. **YES / NO**

I understand due to circumstances beyond the control of the centre management changes may occur to the advertised program due to inclement weather, staffing arrangements or Covid-19 for a proposed excursion and may result in my child staying in the OSHC centre for the day. **YES / NO**

I am aware of the Excursion Policy and can ask OSHC for a copy. **YES / NO**

Medical and Health Information

Does your child/ren have a health care need that could affect their safety at Out of School Hours Care?
YES/NO

If YES please explain and ensure OSHC staff are provided with the appropriate medication and health care/medication plan.

Parent Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Photographs & Permission for sharing

I give permission for photos of my child/ren _____ that are taken in vacation care to be shared onto the app Seesaw where other Brighton Primary School OSHC families that are connected can see.

Parent Name: _____ **Signature:** _____
Date: _____

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Vacation Care Booking Sheet

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IMPORTANT Please pack appropriate clothing so your child can join in on physical activities outside. Your child will also require a **SUN SMART HAT** for these holidays.

Child/ren Name: _____

Vacation Care Bookings

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Waiting lists are available during Vacation Care.

Group 1 is foundation - year 2.

Group 2 is year 3 - year 6.

Date	Activity/Excursion	Excursion/ Incursion permission <u>Guardian to sign</u> Group 1 foundation - year 2	Excursion/ Incursion permission <u>Guardian to sign</u> Group 2 year 3 - year 6
MON 30/9	Survivor Day		
TUES 1/10	Rainbow Day (Colour Fun Run)		
WED 2/10	Apple Picking at Lenswood		
THUR 3/10	G1 Woolies G2 Marion		
FRI 4/10	Jam Band		
MON 7/10	LABOUR DAY		
TUES 8/10	Thebarton Ice Arena		
WED 9/10	Brighton Beach and Ice Cream		
THUR 10/10	Wheels Day		
FRI 11/10	Day at Victor with Cockle Train		
14/10	Pizza Party and Pajama Day		