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FOREWORD

This handbook has been designed to provide information about our school to families of the Toongabbie West School community. We believe that the parent/teacher partnership is most important at Toongabbie West Public School. We look forward to working with you for the benefit of our children.

If you need further information about our school please consult our website at http://www.toongabwst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/ or phone the school office.

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All phone calls come through our main office. Many enquiries can be handled by the clerical staff who will also direct calls to the Principal or an Assistant Principal, if required.

Calls directed to teachers can only be made during non-teaching periods. At other times, messages are relayed in writing to teachers by the clerical staff.

TOONGABBIE WEST

Quality Education at Your Community School

We welcome you to our school community
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SCHOOL PROFILE

Our school prides itself in being a caring and welcoming community school. Wide-ranging opportunities are available for students in a small school environment. Dedicated staff provide high quality public education to students.

Our comprehensive academic and creative programs challenge and encourage students and we are committed to providing learning support programs to assist students in achieving their full academic potential. Innovative technology programs are enhanced through our well resourced library and computer networked classrooms.

Pride is taken in the excellent sporting results achieved by our school as a whole and by individual students. Students enjoy our large open playing fields and shaded courtyards. Beautifully landscaped grounds and passive areas have earned praise and local government commendations.

We strongly promote community responsibility and citizenship through positive student welfare initiatives and successful leadership programs. Working together with students, parents and our community, we provide a safe and stimulating school experience.
BACKGROUND

CURRICULUM

The Board of Studies sets the learning requirements for what is taught at Toongabbie West Public School. The Board’s syllabuses state what is to be taught in these six key learning areas (KLAs):

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• environments  
• social systems and structures | • fundamental movement and physical activity  
• healthy choices  
• self and relationships | • visual arts  
• music  
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Primary school in NSW follows a curriculum based on stages of learning. Each stage is approximately equivalent to two school years. For each learning stage there are skills, knowledge and a level of understanding that each student should develop.

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The names of staff members and their duties are advertised in the school’s newsletter, at the beginning of the year, and on the school’s website.

### Overview of Roles

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<td>Principal</td>
<td>Responsible for the whole of the school</td>
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<td>Assistant Principals</td>
<td>Teachers who assist the principal as directed. Usually responsible for a particular area of the school e.g. K-Yr2, Years Yr3-6, Hearing Support Classes.</td>
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<td>Classroom Teachers</td>
<td>Responsible for teaching one grade or a multi-age class.</td>
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<td>EAL/D Teacher</td>
<td>English as an additional language / dialect (EAL/D) teachers support students from those newly arrived in Australia and beginning to learn English, to Australian born students from a non-English speaking background.</td>
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<td>Reading Recovery Teacher</td>
<td>A specialist teacher who provides a program designed to assist Year 1 students with literacy.</td>
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<td>Specialist Teachers</td>
<td>Our school employs a specialist science teacher and a specialist gymnastics teacher.</td>
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<td>LaST</td>
<td>Learning and Support Teacher (LaST) designs programs to assist students who are having difficulty learning.</td>
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<td>Teacher/ Librarian</td>
<td>Teacher librarians hold qualifications in teaching and librarianship. They teach information literacy and are responsible for the library and information services in the school.</td>
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<td>School Counsellor</td>
<td>School counsellors are experienced teachers who are also psychologists. They assist teachers by strengthening the school’s student welfare programs.</td>
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<td>School Administrative Officers</td>
<td>School assistants assist the principal in management of the school’s financial and administration functions.</td>
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<td>School Learning Support Officers</td>
<td>School learning support officers assist students who have additional needs.</td>
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<td>General Assistant</td>
<td>General assistants are employed to maintain the grounds and equipment deliver stores and carry out minor maintenance of buildings.</td>
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<td>Cleaner</td>
<td>Responsible for daily cleaning of the school.</td>
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FACILITIES

**Classrooms**  All classrooms are easily accessible to students including those with physical disabilities. A secure preschool is also on the premises for students from three years of age with a hearing impairment.

**Grounds**  Toongabbie West Public School is surrounded by attractive and well maintained grounds and gardens. There is ample room, including shade and sheltered areas, for sport and other outdoor activities.

**Hall**  Our school hall was completed in 2010 and quickly became an important part of our school's programs.

**Library**  The school has an excellent modern selection of materials which is kept up-to-date by the generous support of the school's community. The library also houses a computer lab which is used for teaching research skills. Students may borrow and return books during their library lessons or at first break.

**Technology**  All staff and students have access to the latest Information and Communication Technology (ICT). All classrooms have an interactive whiteboard and up-to-date computers. Classes frequently visit the school's computer lab and have access to a connected classroom which can be used for virtual excursions. Secured Wi-Fi has been installed across the whole school.

STARTING SCHOOL AT TOONGBABBIE WEST

ENROLMENT INFORMATION

Children who attain the age of five years by 31 July may be enrolled at school at the beginning of that school year.

This policy allows the enrolment of children from the age of four years six months. The teachers will provide appropriate introductory programs and assess the stage of development of each child before commencing formal programs.

An "Application for Enrolment" form, available from the school's office during office hours, must be returned to the school prior to enrolment. Toongabbie West Public School does accept enrolments from children who live outside the catchment area. A reason for application will be necessary upon application. Enrolment will be granted based on the discretion of the principal.
When you come to the school to enrol your child please bring these documents with you:

- Birth Certificate or identity documents (mandatory)
- proof of student’s residential address
- copies of any family law or other relevant court orders (if applicable)
- immunisation history statement from the Department of Health
- Passport or travel documents, current visa and previous visas (if your child is not a permanent resident).
- If your child is a temporary visa holder you will also need to provide: Authority to Enrol or evidence of permission to transfer and evidence of the visa the student has applied for.

**Transfer of Students** If a pupil is transferring to another school, parents are requested to notify us beforehand and to collect a transfer certificate from the office to take to your child’s new school.

### HOURS AND PUNCTUALITY

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<td>School Opens</td>
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<td>Break 1 Playtime</td>
<td>11:05 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.</td>
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<td>Break 2 Eating time</td>
<td>1:45 p.m. - 1:55 p.m.</td>
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<td>Break 2 Playtime</td>
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<td>Home time Kindergarten for the first two weeks Term 1</td>
<td>2:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>Home time Year 1 to Year 6 and Kindergarten from the fifth week Term 1</td>
<td>3:00 p.m.</td>
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The school is officially open at 8.30 a.m. Teachers are not on duty before this time except in special extenuating circumstances. For parents who need to drop students off before this time, Before and After School Care is available.

**Late Arrival** Children arriving after the morning assembly must report to the office to receive a “Late Note” to take to the classroom teacher. Punctuality is most important and a pupil’s progress can be affected by frequent late arrival.

**Leaving Early** Any person wishing to take their child from school during school hours must report to the office. This procedure is to protect children from wrongful removal or abduction and should be respected and observed by parents.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

The change from summer to winter uniform starts half way through Term 2 when the weather starts getting colder and is completed by the beginning of Term 3. The reverse change is made at the start of Term 4 when the weather starts getting warmer.

#### Girls
- **Summer:** Green and white check dress with optional bottle green bike pants and white ankle socks
- **Winter:** Green tartan tunic with white Peter Pan collared long sleeved shirt and bottle green tights
- Bottle green sloppy joe or zippered jacket
- School hat
- Black shoes

#### Boys
- **Summer:** Bottle green shorts and white polo shirt
- **Winter:** Bottle green shorts OR trousers and a polo shirt
- Bottle green sloppy joe or zippered jacket
- School hat
- White ankle socks and black shoes

#### Boys & Girls Sports Uniform
- Bottle green shorts / track pants for winter
- Polo shirt in the child’s house colour
- School hat
- White ankle socks and white sports shoes

All uniforms are available for purchase from the school’s uniform shop. The uniform shop sells new and second hand uniforms. Price lists and order forms are available from the uniform shop or the office.
Lost Property Lost property is stored in a basket near the main office. “Named” items are returned to the owner. All clothing and equipment should be labelled.

Jewellery Jewellery, with the exception of wrist watches, should not be worn at school. In the interests of safety, and only if needed, studs, not sleepers, are preferable in pierced ears.

STUDENT WELFARE

PBL

Toongabbie West is a PBL school. Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is a school-wide behaviour initiative. It employs a whole school systems approach which encourages positive behaviour from students. It has been shown to improve students’ self-concept and motivation to learn.

Reward System We use what we call the 'Brag System'. This system is used K-6 and progresses in a cumulative manner from the moment a child arrives our school. A brag book is given to each student. Brag books record the number of brag stamps earned.

- **Toonie Tokens** are small cards earned for appropriate rule following behaviour. These are exchanged for a brag stamp.
- Brag Stamps: These are stamps earned by students for following school rules.
- 5 Brag stamps equal one class award.
- 5 class awards equal a Supervisor’s Award.
- 3 Supervisor’s Awards equal a Principal’s Award.
- 3 Principal’s Awards equal an Honour Badge.
- At the end of each semester students who have earned an Honour Badge are invited to attend a special morning tea with the principal.
- 3 Honour Badges will earn a very special Toongabbie West Honour Medallion.
OUR SCHOOL RULES

Our three school rules are:

Be respectful

Be safe

Be responsible
HEALTH

First Aid Basic first aid, for injuries suffered at school, is administered by the School Administrative officers or school learning support officers. In all cases where the injury is more than minor, we contact parents. If an ambulance needs to be called to an injured child, payment is covered by a P&C Ambulance contribution.

Students who become sick at school are placed in our sick bay. Parents are contacted for cases causing concern. Parents are strongly urged not to send sick children to school.

Medical Plans If your child has any existing medical condition; e.g. asthma, allergy, anaphylaxis etc... please make an appointment to see the Principal to discuss and develop a medical plan for your child. This will assist the staff in helping with any medication or emergency procedures they may require.

Medication The N.S.W. Department of School Education requires the school to maintain the following records:

- detailed written advice from the student’s medical practitioner
- a written request with a statement of the child’s condition and requirements from the parent/guardian
- a written statement from the parent/guardian granting information to be supplied and discussed by the staff.

If a child must bring medication e.g. tablets, medicine, asthma puffers to school, the child or parent should take the medication to the office. Office staff will arrange administration of the correct dose at the appropriate time.

NO CHILD IS PERMITTED TO HAVE MEDICATION IN HIS/HER POSSESSION except with the Principal’s permission.

SAFETY

Emergency Procedures Emergency procedures for the orderly evacuation of classrooms and all school buildings have been devised. All staff and pupils are made aware of the procedures and throughout the year these procedures are practised.

Bicycle Safety It is recommended that students below Year 4 do not ride bicycles to school unless they are accompanied by an adult. If your child is riding a bicycle to
school you will need to fill in a permission slip. These can be obtained from the office or the Principal. Students riding to and from school must correctly wear a Standards Approved Australian helmet.

Road Safety Safety of students as they travel to and from school each day is important. Please:

- use designated footpaths
- hold child’s hand (for those up to 8 years of age) and actively supervise all children as they walk to school
- use pedestrian crossings or cross roads away from parked cars
- walk with children to cross roads (do not call children across the road)
- use seatbelt restraints for all passengers prior to driving away
- obey speed limits and take more care in wet weather

Parking Car parking spaces are available on Ballandella Road, Derbyshire Avenue and Blain Street. Restricted parking signs are in place on these roads. Parking is restricted in the school grounds for safety reasons. Gates are closed during playtimes. Parents are requested not to drive into the school grounds. Exemptions are made for parents who have been asked to call for sick or injured children and for those parents who have official business at the school.

Unavoidable Delays Should you be unavoidably detained in picking your child up after school, please contact the school office so that staff can meet supervision needs of your child. Please do not ask your child to wait unattended for you in the park.

Security In the interests of safety and security during out of school hours, neither children nor adults are allowed on the school premises without permission.

Local residents are requested to phone the police if they have reason to suspect the activities of people on school premises out of school hours. School security number is 1300 880 021.

COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN HOME & SCHOOL

Advice of Changes Parents are asked to advise the school promptly of any changes of address, phone numbers, custody, or general procedures such as arrangements for picking up children. Court issued orders regarding custody must be presented to the school.
Notes for Absences Absences must be covered by a note to the teacher explaining the reason. This should be sent the day the child returns to school. The class roll is a legal document and reasons for absence must be recorded. If your child is to be absent during the term for a family holiday (approval must be sought from the Principal) or hospital stays etc..., a form is available from the office and documentation is required.

Newsletter Each week we send home a school newsletter with the youngest child. The newsletter reports on activities throughout the school and may contain reports from parent groups. This newsletter is also available on the school’s website.

Year Book Each year the school produces a year book. Ordering information will be supplied in Term 4.

Annual School Report This report provides information about Toongabbie West Public School’s activities and performance over the past year. It highlights the school’s strengths and also sets out targets for improvement during the next year. Copies are made available to the school community and an electronic version may be viewed on the school's website.

Notes to Parents From time to time notes are sent to parents requiring a response in the form of a tear off slip. Parents are asked to return these promptly.

Payment for Events or Items When paying for an event or item we request that all monies or cheques be sent to school in a sealed envelope. Please put your child’s name, class, reason for payment and amount enclosed on the front of the envelope and deposit it into the locked box at the front office.

Reports to Parents When reporting, teachers treat each child as an individual and try to give an honest picture of strengths and weaknesses in academic subjects, conduct, attitude and social development. In like manner, it is hoped that parents will contact the teachers if they know of anything which may affect their child’s progress and learning. Reports include:

- A major report is sent home, for each child, at the completion of Terms 2 and 4.
- Best Start reports, for students in Kindergarten, are sent home at the end of Term 1.
- Federal Government planned NAPLAN test results for students in Years 3 and 5 are sent home during Term 3.
Students who participate in The UNSW International Competitions and Assessments for Schools competitions will also receive a report from that institution.

**Interviews** Parent/teacher interviews are conducted at the end of Term 1. Parents seeking interviews at other times should contact the office. The staff members are always willing to discuss a child's progress throughout the year. For obvious reasons teachers can only be interviewed outside teaching time. Occasionally problems arise which cause teachers to seek interviews and a mutually convenient time is arranged. For urgent matters contact the Principal.

**OUT OF CLASS ACTIVITIES**

**SPORT**

Toongabbie West encourages involvement in sport and places much emphasis on good sportsmanship. The school belongs to the Wentworthville/Seven Hills Primary Schools' Sports Association (P.S.S.A.).

District trials are held for P.S.S.A. Competitors, who are considered outstanding by their teachers, may be selected to attend these trials. They may have an opportunity to represent our school at Regional or State levels. Parents are involved in assisting with school sport, training of some teams and transporting children when required.

**Sport Houses**

Houses for Athletics, Swimming and Cross Country Carnivals are:

- **Yellow** • CUTHBERT
- **Red** • FRASER
- **Blue** • NEWCOMBE
**Athletics Carnival** The school Inter-House athletics carnival is held at Pendle Hill High School and the most successful competitors go on to represent the school at the zone inter-school carnival.

**Swimming Carnival** Our school holds its inter-house swimming carnival at Wentworthville Pool early in the first term. As with the athletics, the most successful performers go on to the district carnival.

**Cross Country Carnival** The inter-house cross country carnival is held in the school grounds in term 2. As with the other carnivals, the most successful athletes go to the district carnival.

**Inter-School Competitions** Inter-school team competitions for the Wentworthville/Seven Hills PSSA are held on Fridays at various venues in the local area.

**School Sport** All Kindergarten to Year 6 students not involved in P.S.S.A. inter-school team competitions participate in organised sport at school on Friday mornings.

**Intensive Swimming Scheme** Years 2 to 6 are encouraged to attend the Department of School Education Learn to Swim classes which are held for 10 days at dates arranged with the Department. These lessons are given over a two week period at a local pool.

**Sports Uniform** Pupils wear full sports uniform to school on Fridays and this must include their school hat/cap or they are unable to take part, as in line with our "Sun Safe" policy. Sunscreen should also be applied. If children do not have a sports uniform, they should wear regular school uniform.

**CULTURAL**

**Excursions** From time to time classes go on excursions from the school to visit places or see things of educational value. A teacher will accompany the children and be responsible for their supervision and safety. Often parents are asked to accompany groups and assist with supervision. Children who fail to obey instructions or have a record of poor behaviour may be excluded from excursions.

Detailed information concerning all proposed excursions will be sent home to the parents of the children concerned. The written permission of the parent is required before any child is allowed to participate in a school excursion.
Because proposals for excursions usually come from the class teachers, it should not be assumed that identical excursions will be offered every year.

Functions at School From time to time, worthwhile educational and entertainment items are presented within the school to the students. Without exception these shows are approved by the Department of Education & Training and are chosen by the teachers as being beneficial for the students.

Please Note: We endeavour to keep all excursions and functions at affordable prices so as many children as possible can participate in them. Please feel you can discuss with the Principal any difficulty you may have in meeting costs associated with any of these extra school activities.

Presentation Day At the end of the school year, we have our Annual Presentation Day when academic, citizenship and sporting efforts of students are recognised. Children from Kindergarten to Year 6 attend with their parents, family and friends.

Year 6 Farewell Towards the end of each school year the children of Year 6 are farewelled from Primary School with a function at the school.

Education Week Education Week is celebrated each year at Toongabbie West. The type of function held varies from year to year. The community is always welcome to attend so that the school can demonstrate the quality and diversity in its programs.

Whole School Assemblies Assemblies are conducted every second Thursday at 2:15p.m. and are usually run by the student leaders or selected classes. Parents are welcome to attend. Special assemblies may be arranged, such as an Easter hat parade or a character parade in Book Week.

Dance Groups Students may audition for the school’s dance group. As well as performing at school functions, the group may also be involved in outside events such as the Celebrating the Arts Festival.

Choir Students may audition for the school’s choir. As well as performing at school functions, the group may also be involved in outside events such as the Bridges to Understanding Concert.

Public Speaking Students from Years 3 to 6 take part in the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition for NSW Primary Schools.
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Debating Each year a Stage 3 debating team is selected to participate in a friendly debating competition involving schools in the local area, as well as the Premier's Debating Challenge.

SCHOOL & COMMUNITY GROUPS

STUDENT GROUPS

Student Representative Council TWPS’ Student Representative Council (SRC) promotes student leadership and gives students a voice within the school. Our SRC consists of two elected representatives from each Year 1 to Year 6 class and is headed by our Year 6 school leaders. SRC members run and attend fortnightly meetings to discuss three major focus areas:

- How can we improve our school?
- How can we raise money to fund these improvements?
- Supporting a charity organisation.

Charities Stewart House is a holiday home for State school children and it is almost wholly supported by teachers and students in N.S.W. Public Schools. We support Stewart House as our charity in two ways:

- used clothing collections (2 per year)
- other fundraising efforts such as cake stalls.

Other charities are also supported by the school.

Peer Support Year 6 children lead small groups, comprising of children from Kindergarten to Year 5, at weekly meetings. School cohesiveness, self-esteem and group co-operation are among the aims of this program.

School Photographs During the year we arrange for class, individual and family group photographs to be taken. Parents are not obliged to purchase photographs. Sport photos are taken as appropriate.

PARENTS AND CITIZENS ASSOCIATION (P&C)

Toongabbie West has an active and enthusiastic parent committee and hope that all parents will participate in meetings and activities. Through this association parents and other community members acquire a greater understanding of the practices of the school.
Much of the work done is in the way of raising funds to provide the children with all the additional facilities and equipment so necessary in modern education. There is no doubt parental participation is essential to the wellbeing of the school and the students. Meetings are held in the staff room, between 7.00 p.m. and 9.00 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month during school term.

**Canteen** The school operates a canteen under the control of a Canteen Committee representing the parent bodies. Check your newsletter for opening times. Lunch may be ordered from the menu by writing your child’s name, class and order on the front of a brown paper lunch bag. Place the payment for the order inside the bag. Lunch orders should then be deposited into the money drop box in the office by 9.30 a.m. at the latest.

Whilst the canteen is a means of raising funds, it mainly provides a worthwhile service in supplying lunches and food at a very reasonable cost. Parents are needed to assist in the day to day running of the canteen. If you can offer your help, please fill in the form when you receive it and return it to the roster secretary. Volunteers to help in the canteen are always welcome.

Canteen price lists will be issued as soon as possible after the commencement of the school year and updates are notified in the newsletter.

**Book Club** All students are offered membership of *Scholastic Australia Book Club*. The aims of Book Club are to encourage children to read for enjoyment and to provide reasonably priced books designed to appeal to children of all abilities.

There is no obligation to purchase books. The orders are organised by parent helpers. If you wish to pay by cheque, it should be made out to *Toongabbie West Public School P & C Association*.

**COUNSELLING**

The District School Counsellor visits our school one day each week. A trained teacher and educational psychologist, the counsellor can provide assessments in academic, social and emotional areas. Referrals are welcomed from parents and teachers.

Sometimes, in consultation with parents, children are referred to outside agencies for further assessment. The school would appreciate being made aware of any outside school occurrence which may affect your child’s academic performance.
RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

On Thursdays, volunteer Scripture teachers and members of the clergy visit our school to give religious instruction. We offer a half hour lesson every week for Protestant, Catholic and Islamic instruction. The students who have brought notes from parents seeking exemption from religious instruction are catered for separately. We hold combined Easter and Christmas services each year and parents are most welcome to attend these.

BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Before and After School Care is operated by a community based non-profit organisation managed by a parent committee and is registered with Centrelink, which offers the Child Care Benefit. The centre caters for primary school aged children from 4 to 13 years of age.

Before and After School Care offers a variety of indoor and outdoor activities through their daily program, where the children have the opportunity to join in or indulge in free play. The centre and its staff aim to provide all primary school aged children with quality care in a safe and friendly, home-like environment.

Before and After School Care is located in the grounds of Toongabbie West Public School and operates between the hours of 6:30a.m. to 8:55a.m. and 2:30p.m. to 6:30p.m.

For further information or enrolment please drop in or phone on Phone/Fax 9631 0855 and speak with one of their friendly staff.