

UPCOMING EVENTS



SCHOOL

TERM 4

WEEK 7

Monday 21 November

Yr5 Student Leadership speeches to Stage 3 Students vote

Wednesday 23 November

Wellbeing Session in Hall
 Year 2 Excursion Sydney Tramway
 Early Birds Session 4
 Jumpstart Year 6
 Schools Spectacular Rehearsal

Thursday 24 November

Schools Spectacular Dress Rehearsal

Friday 25 November

Value of the Month presentation
 Schools Spectacular Show Excursion

WEEK 8

Monday 28 November

Sport House meetings
 -Sport Captain voting
 Seasons for Growth reconnectors
 11:35 - 3:00pm



ABOVE: Year 1 went to the Sydney Tramway Museum this week.

FROM THE
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

SYDNEY TRAMWAY MUSEUM VISIT

This week invitations were emailed to parents and volunteers regarding our annual Supporters of KPS Thank You Morning Tea. This is one way we, as a school, show our appreciation and thanks for the efforts and time given by the volunteers who support our school. If you do not physically receive an invitation, please accept this as a welcome to attend.

Save the date: Thursday December 1st 11am in our school library.

Our OFFICE HOURS are
8.30am – 3.15pm

MAKE A PAYMENT

[LINK](#)

Uniform Shop
NEW HOURS
 Tuesdays 8:30am-9:30am
 Thursdays 2:30pm - 3:30pm

SECURITY HOTLINE

1300 880 021

CANTEEN ONLINE ORDER

www.flexi-schools.com.au

[LINK](#)

School Spectacular

This wonderful show is fast approaching, and I am very much looking forward to attending the Friday night performance. The children involved have given up many recess and lunch times with Mrs Rayner and Mrs Hansard practising all the songs and movements. Thank you to everyone involved, not long now until the show. I know you will enjoy this show immensely. If you are interested in buying tickets to one of the performances, they are now available online through Ticketek.

Mini Fete

The Year 6 students are busy organising their annual Mini Fete. The money raised from the Fete goes towards the Year 6 Farewell and a Year 6 gift to the school. The fete will be held on Friday December 2 and there will be many stalls to visit and activities for students to do. Students in Kindergarten through to Year 5 pay a fee of \$10 and this allows them to participate in all the activities. There will be something for every age group and all students can expect to have a fabulous day! If your child would also like a sausage sandwich and a spider drink, they can pay \$15 an additional \$5. Payment can be made online or at the office. We will also be taking cash payments in the courtyard each morning before school from Monday 21st November to Friday December 2 from 8:25- 8:55am.

Tell Them from Me Survey

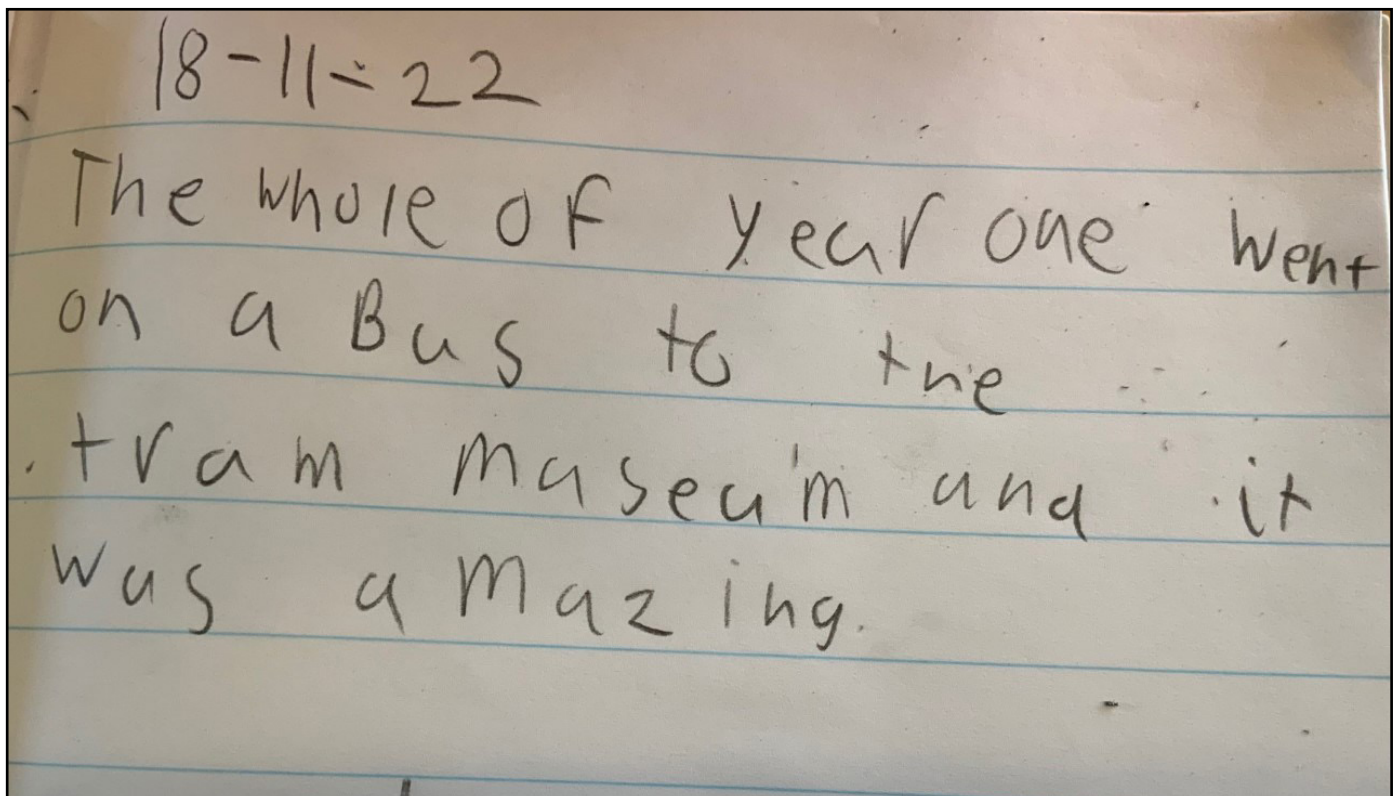
The Tell Them From Me Survey has now closed. Thank you to all our parents and carers who completed the survey. Congratulations to The Gosson Family on winning the EFTPOS voucher.

Leadership 2023

On Monday morning, Year 5 students will present speeches to the school as part of the selection process for the 2023 Student Leadership Team. Following these speeches, students will have the opportunity to vote for next year's student leaders. The process for selection of 2023 Sport Captains will begin in the following week.

Stage 1 Sydney Tramway Museum Excursion

On Wednesday 16th November our Year 1 students attended the Sydney Tramway Museum and had a fantastic day. During the day students got to ride an 1850's Tram and learnt about the history of trams in Australia. The students received positive compliments on their behaviour, and everyone had a great day. Our Year 2 students are looking forward to attending the museum next Wednesday.



Requests for 2023

If you would like to make a request regarding your child in 2023, please put this in writing and return to Mrs Skinner by November 25. Classes for next year will start to be established around this time. Although we try our best to accommodate all requests there are times where this is not possible due to many factors. Please do NOT request certain teachers as staff will change around each year and not necessarily be on the same grades as this year.

Change of Last Day for 2022

Monday December 19 was originally the last day of term for all students in NSW. The Department of Education has announced that students will finish school for the year on Friday December 16. The Monday and Tuesday, December 19 and 20 are

now both Staff Development Days which allow our staff to participate in professional learning that was put on hold due to COVID-19 staffing pressures and plan for 2023, ensuring we meet the needs of our students.



By **KERRY RAYNER**
Kariong Public School
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL



KCBC invites you to join us making Gingerbread Houses

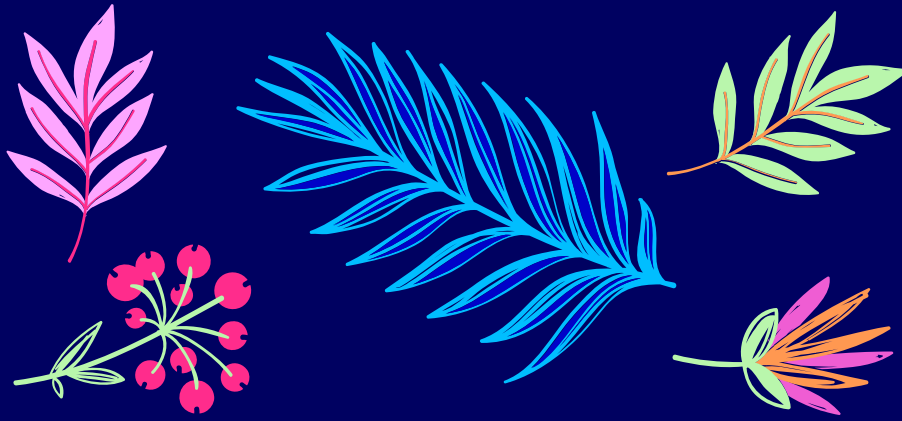
SUNDAY 4TH DEC 2-4PM

@PHILLIP HOUSE

\$15 FOR A HOUSE

**COMMENT IN THE EVENT WITH HOW MANY HOUSES YOU
WANT AND HOW MANY PEOPLE YOU'RE BRINGING TO
SECURE A SPOT!**

2022 Volunteers' Thank You Morning Tea



• Thursday •
1 December

• TIME •
11:00 – 11:30 am

• Kariong Public School •
Library

**RSVP to the office by 28
November**

On behalf of the students and staff we invite our supporters of
Kariong Public School to a morning tea.

Congratulations!

Principal Awards	
Evie B	KM
Tate H	KM
Jarrold W	KM
Kaiden L	1J
Haseeb H	1J
Layla H	1J
Isla P	1G
Axel F	1G



BRONZE AWARDS	
Indy D	4T

SILVER AWARDS	
Deyton S	5/6A



GOLD AWARDS	
Jaxon M	KG
Henry H	KG
Jordan S	1J
Olivia J	2M
Jordan D	2M
Jasper K	2M
Aaliyah W	3C
Oscar R	3C
William L	3C
Ryan M	3C
Brylan B	3S
Daniel C	3S
Hunter A	4B
Flynn M	4B
Jett R	4B
Joel A	4B
Rhyder H	4B
Bowen M	4T
Luke C	4T
Nate G	4T
Kai T	4T
Layla W	4T
Lucas S	4T
Olympia A	4T
Krishna B	5/6A
Chloe R	5/6RG
Brody M	5/6RG
Ruby D	5/6RG
Jai M	5/6RG
Brock S	5/6RG
Georgia F	5/6RG
Ashton C	5/6RG
Dean R	5/6RG
Rocco A	5/6RG
David A	5/6RG
Ella B	5/6RG
Adahlia B	5/6RG
Thomas L	5/6RG
Bryce J	5/6RG
Cassidy R	5/6RG
William X	5/6RG

MERIT AWARDS	
Eve L	KG
Mikayla C	KG
Ozzie P	KM
Abi C	KM
Riley H	3S
Abigail L	3S
Brianna L	3S
Jack B	3S
Kaiden L	1J
Layla H	1J
Haseeb H	1J
Erin Y	1/2FM
Edward R	1/2FM
Jean E	2M
Harry T	2M
Cooper M	3C
Rylee K	3C
Dayvean AL	3C
Sofia F-P	3C
Ziva W	4B
Joel A	4B
Katarina F-P	4B
Lucy T	4B
Lachlan M	4T
Hunter W	4T
Josephine H	4T
Olympia A	4T
Brody M	5/6RG
Ruby D	5/6RG
David A	5/6RG
Lilliana R	5/6RG





PBL UPDATE

BRINGING TOYS TO SCHOOL

This week our PBL focus is 'Bringing toys to school.' If you bring toys to school it is completely your responsibility to look after them. Keep toys that are precious and/or expensive at home. Toys can only come out of your bag at play time (this includes Pokémon Cards). Trading is only allowed if you are in Years 3-6. If you do trade, make sure it is fair. Once a trade is completed you cannot change your mind.

RESPECT

- Always seek owner's permission
- Return when asked in same condition
- Fair trade only allowed in years 3-6

RESPONSIBILITY

- Keep track of where they are
- Store toys in bag when not being played with
- Label all items clearly

PERSONAL BEST

- Only use at playtime
- Toys go home each day

PARLIAMENT AND CIVICS EDUCATION REBATE: PACER

Our Year 5 and 6 students had an amazing time away during their educational tour of the National Capital in Canberra.

Students visited places of interest and participated in a variety of programs that focused on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the National Capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education.

To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$30 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER) program towards those costs.

The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion, which was able to keep the price lower for our families.





BUDDIES IN THE LIBRARY

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11



By **MISS DRABSCH**
Kariong Public School
TEACHER

Last Friday, 1J, 1FM and their buddies had the chance to visit the local Kariong Library. Students walked down with their buddies and teachers and were able to spend the morning reading books to each other and borrowing on our school account. We look forward to our final visit of the year this Friday with KG and their Year 5 buddies.

Miss Drabsch
TEACHER






YEAR 3 EXCURSION TO SYDNEY

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11

The head of a pre

This skull says pure predator. Casts of the
T. rex skull suggest it had a terrific sense of
The forward position of its eyes indicates it
depth perception. And with a bite 15 times st
than an African Lion's, T. rex may have had the
strongest bite of any known animal.

Take a closer look at its teeth.
T. rex's jaw contained different teeth for different
purposes. The front teeth were thick and curved
backwards, armed with chisel-like ends, and cut
and rip. The middle teeth were ridged and round
to penetrate bone and resist the strain of a kill.
The back teeth were shorter and worked as bone-crusher
and serrations on at least one edge to help
T. rex slash and bone with a grip and rip action.



'Splash!' the dog ran through the Memorial Garden pool! We were shocked as we stood there ready for the one-minute silence in Hyde Park, Sydney. It was a solemn occasion; I was standing straight whilst the Ode of Remembrance played. It was also my first time at the memorial service in Sydney.

Then we went into the Australian Museum. 'Ahhhh... Is that real?' I asked. 'No' said the Education Officer. He said it had had taxidermy.

I didn't know what that was at first but after he explained the definition I began to understand.

We were allowed to pat a lot of these animals. After we saw all the taxidermized animals we went through to the Egyptian mummy. It was so cool!

It was an amazing day. I loved it, especially playing the game Cowboys and Indians in Hyde Park.

- HARRISON 3C

'Lest We Forget' was the message of the day! The bugle started playing the Last Post.

It was 11.11.2022 at 11am as we remembered soldiers who fought for our country. Year 3 were at Hyde Park at the ANZAC Memorial. We were given a gold star with the name of a soldier who didn't return from war and we are going to research more about him. Before the Ode of

which was one of the 200 Treasures on display. There were taxidermized animals which means they take out the meat and stuff it.

While we waited for the bus driver, Peter, we played a fun running game with Mrs Hoyle called Cowboys and

WHAT OUR STUDENTS THOUGHT

Remembrance was played, we had been to the Hall of Silence. We also saw all of the equipment that soldiers used in battle.

'Don't touch that!', Miss Smith yelled pointing to the dinosaur skeletons, realising that she was speaking too loud in the museum.

We were allowed to touch the animals and some of the artefacts that we could reach. Right in front of my eyes I saw a meteorite

Indians in Hyde Park. It was a chance for us to run around and play after being in places where we had to be responsible. I was so upset to leave but it was so much fun!

- NATASHA 3C



We all stood to attention whilst listening to the bugle play the Last Post. It was 11am on the 11th November. We were standing outside the ANZAC memorial in Hyde Park, Sydney. We had just come back from the Hall of Silence. I was shocked to see all the army equipment like boots, guns, shirts, knives, shorts. It was amazing!

Whoah, that's cool!', I yelled looking at the deadly T-Rex when all of a sudden, 'Shhhh...', whispered Miss Smith as she reminded me that I was in a museum. I was lucky to see the Port Jackson shark egg. We learnt about this shark. It was an amazing day. I rated it 10/10. It was so fantastic!

- RILEY 3S





Lest We Forget.
The one minutes silence was so sad as we remembered the soldiers that had fallen and fought in the war. It was the first time I have ever been to such a moving service and when we went to the museum, we saw magnificent artefacts. **OMG!** I saw the 200 Treasures on the ground floor.

This was the best thing that has happened in my life, and I was a bit sad that we didn't get to see the Shark Exhibition this time.

I was lucky to see the meteorite, Egyptian mummy and a red bellied black snake.

We also played a fun game in Hyde Park and caught our coach back to school. We were all very tired after our big day!

- TAI 3C



'Shhh', whispered Mrs Hoyle when we were at the Hall of Silence. There were beautiful gold stars on the roof of the hall, each one remembering a fallen soldier. On the floor was a bronze statute of a man on a sword to remember who had died. After we left the Hall of Silence, we attended the ceremony at the ANZAC Memorial we said, 'Lest we Forget' and had a minute of silence. It was my first time there!

"Wow!" It was huge! We went up the ramp but that wasn't the right way.

Then we walked the right way and saw a real possum, but it was stuffed with stuffing, but the skin was real. Then we went to watch the mini movie of the dinosaurs and a fake life-sized T-Rex. We saw its heart, intestines and teeth! Next, we went into the Australian Bird room. We saw so many birds.

After our museum experience we played a vary fun game called Cowboys and Indians in Hyde Park.

We had a great day!

- By AALIYAH 3C



CREATING THE MAGIC

SCHOOLS SPECTACULAR REHEARSAL

Have you ever wanted to create magic? Our school choir were creating magic with a few hundred other public school students on Thursday 10 November at Netball Central in Homebush.

We were in awe of how many students wore the same shirts we did (we were a part of a big team). The rehearsal was a great opportunity to make new friends from other schools.

It was so exciting to sing with the Schools Spectacular Arena Choir in preparation for the amazing show coming up on 25 and 26 November. Everyone had a fun time with the conductors. They really had a great sense of humour!

Learning new moves and knowing which position we needed to be in and when, gave our brains something new to think about.

The highlight of the day was singing, singing and

more singing! We want to encourage everyone to buy tickets to come and watch our magical show, so you don't miss out on the magical atmosphere.



Kariong Public School

Early Birds Program

KINDERGARTEN 2023



Weekly transition to school sessions:

Wednesday 2nd Nov 2022

Wednesday 9th Nov 2022

Wednesday 16th Nov 2022

Wednesday 23rd Nov 2022

Visit the 'kindergarten' tab on our website or phone the front office on 43401885 for more information

NSW Health Mobile Dental Program



Brush your teeth
morning and night



Eat more
fruit and veges



Choose water
as a drink



Have a regular
dental check-up

NSW Health Primary School Dental Program

NSW Health is working with public primary schools to offer **free dental check-ups** and preventive care to students as part of a school-based mobile dental program. Your child's school has been selected to participate in this program.

The program involves a mobile dental team making scheduled visits to your child's primary school. During the first appointment a dental check-up and preventive care package will be provided, subject to parental consent. A letter will be sent to parents/guardians providing an update on the child's dental check-up.

The program is scheduled to visit your child's school from 6/02/2023 to 22/02/2023.

Parent Information and Consent Packs will be sent home, including information sheets, consent forms and the program privacy statement. Parents/guardians who want their child to receive care are advised to:

1. Read all the information provided
2. Carefully complete the consent forms
3. Return the consent forms to the school as soon as possible

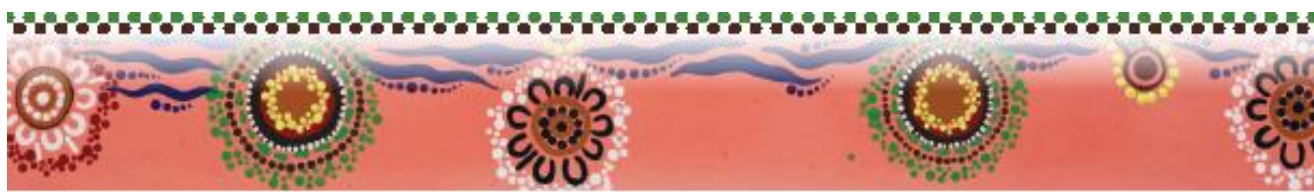
More information about the program is available on the NSW Health website:

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/oralhealth/primaryschool dental>.



NSW Health Primary
School Mobile Dental Program

From July 2019, children attending participating primary schools in The Central Coast will have access to free dental care through the NSW Health Primary School Mobile Dental Program.





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www.kariong-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

To whom it may concern,

My name is Kylie Stephenson, and I oversee fund raising for our P&C committee at Kariong Public School.

We are seeking some donations to raise money for new representative sports shirts for our students at Kariong Public School.

If you are to donate any item big or small, we would appreciate your generosity.

I can be contacted on the school number 43401885 or 0411254230.

I can also be contacted via email on kylie.stephenson3@det.nsw.edu.au

Please see below a photo of the shirts we would like to purchase.

Thank you for your support.

Kylie Stephenson

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL
T-SHIRT 2022
Club



OUTLINE:
FULLY SUBLIMATED: 100% POLYESTER
• VAPC-TECH 3 (160gsm)
TAPERED COLLAR w/ INSERT
20mm HEMMED CUFF



TRIMS:
WOVEN PIP LABEL
SELF FABRIC NECK BIND
PRINTED YOKE



2022

GT SCHOOL.COM.AU

SPORTS

UNIFORM PRICING



SUMMER TUNIC
\$42.00



WINTER TUNIC
\$50.00



SHORT SLEEVE POLO
\$25.00



GAB NAVY SHORTS
\$22.00



NAVY CULLOTTES
\$25.00



JACKET BOMBER
\$45.00



JACKET WATERPROOF
\$50.00



RED HOODED
\$35.00



ROUND NECK
SLOPPY JOE
\$27.00



PANTS GAB LONG
\$30.00



BOOTLEG TRACKPANT
\$25.00



CUFF DOUBLE KNEE
T/PANT
\$27.00



E/L TRACKPANT
\$22.00



NAVY SPORTS SHORT
\$25.00

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL



UNIFORM INFORMATION ONLINE ORDERING



STUDENT ACCESSORIES

Due to COVID-19, we are now selling uniforms online.

Please visit our online store at: <https://www.gtschool.com.au>

Click on



OR



Next, click Kariong Public School logo.

If sizes are incorrect we are happy to exchange!
Just send an email with details of goods to be exchanged.

Uniform Shop Hours

Tuesday & Thursday

8:30AM - 9:30AM

Why not try on and go home and do an online order when it suits you.



MIGHTY TUFF BACKPACK

\$60.00



PAINTING SMOCK

\$19.00



LIBRARY BAG

\$16.00



HAT

\$16.00

OZ SPORTS INTERNATIONAL P/L
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CENTRAL COAST OFFICE/SHOP

20-22 FAIRVIEW AVE THE ENTRANCE NSW 2261

PHONE: (02) 4332 1570

EMAIL: info@gtschool.com.au

THANK YOU, MANAGEMENT

Online Enrolment

We are excited to announce the roll out of the [new Online Enrolment System](#). The Online Enrolment System is designed to provide flexibility for our parents to submit an enrolment application online and at the time that best suits you. The application can be accessed on all browsers and mobile devices including iOS and Android.

The online application process is currently restricted to:

- Enrolments into local schools only
- Children who are Australian citizens
- New Zealand citizens or permanent residents
- Children who live in NSW.

We offer our support and encourage you to complete your application to enrol online. If, however, you do not feel comfortable completing an application online, a paper copy will be available for collection from our front office or can be downloaded from the Department's going to a public school site.

Further information about online enrolment can be found on our school website under the 'Enrolment' tab. If you require further information, please call Kariong Public School on 02 4340 1885.

Online Payments

It is very easy for parents to make online payments to the school via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa, MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone. This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner; these details are not passed back to the school. The DoE preferred method for all money coming into the school is the Payment On-Line facility (POP) through the school's website: Kariong-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Item categories

- If a POP payment is made before 6pm, your payment will be processed on the next day's school statement.

- If it is made after 6pm, the school will be notified two days later.
- Please ensure that on your child's permission note, you fill in the section for POP which will require the receipt number.
- At the bottom of every note that requires payment, there is a section for cash, cheque, and Payment On Line, for your convenience.
- **Please do not make payments for uniforms on this site. The Uniform Shop is privately run and their website for ordering is: gtschool.com.au.**

Helpful Hints

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities (these include band, drama and dance). There is also a category called 'Other' to cover items not covered in the previous headings, 'Other' can be used to make a complete payment of a school Statement of Account.

When you access the \$ Make a payment you must enter:

- [the student's name](#)
- [date of birth](#)

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Nutrition Snippet

HOW TO PACK A HEALTHY LUNCH BOX



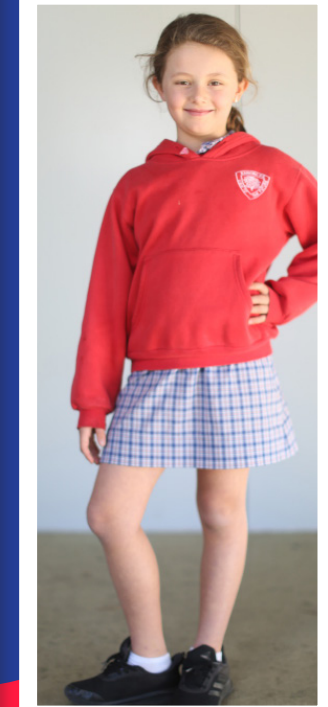
A good lunch gives children energy and nutrients to learn, play and grow.

But what does a healthy lunch box look like? Find out in our short video.



Summer Uniform

KARIONG PUBLIC SCHOOL



Girls

- A-line red, white and blue checked **dress**; or navy skorts with a white **blouse** or polo **shirt**
- White **socks** (socks to be above ankle bones)
- Red **jumper**, red **cardigan** (school logo only) or red and navy school bomber **jacket**
- Black **shoes**

Boys

- White **shirt** with white collar button through, or polo shirt
- Navy **shorts** to the knee, without side pockets
- White or navy **socks** (socks to be above ankle bones)
- Red **jumper**, red **cardigan** (school logo only) or red & navy school bomber **jacket**
- Black **shoes**



A REMINDER ABOUT MONEY COLLECTING PROCEDURES

All cash money sent to the school is to be brought to the Administration Office and placed into the **letterbox slot** that is on the front wall near the counter. This will allow payments to be placed securely, even when the office is not open.

Please **do not leave money on the counter**. We ask that the envelope be marked with your child's name, class and what the payment is for, to allow the payment to be processed.

The office staff will administer all money and a receipt will be issued to the family, which will go to the student's class teacher to send home. This procedure ensures better handling of all monies and reduces disruption to teachers and students.

We provide a variety of ways to make payments within the school, to make it easier for families and alleviate some students bringing large amounts of money to school.

EFTPOS payments may be processed at the Administration Office between the hours of 8.30am – 3.00pm.

We no longer are permitted to take EFTPOS **over the phone**. For any enquiries regarding the online payment process, please contact Kariong School Administration Office.