#### **Kindergarten 2021**

We have had a number of questions submitted through the online survey link. Please see below for answers.

# When does school start for Kindergarten students in 2021 and what are the hours?

Kindergarten students commence school at IRPS on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2021. The starting times on this day are staggered to allow students to settle in. Your child's start time will be allocated to you and will be a time between 9.00am and 10.30am. From Day 2 onwards, school commences at 9.00am.

School concludes at 3.00pm each day. For the first 2 weeks of Kindergarten, students can be picked up from the classroom from 2.40pm to allow students and parents a smooth pick up process. Students attending after school care will remain with teachers until after care staff arrive for pick up. After the first 2 weeks, pick up arrangements will be at 3pm from a designated area.

# If orientation dates go ahead – does my child need to wear the school uniform and have a school bag?

No. If we are approved to host the scheduled orientation mornings, your child is to wear suitable play clothes as they would for a day at preschool/day care. No bag is required.

#### How do I buy uniforms?

Our P&C have an information section on our school website to inform you of how the uniform shop operates and uniform requirements.

https://ironbarkrg-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/p-c/uniform-shop.html

## How do I apply for before and afternoon care?

Out of school care operated on site is called KT OOSH. <a href="www.ktoosh.com.au">www.ktoosh.com.au</a>
They can be contacted by email or phone - <a href="mailto:irps@ktoosh.com.au">irps@ktoosh.com.au</a>
8814 7610
Please be aware that places are limited and can fill quickly.

## What does my child need to bring to school each day?

Your child's school bag should include – school hat, school jacket/jumper, water bottle, fruit snack for fruit break time, recess snack for morning tea and food for lunch. We also ask that you pack a change of underwear in case of any accidents. Once your child is allocated to a class, a note will come home with a short list of other things to supply such as a library bag and art shirt.