Starting school is a major life transition for children and their families. It is a period of change that can be both challenging and exciting, in which children and families adjust to new roles, identities and expectations, new interactions and new relationships.

Transition to school is an experience that starts well before, and extends far beyond, the first day of school. At Sunshine Heights Primary School we believe that the best way to choose the right school for your child is to visit the classrooms, immerse yourself in the environment and see firsthand the routines that operate, and the relationships that exist between teachers and students.

Throughout the year parents are encouraged to contact the school’s office to organise a tour of the school. Tours will be organised at a time that is convenient for parents.

See overleaf for more information.
Twilight School

Thursday 19 May 2016

To celebrate Education Week, the students will be taking part in a Twilight School day!

On this day the students will be starting school at 1pm and finishing at 7:00pm.

Parents, families and our prep friends are invited to watch the students in action as they enjoy a normal school day in the early afternoon through to the late evening!

This program is for students that have enrolled for Prep in 2017:

Session 1
Wed 9 Nov, 9:15 – 11am
Students visit classrooms and work with teachers - this provides the students with an opportunity to familiarise themselves with the classroom and routines.
It also assists the teachers in preparing classes for 2016.
A parent information session will also be held while the students are working in the classroom with teachers.
Parents will receive a detailed prep parent information booklet.

Session 2
Wed 16 Nov, 9:15 – 11am
Students visit classrooms and work with teachers.
A parent information session will also be held while the students are working in the classroom with teachers.

Session 3
Wed 23 Nov, 12:30 – 6:30pm
Teachers will organise a time to meet with each student to conduct a one-to-one interview to learn about your child.

Please feel free to contact the school if you require more information about our transition program.
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Please note that there will be a number of other opportunities for 2017 Prep families and students to visit and get to know Sunshine Heights Primary School.

Tours with the Principal
Parents are encouraged to contact the school at any time to organise a tour of the school with the Principal.

Celebrating our future years together of learning and friendships!

We would like to invite our 2017 Prep students and families to our Festive concert and student art show
This will be held in December on a date yet to be confirmed.

Ready-Set-Go...2017

Term 1
- 2017 Prep family picnic night – dates and times yet to be confirmed.
- Each student will meet his or her Year 5/6 ‘buddy’.
- Speech pathologist and school nurse to work with each student.
- Students do not attend school on Wednesdays during the first month of school.

Preparing the students & families for 2017 - the excitement begins…'