

Parent Information Handout #2

Introduction to Kinder - Foundation Transitions at Truganina College

Thursday 21 st October Pre Recorded	Subject Teachers, Assessments and 21 st Century Learning
Thursday 4 th November Pre Recorded	Community Engagement and what to expect in the first term. (Learning Time, Assessment Interviews, School Banking, Essential Education Items, Compass, CSEF, State Schools' Relief, Camp Australia, Lunch Orders, School Uniforms)
Thursday 18 th November Pre Recorded	Classroom routines and expectations, getting ready for 2022

Subjects

Students will have four hours of subjects each week taught by a different teacher.



21st Century Skills

All learning experiences across the curriculum incorporates 21st century skills to equip students with the skills needed so that they are globally aware, better able to navigate the digital world and be more engaged.

iPads

It's the expectation that every student at the College has an iPad. The iPads are a tool used in the classroom to support teaching and learning. Due to the technological structures in the College, only iPads can be used for learning. We teach students how to use technology safely through the Responsible Digital Citizenship Matrix.



Assessments

Teachers assess students for their ability to identify the upper and lower case alphabets when they begin school. This assessment also includes the student's ability to identify sounds of the alphabets. Students are also assessed on their reading and comprehension as well as the reading and spelling of Oxford Words.

SeeSaw

Seesaw is an Online Learning Management System the school began using during Remote and Flexible Learning. The Seesaw platform is used in Foundation - Year 4 classrooms.

For further information about SeeSaw and some of its features, please visit: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k1_mBy1E10M



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Students show learning

Students use built-in annotation tools to capture what they know in Seesaw's digital portfolio

Teachers gain insights

Teachers deeply understand student thinking and progress – enabling them to teach better

Families connect

Families gain a window into their student's learning and engage with school happenings

School Website: <http://truganinap9.vic.edu.au>