



Your invitation  
to

***Partnerships  
With  
Parents***

0-8 years  
Term 4, 2009

# Partnerships with Parents

Welcome to Partnerships with Parents for Term 4, 2009. We have another interesting and informative program offering workshops on a range of topics with a particular focus on child development of children 0-8 years. Parents of older children are most welcome to attend.

Our aim is based upon the premise that you are your child's first teacher and we would like to give you the opportunity to learn about aspects of your child's development and ways to support your young child's learning at home. We would like to create a supportive and sharing environment, with the opportunity for you to ask questions and seek advice not only from qualified people in the field of education but also from other parents. We aim to give you an insight into teaching and learning and ultimately promote positive working relationships, enabling your child's smooth and successful transition into their schooling years.

We will continue to make available our parent resource library at each Partnerships with Parents workshop. The resources include information pamphlets giving practical suggestions for parents of young children, and a selection of books available for borrowing. So please make sure you have a look at these resources while at the workshops. There is no cost for the borrowing of these books. However we would appreciate prompt return of resources to enable as many parents as possible to access these.

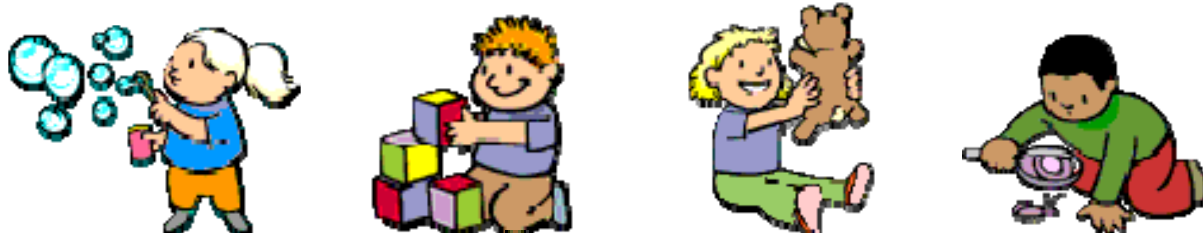
Please visit our Partnerships with Parents website

- Go to the Campbell Internet Site [www.campbellps.det.wa.edu.au/](http://www.campbellps.det.wa.edu.au/)
- Navigate to *Information*
- Click on the Partnerships with Parents Link

This website provides programme information, session details, links to great websites and information on previous Partnership with Parents presentations and hand outs.

We invite you to come along to the Campbell Primary School Meeting Room next to the staffroom at 8.40 for a coffee or tea and a chance to meet and chat with other parents in your community. Sessions will then formally begin at 9.00am.

Remember to invite your friends and don't forget the crèche continues to be available for a **small donation**. This is located next to the staffroom.



## **Workshops**

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2009 @ 9:45am**

**The Power of Play and Language Development**

**Guest Speaker: Miss Ainsley Merry**

Children are engaged in play all the time. This session will show how to optimise opportunities to support language development and encourage correct speech.

### **EVENING SESSION**

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November @ 6.00pm - 7.00pm**

**Body Image and Young People - Boosting Self Esteem**

**Guest Speaker: Ms Brenda Cheveralls**

Children today are bombarded with images particularly through the media subjecting them to enormous pressure to conform to a particular look. Brenda will provide a practical guide to help you boost self esteem and help your child resist the pressure to fit an image.

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2009 @ 9:45am**

**Food for Thought - Cooking for Busy Parents**

**Guest Speaker/Demonstrator: Western Australian School Canteen Association (Inc)  
Coordinated by Ms Brenda Cheveralls**

For inspiration and practical ideas about providing exciting and simple lunches and snacks come to this workshop and be inspired. The workshop also offers food ideas to tempt fussy eaters.

**Friday 27<sup>st</sup> November 2009 @ 9.45am**

**Making the Transition from Pre Primary to Year One.**

**Guest speakers: Ms Lisa Pizzi.**

The theme of today's workshop is, "How can I best prepare my child for an exciting and successful entry into year one." Lisa will share a range of helpful strategies and hints that will assist you to support your child through the transition from PP to year one. This session is vital for all parents of children who are entering year one in 2010.

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2009 @ 9:00am

Holiday Ideas to Enjoy and Support your Child's Learning Program

**Guest Speakers: Ms Sue Mikkelson and Mrs Sandi Fraser**

This session will provide parents with ideas for holiday activities for all age levels that will also develop and extend learning. This session will also share ideas about where you can take your child to have a fun day out while also providing educational learning opportunities.

Venue: Amherst Library.

Stay for  
morning tea  
and a chat.



Workshops are held at:

**Campbell Primary School  
Campbell Road Canning Vale**

**This term some workshops will be held in classrooms so  
please check venue details.**

Please confirm your intention to attend some of our 'Partnerships with Parents' workshops so an adequate crèche can be arranged.

Contact Campbell Primary School on 9456 8300



We look forward to seeing you all.