



Respect Responsibility Resilience



Information Booklet

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Welcome to our School - Kapooka

Welcome to Kapooka Public School. We are a public school operated by the NSW Department of Education. The school is situated in the small village of Kapooka which is attached to the Army Recruitment Training Centre (ARTC). This Australian Army base is 8 km south of Wagga Wagga, just off the Olympic Highway.

Kapooka Public School provides a comprehensive education for students from Kindergarten to Year 6. The school has an enrolment of approximately 62 children. A Busabout bus transports children from Wagga Wagga to Kapooka School, this bus arrives at Kapooka School at approximately 9:00 am and departs the school at 3:00 pm each day.

The school, originally established within the grounds of 1 RTB, has been at its present village site since 1962. The village itself contains approximately 57 refurbished modern homes. The school is situated in a pleasant, semi-rural environment with spacious, well-grassed play areas. All classrooms are well-equipped and air-conditioned. In 2021 a State government grant enabled us to extend our Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA).

As well as giving priority to teaching English and mathematics, in 2022-23 we have been part of the Rural Access Gap program which is the first stage of the Schools Digital Strategy that will ensure the school is digitally transformed to match our metropolitan counterparts. This program has enabled Kapooka school to enhance digital classrooms through upgrades to connectivity and learning spaces and leveraging cloud technology. Every student has access to a laptop and Mobile Learning Devices are integrated into learning activities. Our Music program includes recorder lessons with a performance at the Opera House in Sydney (approximately every 3 years), participation in the Choral and Dance Spectacular (CHORDS) every 2 years, and performances at the Wagga Market Place during Education Week and at the Wagga Eisteddfod as well. Each year we have an annual Dance concert based on a specific theme.

Parents play a vital role in all aspects of the school's program. There is an active and supportive P & C Association which provides excellent resources for the school.

The school has a permanent staff of a teaching Principal, experienced and dedicated teachers, a School Admin Manager, a School Admin Officer and a School Learning Support Officer. Our 2024 staff members are:

Mrs Lyn Eacott	Principal
Mrs Paula Hounsell	Teacher
Mr Rhys Holloway	Teacher
Mrs Michelle Ray	Teacher
Mrs Cherrie Godwin	Defence School Mentor (DSM) (Monday to Thursday)
Mrs Stacey Hugler	School Learning Support Officer
Mrs Cindy Hounsell	School Administration Officer (Wednesday)
Mrs Joh Norton	School Administration Manager (Relieving)
Mr Andrew Smith	General Assistant

The information contained in this booklet should help you to become better acquainted with our school. We welcome parental involvement in school activities. Please feel free to visit the school should you wish to discuss any aspects of your child's education.

Further information is available on our school website – www.kapooka-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Kapooka Public School values



At Kapooka Public School we have adopted the following values. Respect, Responsibility, Resilience. Our aim is to ensure that these values are understood and practised by all members of the Kapooka Public School community and that they underpin the interactions of all students within the school and the wider community.

RESPECT will be demonstrated by students when they:

- appreciate the efforts of others such as family, staff and other students
- value their friendships
- recognise the rights of individuals
- respect the property of others
- speak politely
- follow instructions

RESPONSIBILITY will be demonstrated by students when they:

- make informed choices about their behaviour
- take control of their own actions
- accept and utilise guidance from family and staff
- strive for goals
- be cooperative
- encourage others

RESILIENCE will be demonstrated by students when they:

- have a growth mindset
- be able to bounce back
- persevere
- attempt all tasks
- play safely
- be a good sport

School Terms 2023 and 2024

	2023	Term holidays
Term 4 Staff return Monday 9 October Students return to school Monday 9 October Last day for students Friday 15 December	Monday 9 October 2023 to Tuesday 19 December 2023	Wednesday 20 December 2023 to Monday 29 January 2024
	2024	Term holidays
Term 1 Staff return Tuesday 30 January Students start school Thursday 1 February Kindergarten students start Friday 2 February	Tuesday 30 January 2024 to Friday 12 April 2024	Monday 15 April 2024 to Friday 26 April 2024
Term 2 Staff return Monday 29 April Students return to school on Tuesday 30 April	Monday 29 April 2024 to Friday 5 July 2024	Monday 8 July 2024 to Friday 19 July 2024
Term 3 Staff return Monday 22 July Students return to school on Tuesday 23 July	Monday 22 July 2024 to Friday 27 September 2024	Monday 30 September 2024 to Friday 11 October 2024
Term 4 Staff & students return Monday 14 October Last day for students Wednesday 18 December	Monday 14 October 2024 to Friday 20 December 2024	Monday 23 December 2024 to Thursday 30 January 2025

Kindergarten students begin school on Friday 2nd February 2024.

Staff Development Days - First two days of Term 1, the first day of Terms 2 & 3 and the last two days of Term 4, 2024.
Students do not attend school on these days.

Public Holidays

- New Year's Day - Monday, 1 January 2024
- Australia Day - Friday, 26 January 2024
- Good Friday - Friday, 29 March 2024
- Easter Saturday - Saturday, 30 March 2024
- Easter Sunday - Sunday, 31 March 2024
- Easter Monday - Monday, 1 April 2024
- ANZAC Day - Thursday, 25 April 2024
- King's Birthday - Monday, 10 June 2024
- Labour Day - Monday, 7 October 2024
- Christmas Day - Wednesday, 25 December 2024
- Boxing Day - Thursday 26 December 2024

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Accident & illness

Any students needing First Aid will be treated using basic emergency care in the first instance. Parents will be contacted should their child become ill or hurt. The ambulance will be contacted in the event of serious accidents/illness. Parents must supply emergency contact numbers upon enrolment. These people will be contacted in the event of a parent being unavailable. Please keep your contact details up to date in case of an emergency.

When your child is absent from school for any reason, please submit the student's absence via the School Bytes App, Class Dojo or email the school. It is a Departmental requirement that all student absences are explained, and preferably in writing.

Allergies / Anaphylaxis

If your child has an allergy, please let the school know. Your child may be allergic to or have a severe allergic reaction (Anaphylaxis) to medication, bee stings, animals, plants or food. All staff are trained and are regularly updated in Anaphylaxis training. Parents are asked to support the school by not providing their children with any peanut-based products in their child's lunch boxes. Parents of children with known allergies must supply details of the allergy and an appropriate emergency care plan upon enrolment. In the event of an emergency, staff are trained in the use of Epipens. **Parents, please remember to update the medication as dates expire.**

Ambulance

Our school contributes to the NSW Ambulance Fund covering the cost of transporting students within NSW where necessary. An ambulance will be called if it is felt that a student's health is at risk. Parents or contact persons will be contacted as soon as possible should an ambulance be necessary. Students will be accompanied to hospital by a staff member if a parent is not available.

APP – for Android and iPhone

Kapooka Public School use School Bytes as their student management program and includes a Parent App for your Android or iPhone. Key features include receiving real time push notifications from the school, give consent for excursions, make secure payments and view the school calendar. Download from the App Store or Google Play.

Asthma

Parents of asthmatic children will be requested to provide an up-to-date asthma plan as supplied by their family doctor.

Children who suffer from Asthma are able to keep their puffer on them or in their school bag. You may also provide Ventolin and their spacer for the office.

Our staff are updated with techniques and information on a regular basis.

Kapooka School is an "Asthma Friendly School".

Assemblies

A morning assembly is held each day on the cement area at 9:10am. Brief information is distributed at this time. Assemblies are held each term at the Blamey Community Centre or under the COLA commencing at 2:15pm. Each class runs one assembly per term. During the assembly students receive merit awards and any other special awards. Class items are also presented. Assembly dates are advertised in the newsletter and on the school APP. Parents are most welcome to attend.

Attendance

The law in NSW states that all children between the ages of 6 and 17 are required to attend school every day the school is open, unless they have a good reason for not attending. Attending school every day allows your child to get the most out of their learning and improve their career and life options. Regular school attendance can help expand your child's learning and create positive relationships with their peers. Parents must send their child to school every day unless:

- The child is too sick to go to school.
- The child has been injured.
- The child has to go to a special religious ceremony.
- The child has an infectious illness e.g. chicken pox, mumps or measles.
- There is a serious family situation which requires the child's involvement.

It is not acceptable for parents to keep their child away from school for activities such as:

Birthdays, pension days, shopping, minding other children, haircuts.

If your child is hesitant about going to school or refuses to go for some reason, parents should **contact the Principal or School Counsellor at your child's school. The Principal may ask a Home School Liaison Officer to contact you to provide support and discuss the issues.**

OR

the Student Welfare Consultant at the Wagga Wagga Office.

If your child is absent, a signed and dated explanatory note should be sent to school giving reasons for absence. Parents can notify and explain absences on the School Bytes Parent Portal or app as well. Parents may wish to phone this information to the school, but a written explanation is preferred. If your child is delivered late to school, or you need to collect them early, please come to the front office and this will be recorded.

If your child has an unavoidable appointment during school time, please send your child to school prior to the appointment and bring them back after the appointment to maximise their learning time.

Before and After School Care

Kapooka Public School **does not** have Before or After School Care. Kapooka students can access this service through Henschke School, Out of school Care (OOSH). Care hours are from 7-9am and 3:18-6pm. Busabout buses pick students up from Henschke and drop off at Kapooka Public School at 9am. The afternoon bus will pick students up from Kapooka at 3pm and drop off at Henschke. The OOSH office hours are from 8am – 6pm and can be contacted on 0481 338 799 or coordinator@hooshcare.com.au

Bell times

Classes commence	9:08 am
Lunch	11:10 am – 12:00 pm
Recess	1:45 pm – 2:00 pm
Classes Finish	3:00 pm (bell rings 2.55pm)

It is recommended that children should not arrive at school prior to 8:45am. Teaching staff are on duty from 8:45 am. If for an unexpected reason your child does arrive at school prior to 8.45am, they are requested to sit on the seats until the teacher is on duty.

Bicycles / Scooters

Students riding bikes or scooters to school must wear their helmet. Students must walk their bikes/scooters within the school grounds. Students may “park” their bike/scooters in the rack located between the two sheds near the office.

Book club

Our school participates in Scholastic Australia book club. There are 8 issues during the calendar year (2 per term). Brochures are sent home with children for parents to browse and make a purchase if they wish.

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using the LOOP system, using the class 'Library'. Head to [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or download the APP from your APP Store.

When the orders are received, they are given to the class teacher to distribute. Volunteer parents run our book club. The school receives bonus points from your orders for our Library. If you do not wish your child to receive the order, please advise the office. (i.e. ordering for a Christmas or birthday present).

Bus travel

A Busabout bus transports children from Wagga Wagga to Kapooka School and return. This bus arrives at our school at approximately 9.00 am each day and departs from Kapooka at 3.00 pm. Students line up outside the school in the afternoon with the teacher on duty prior to catching the bus. If your child is not catching the bus on a particular day, please advise the school.

A bus route is available from the front office.

If at any times you have concerns regarding students travelling on the bus, **please don't hesitate to phone Busabout on 5942 6600.**

Busabout has a code of conduct and they ask you talk to your child/ren regarding this.

A note from Busabout:

“Students are reminded that they are to travel on the bus that has been allocated to them, the number of which is printed on the front of the bus pass. This is to avoid any safety problems due to overloading.

Parents and students are also reminded to read closely the **conditions of travel** as printed on the reverse side of the bus pass, in particular conditions 1, 9 and 10. Please be advised should students fail to show their bus pass, they will be asked to pay a fare, as per Condition One on the bus pass”.

Busabout Management

Bus applications are to be completed on the following website:

<https://ssts-apply.transport.nsw.gov.au/ApplySSTS/ApplySSTS.html>

Students are reminded to have their bus pass on them each day. It is a good idea to fasten them to their school bag.

Community of Small Schools

Kapooka School is part of the Wagga Wagga Community of Small Schools.

Four schools form part of this network group; Kapooka, Ladysmith, Tarcutta and Uranquinty. Traditionally each term the group gets together for a combined day such as: Author day, Maths day, Sports day, Public Speaking, Touch Football Day. Other interactions include leadership days, debating, combined staff meetings and the P & Cs working together.

These interactions allow staff to develop their professional learning together, students to enlarge friendship groups and the communities to work together for a variety of reasons.

Counsellor

Our school counsellor is available to assist teachers and parents with children requiring support. Currently our school counsellor visits 2 or 3 times a term. Parents are able to refer their child to meet with and/or be assessed by the counsellor. Appropriate referral/permission forms are available from the Principal. The Principal and teachers may occasionally suggest counsellor referral. Again, appropriate referral/permission forms must be signed and filled in by parents before the counsellor can see any child. The counsellor will usually contact parents prior to seeing the student and will usually compile a written report and contact parents to discuss findings.

Creative arts

All students participate in creative arts. Children are taught throughout the year in the areas of music, visual art, drama and dance. We participate in events offered to all Wagga schools and invite local talented people to coach our students.

Crunch 'n Sip

Crunch 'n Sip involves providing a fresh fruit/vegetable snack each day.

Please provide a drink bottle with water for your child to use throughout the day.

Crunch 'n Sip break is designed to encourage high fibre, low fat, low GI snack options with an emphasis on and preference for fruit and/or vegetable snacks. The aim of "Fruit Break" is to provide a supplementary energy source to students. It can be a long time between breakfast and lunch especially for those students who have breakfast early or have little or no breakfast, "Fruit Break" helps top-up and maintain their energy levels for learning.

Parents are requested to provide a fruit or vegetable snack for their children that can be easily consumed within five minutes. **All fruit should be cut up into pieces for easy eating** for younger students. Please no tinned fruit, jelly cups, or anything that requires spoons.

Some suggestions are:

- Fresh fruit: apples, banana, grapes, watermelon, kiwi fruit, rockmelon, berries, mandarins, pineapple - all cut up into small bite pieces for younger students.
- Dried fruit - sultanas, apricots, apple, pineapple etc
- Raw vegetable pieces: carrots, snow peas, celery, all cut up into bite sizes
- Cheese sticks, cheese cubes/slices

No nuts or peanuts please due to Anaphylaxis.

Please do not send roll-ups, muesli bars, chips, lollies, baked treats (eg biscuits, slices, cakes). These items are fine for recess and lunch boxes, but not for the "Fruit Break".

Curriculum

The Key Learning areas for K-6 are:

- English
- mathematics
- science and technology
- history/geography
- creative and practical arts (CAPA)
- personal development, health & physical education (PDHPE)
- all programs are based on the NSW/Australian curriculum and integrate technology.

Defence School Mentor - (DSM)

As a school with significant numbers of Defence families, Kapooka is fortunate to have a DSM based at the school. The DSM is employed to provide support to students and Defence families in our school. The DSM assists students with understanding and adjusting to new school routines, peer groups and enabling students along with their parents to have a smoother transition into and out of their school and community. Xena, the therapy dog, attends school three days a week to work with students.

Enrolment

Children who turn five between 1 August one calendar year and 31 July next calendar year are eligible for enrolment at a NSW public school. Documentation providing proof of age, such as birth certificate/passport, is required on enrolment. Proof of immunisation is also required (Immunisation History Statement, which is available from Medicare). Parents wishing to enrol their child at Kapooka Public School will be required to complete an "Application to Enrol" which can be completed online from our school website www.kapooka-p.schools.nsw.edu.au.

Excursions

School excursions play an important role in the education and social development of your child. Before a child participates in a school excursion, parental permission will be sought. Permission notes are sent home via School Bytes prior to any excursion and must be returned by the date specified or your child may miss out on the excursion. Within the permission note there will be a link to take you directly to make a payment. Please ensure you make the payment at time of giving consent. If you have multiple children attending the school, you might find it easier to log on to the Parent Portal or Parent App and make one payment. Please note that children who are on Yellow or Red levels of our behaviour level system will not be eligible to attend school excursions.

Family contributions

The school asks for a small voluntary contribution from each family to assist with providing resources for their children. This is currently set at \$30.00 per family per annum.

Financial Assistance

The school has funds available to support families in various areas of financial support, ie, contributing to payment of performances or excursions. Parents experiencing financial difficulty with any payment/activity, are asked to contact the Principal and all efforts to assist will be made.

High school transition

For students attending Year 7 in Wagga Wagga, transition programs are established by the various high schools. Children will be given the opportunity to attend various orientation sessions. Information regarding these programs will be forwarded to parents as they occur.

Home learning/home reading

It is an expectation that all students will read for a period of time each school night. A means of recording this reading will be part of home learning. Individual teachers set other home learning which includes weekly spelling lists to learn.

Home learning should be revision of work done in class. Please contact your child's teacher if they experience difficulty.

Infectious diseases

From time to time infectious diseases become evident in schools. The school will follow procedures as set by the Department of Education in dealing with such an outbreak. The following is a guide as to exclusion from school periods:

- Chicken Pox 5 days after rash appears and until blisters have dried.
- COVID-19 Signs of flu like symptoms, please have a COVID test ASAP. Keep your child home.
- Conjunctivitis while there is a discharge from the eye.
- Gastroenteritis for at least 24 hours after diarrhoea stops.
- German Measles(Rubella) 4 days after the rash appears.
- Glandular Fever only if sick with the illness.
- Head Lice only if head lice management is ongoing.
- Hepatitis A 2 weeks after first symptoms or 1 week after onset of jaundice.
- Impetigo (school sores) until treatment starts. Sores should be covered with watertight dressings.
- Influenza until they look and feel better.
- Measles at least 4 days after rash appears – contacts who are not immune should be excluded for 14 days after onset in the last case at school.
- Mumps 9 days after onset of swelling.
- Scabies/Ringworm until the day after treatment has began.
- Slapped Cheek does not have to stay away as is most infectious before the rash appears.
- Whooping Cough until the first 5 days of a special antibiotic has been taken.

Kinder orientation

Kindergarten Orientation sessions occur throughout term four each year. They provide opportunities for children to visit our school and become familiar with the school environment, staff and routines. The school works closely with the neighbouring Kapooka Early Childhood Centre (KECC) to ensure children attending are provided with opportunities to interact with our students and the school.

Leaving school premises

Children should not leave the school premises without permission during school hours. If it is necessary to collect your child during school hours, parents need to call into the front office. This will be recorded in School Bytes.

Library

Kapooka Public School has a well-resourced library with new resources being purchased or donated by the P&C each year. Each child receives a half hour library lesson each week. Children are expected to treat each book carefully and parents should notify the school immediately if books are damaged or lost.

Meal Deals

Our School Meal Deals are run by our P & C parent volunteers.

Lunch ordering is in the form of a “**Meal Deal**” once or twice a term. Meal Deal notes are sent home prior to the day. Orders are to be placed using the **My School Connect app** by the due date. In some instances they may advise that cash can be handed in as an alternative payment.

Please note: as shopping happens prior to this day, late orders cannot be accepted. Meal Deals and treat days are also advised within the school newsletter and on Class Dojo.

Our school canteen is a member of and follows the “Healthy Schools Canteen Guide”.

Medical information

If your child has a medical condition, you are requested to complete a medical information form detailing any allergies, asthma or other known health concerns regarding your child.

Should children require prescribed medication at school, parents must provide the medication in its **original container** and complete a “**Prescribed Medication at School**” form with detailed instructions for the administering of such medication to the student. This is to be given to the front office. **Staff are not permitted to administer un-prescribed medications to children during school hours, eg. Panadol, Nurofen.**

Money collections – Parent Online Payments

Money may be requested for various purposes throughout the year. We request all payments are made online via the School Bytes Parent Portal or App. The only time we will require cash is for P & C run Meal Deals or Small School Lunches. In these instances parents are asked to enclose money in a well-sealed and clearly labelled envelope or zip lock plastic bag. This should state the child’s name, the amount enclosed and the purpose. Children are asked to hand money directly to the office. Please ensure the envelope is taped down/stapled at the edges to ensure small coins are not lost on the way. Plastic zip locked bags are a great idea for sending money to school. If it is labelled with your child’s name, it will be returned to you for reuse.

Music

As well as class music programs students in the senior years participate in the Sydney Opera House Recorder Festival every 3 years and individuals with talent may be offered a place at an annual music camp.

The school may participate in the Wagga Eisteddfod and Wagga Wagga Schools’ Choral Festival (CHORDS). Students are also given instruction in percussion.

Newsletter

The school newsletter is a form of communication to parents. Our school newsletter is circulated every 2nd Friday by email or from our school website: www.kapooka-p.schools.nsw.edu.au Events and activities are regularly featured in the school newsletter.

Parent interviews

A parent/teacher interview is conducted in week 5 term 1 to provide feedback to parents about their child's learning. This is a very successful way of discussing your child's progress with you and developing future goals and all parents are encouraged to take up this opportunity. Available times will be advised for each classroom teacher.

An invitation will be sent home by the classroom teacher for another interview at the end of each term should you wish to meet again, there will, however, be regular information sent home about your child's goals.

You may request an interview at any time throughout the year, they are not restricted to these opportunities.

P & C

The Parents and Citizens Association (P & C) normally meets twice a term. The P & C is actively concerned with the interests of the school and organises fund raising events throughout the year. Your active support for both the meetings and events will be most welcome. Membership is \$2.00 per year. Membership allows you voting rights.

Some of the Committees that would require parental help are:

Meal Deals

Uniform co-ordinator/Fundraising

Chapel chocolates co-ordinator

Religious instruction (SRE)

When available community volunteers provide religious instruction to all classes. Instruction is non-denominational and is based on the Religion in Life leaflets as recommended by the Department of Education. Should you wish for your child/ren not to participate in Scripture, a written note will be required from you. An online form is also available on the School Bytes Parent Portal to give or withdraw consent.

School Activities

Throughout the year, activities such as learn to swim, dance programs, shows, gymnastics and Healthy Harold may come to the school. Payment for these are often subsidised by the P & C to reduce the cost to parents. Notes detailing the activities and costs are sent home through School Bytes.

School Parliament

Kapooka School has an active School Parliament. The Parliament consists of representatives from each class. Students vote on who their representatives will be. Students from each class discuss issues with their representatives who will then bring them to a Parliament meeting. Parliament meets at least once a term to discuss matters about the school and to consider/agree on fundraising activities.

School Photographs

School photographs are taken annually. Each class has their photo taken and each student is photographed, regardless of ordering. An envelope with the student's name and class is printed by the photographer and sent home when the time comes. Traditionally these photos are taken during Term 2 of the school year.

- When ordering you may pay either by cash, cheque or credit card.
- You may have sibling photos taken of your school children in your family.
- There are varied packages offered at the time for you to purchase.
- Photographs of Captains/Vice Captains are taken.
- Parents may order these through the photographer.

Sport & PE

Sport is normally held each Friday and all students are encouraged to wear their sports uniform on this day. Generally, sport lessons take place in the afternoon sessions, but during the hotter terms (1 and 4), sport may be held during session one. Regular physical education fitness sessions also take place each week.

The children have the opportunity to compete in sports along with other Wagga schools such as netball, T-ball, touch football, AFL, rugby league and soccer throughout the year. The children also compete in our own and Wagga District Small Schools' swimming, athletics and cross country carnivals. Opportunities are available for talented athletes to attend trials at district level through the year. We have two sports houses, **Gugubarra** and **Wambuwny**.

Student performances

Each year the students have the opportunity to perform in various capacities to a variety of audiences. These range from class assembly items, participation in Education Week performances at the Wagga Market Place, the Wagga Eisteddfod and the Choral & Dance Spectacular (CHORDS) as well as a recorder performance at the Sydney Opera House approximately every 3 years. A whole school concert takes place each year. Any students displaying high level talents in music, speech, drama or dance may also attend various camps and choral groups arranged through the Wagga Creative Arts organisers.

Student reports

Reports provide an indication of student achievement as assessed through a series of standardised and class-based assessment tasks throughout the terms. Student reports are sent home with students at the end of terms 2 and 4.

Students in Kindergarten are assessed during the first few weeks of school through the Best Start program. Letters are sent home prior to parent interviews detailing the skills students have and how parents may assist to continue to develop these skills.

Students in Years 3 and 5 participate in the National Assessment Program in Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). These tests assess students in the areas of Writing, Literacy and Numeracy. Once marked and analysed, detailed reports are sent to parents from the Department of Education. Teachers are available to discuss student results when parents receive the reports. The National Assessment Program (NAPLAN) will be held in Term 1 each year. Students in years 3-6 will also participate in Check-In Assessments to identify how students are performing in literacy and numeracy to tailor teaching to students' needs.

Support programs

Students requiring additional support will be assisted through individual and small group programs with the Support Teacher Learning Assistance (STLA) teacher. Students with significant learning or behaviour needs may also be eligible to apply for funding support which can provide a School Learning Support Officer (SLSO) to work with the child in the classroom. Application for this support is done in conjunction with counsellor testing.

Uniform

Kapooka Public school colours are green and gold.

SUMMER UNIFORM

Girls:

- Green and white checked dress with white collar and trim
- Black shoes/runners with white socks
- School hat
- Bottle green sports skirt or skorts or shorts with the school polo shirt (gold trim on collar) is also an option

Boys:

- Bottle Green Sports shorts
- School polo shirt with gold trim on collar
- Black shoes/runners with white socks
- School hat

WINTER UNIFORM

Girls:

- Green school tunic (available for hire at \$20 per season which includes a \$10 refundable deposit)
- Green tights
- Gold polo shirt or skivvy
- Green Kapooka sloppy joe/hoodie
- Green/gold trim track pants
- School polo shirt with gold trim on collar – long or short sleeve
- Jacket, zippered, green/gold trim
- Black shoes/runners with white socks

Boys:

- Grey jeans or trousers
- Green/gold trim track pants
- School polo shirt with gold trim on collar – long or short sleeve
- Green Kapooka sloppy joe/hoodie
- Jacket, zippered, green/gold trim
- Black shoes or runners with grey socks

A bottle green tracksuit is also an acceptable option for both boys and girls to wear during winter. A school spray jacket is an additional item available for purchase along with matching track pants.

SPORTS UNIFORM**Girls:**

- Bottle green sports skirt or skorts or shorts
- School Polo shirt with gold trim on collar
- Joggers or runners with white socks

Boys:

- Bottle green sports shorts
- School polo shirt with gold trim on collar
- Joggers or runners with white socks (or green and gold football socks)

Uniform orders should be made via the **My School Connect** app. Once the order has been received the Uniform Co-Ordinator will then process your order and send it home on Friday with your child/children if completed by 3pm on Wednesday of that week.

Special Notes:

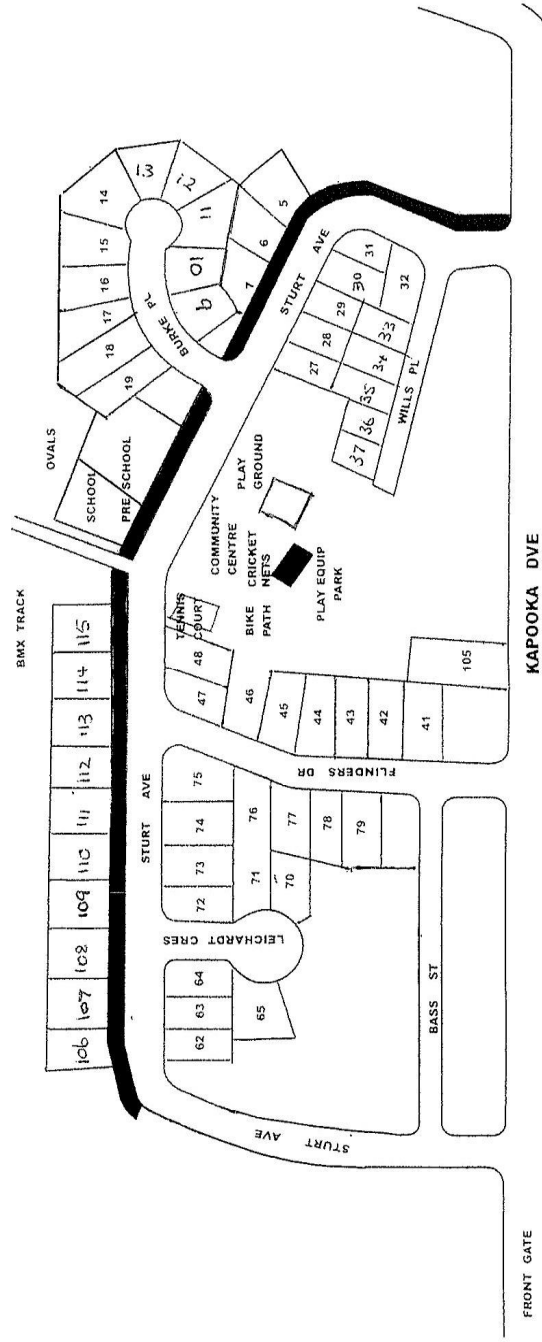
- All new student enrolments receive a complimentary hat courtesy of the P&C.
- ***Kapooka Public school has a no hat, play in the shade policy during all school terms (one, two, three and four)***

Our Playground



Kapooka Village

KAPOOKA VILLAGE - HOUSING LOCATIONS



Develop Stage 1 - Play Equip Park